

TOLL FOR THE BRAVE, THE BRAVE POLICE COMMISSION

The Supervisor of City Schools Also Occupies a Place in the Public Eye

(The Daily Mail, while it finds "Observer" articles interesting and popular, does not always agree with what is said, and is not responsible for the writer's opinions).

The position of Supervisor of City Schools still remains unfilled. The extraordinary delay in making this appointment is a matter of considerable wonderment. It would have seemed to the ordinary observer that this was a position that could not remain unfilled for very long without impairing the efficiency of the schools. That no move has been made to appoint a supervisor might point to three things.

First, the School Board, in its anxiety to get the right person for the job is still not satisfied. This point of view is no longer tenable considering some of the known applicants.

Second, a general apathy on the part of the School Board to the need of such an appointment being made at as early a date as possible.

Third, that this position has always been a sort of a fifth wheel to a coach and is not really necessary at all. The reader may take his choice of these three explanations or add his own.

The Police Commission threatens to crowd the King's marriage out of the news, locally, at any rate. "To be, or not to be, that is the question." I have written my impression of the matter, it may possibly be, with apologies to William Cowper.

THE LOSS OF THE POLICE COMMISSION

Toll for the brave,
The brave that are no more;
All sunk beneath the wave,
Fast by their native shore.

Just a few men on the Council,
Whose courage well was tried,
Had made the Commission heel,
And laid it on its side.

A sharp breeze shook its shrouds,
And it was overset,
Down went the Police Commission
With its three-man crew complete.

Toll for the brave,
The brave Magistrate is gone;
His last order has been given,
His work of glory done.

It was not in the battle,
No tempest gave the shock;
It sprang no fatal leak,
It ran upon no rock.

His fees were on his desk,
His fingers held the pen,
When the Magistrate went down,
With just two other men.

Weigh the Commission up,
Once dreaded by its foes;
And mingle with our cup
The tear this city owes.

Its timbers yet are sound,
And it may float again
Full charged with all its thunder,
And plough the local main.

But the Magistrate is gone,
His victories are o'er;
And he and his two other men
Shall plough the wave no more.

—OBSERVER.

The Fredericton Boy Scout Toyshop Phone 63

The Toyshop Matinee is over; the work on the toys begins. A vast crowd of children thronged the approaches to the Capitol Theatre late on Friday afternoon; and, by all accounts, enjoyed the three special films shown. These were not all quite as selected; but nevertheless, filled a thirty minutes' bill admirably.

Side by side with the by far the largest "toy income" from the Matinee source yet drawn here, private calls are being received at the Toyshop proper, at various times during the day. As soon as a call is received, arrangements are made at once, to send out a team to collect. Busy times are ahead of us; so every Cub, Scout and Rover Scout, come on and come in when you can. Christmas is but three weeks away; already a budget of letters has arrived from the West, asking for assistance. And what of our local needs? They will be as great this year as ever before. Because many of our good citizens have already realized this, we are well off as regards to gifts and contributions, which are helping us to carry on. But there is always room for more, and we will acknowledge gratefully, for the sake of those we hope to help, whatever is brought to us. Money, toys, books, clothing, canned goods, have come in. The more we shall have to give, when Christmas comes, the better will the Scouts be loved and the better shall we be able to instill into the younger generation the part of our Scout Promise which binds us "To Help Other People at all Times."

A session of examinations in connection with the Patrol Leaders' Course, was held at St. Dunstan's Hall, last Wednesday night. Many candidates were away, having fallen victims to a prevailing cold. But arrangements have been made for the absentees to write. Meanwhile, our hike has had to be postponed again, owing to stress of weather.

ROBERT PUGH,

Provincial Field Worker and Acting District Commissioner.

Church Services

Advent Christian Church, N. Devon
Milton C. Burr, pastor; 11 a.m., The Dying Thief's Request and The Savior's Reply; 7 p.m., Service of Song followed by Sermon. All are welcome.

Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. George E. Ross, D.D., Minister. 11 a.m., Public Worship, Subject: "The Call of the Sea"; 2:30, Sunday School and Bible Class; 7:00 Public Worship, Subject: "Priceless Possessions." Monthly Young People's Service. Immediately after worship a Social Hour will be spent in the church hall when Mr. Horner, of the U.N.B. will deliver an address with motion pictures on his summer trip to the Arctic. Students and all young people are cordially invited to attend.

Gibson Memorial United Church
South Devon and Nashwaakisis
Mrs. R. W. Barker, B.A., returned missionary from Korea, will speak at 11 a.m.; The Minister, Rev. W. A. Burge, will speak at Nashwaakisis at 3 p.m., and at Devon at 7 p.m. on the theme "Is the Church Impotent and Why?"

Christchurch Cathedral
Second Sunday in Advent. 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 11 a.m., Holy Communion (Choral) and Sermon. 7 p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Very Rev. Dean Dr. Moorhead will preach.

Wilmot United Church
John W. Bartlett, Minister. 11 a.m., Public Worship. Preacher, Rev. D. R. Chown, B.A. 2:30 p.m., Sunday School. Brotherhood in Pythian Hall. 7 p.m., Evening Service. Mr. Bartlett will preach. Subject: "The Sacrament of Marriage." Marriage and divorce are subjects on all tongues this week. What has Religion to say? 8:15 p.m., Monthly Communion service.

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EASY TO FOLLOW IN THE HOME

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Entertained Medical Association
Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Gerow entertained charmingly at dinner last evening the guests being the members of the Executive of the New Brunswick Medical Association. Covers were laid for eight those sitting down to dinner besides Dr. Gerow including Dr. A. E. MacCauley, Dr. A. S. Kirkland, and Dr. J. R. Nugent of Saint John; Dr. Arthur P. Vanwart of this city; Dr. W. E. Green and Dr. H. Everett of St. Stephen, and Dr. F. L. Brown of Woodstock. Following dinner a meeting of the Association was held at the Queen Hotel.

Premier A. A. Dymally, who is still in town following a meeting of the provincial cabinet, expects to leave tomorrow afternoon for Ottawa.

Presentation to Miss Hawkes
A number of friends met last evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Barry and held a social evening in honor of her sister, Miss Laura Hawkes, prior to her departure for Saint John where she will enter St. Vincent's Convent to become a religious. The evening was spent in games and music. Delicious refreshments were served. Miss Hawkes was presented with a purse. Miss Hawkes, who is leaving for Saint John on Monday was also honored by friends last week in Stanley where she was made the recipient of a purse, an umbrella and some linens.

Meeting Teachers' Association
The December meeting of the local Teachers' Association was held last evening in the High School, with R. K. Nevers presiding. Rev. John Linton was present and spoke with reference to the Home and School Association. Sgt. A. W. Oliver gave an interesting and instructive address on the "Uses of the present Physical Training Text Book." He kindly offered to give a demonstration in the Normal school gymnasium at some future date. After reorganization of the Study Groups, the meeting adjourned.

Pretty Wedding at Marysville Today
(Emery-Moore)

A pretty wedding took place this afternoon at three o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William W. Moore, Marysville, when their eldest daughter, Aletha Pearl, was united in marriage to Cecil Damon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Emery of Port Fairfield, Maine. To the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March played by Judson Arnold, a cousin, the bride, entered the room on the arm of her father, and looked charming in a fitted jacket gown of wine chiffon velvet and wearing a bandeau of lilies of the valley with shoes, gloves and other accessories to match and carrying a bouquet of talisman roses, took her place under an arch of evergreen and roses banked with potted plants and palms, in the centre of which was a wedding bell and streamers extending to the corners of the room. Miss Gertrude Cochrane, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and was becomingly attired in Marina blue chiffon velvet with accessories to match with a bandeau of Anchusa.

Rev. F. A. Dunlap performed the ceremony in the presence of about seventy-five guests. Miss Daisy Boyce, cousin of the bride, sang "O Promise Me" during the signing of the register, while prior to the ceremony Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Nights Dream" was played by Judson Arnold. Following the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served. The bride's table looked most attractive with peach and white streamers extending from the four corners of the room to the chandelier and caught with rosebuds to the corners of the table, the centre of which a beautiful bride's cake surmounted with bride and groom in miniature under an arch of lilies of the valley, with silver decorations. Lighted tapers at each end of the table completed the decoration. Mrs. Wm. Moore, mother of the bride, poured; Mrs. Roy Moore, aunt of the bride replenished; and Mrs. William Arnold, also an aunt of the bride, cut the ices. Mrs. Cecil MacDonald received the guests. Mrs. Jos. White, Misses Lena Moore, Annie Moore, Alice Clark, Mrs. Richard Finnermore, Genevieve Lawson, Edith Clark, Mrs. Basil Moore, Mrs. Chester Cochrane and Miss Daisy Boyce assisted in serving.

The bride who is popular with the younger set was the recipient of many lovely gifts, including silverware, linen, china, cut glass and electrical appliances, also cheques. Mr. and Mrs. Emery will be guests of the bride's parents for a few days before leaving for their home in Fort Fairfield, Maine, where the groom is a prosperous farmer. Going away the bride will wear a muskrat fur coat, gift of the groom, with brown hat, shoes and other accessories to match. The groom's gift to the bride was a muskrat coat, to the best man and pianist gold tie clips, while to the bridesmaid a French beaded bag, and to the soloist, gold ear rings.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Olive McArthur, Morrison's Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hilyard, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cogswell, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ames, all of Fort Fairfield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dayton Honored

A group of friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dayton gathered last night at their home on Church street to celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary. Bridge and forty-fives were played in the early part of the evening. A presentation of a Dripolator Coffee Percolator was made by H. M. Paine. Mr. Dayton responded in a witty speech which caused much amusement among the guests. Those present were Mrs. Robert Hickson, Miss Beatrice Legere, Miss Evangeline Landry, Miss Vivian Fisher, Mrs. Hugh Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Trail, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Staples, Mrs. Eddie Gregory, Mrs. Elizabeth Belyea, Miss Ida Belyea, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar MacKinn, Harry Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Prince, Mrs. Pearl Dayton, Miss Dorothy Staples, Walter Staples, Mrs. Clara Woods, Miss Roberta Dayton, Herbert Dayton, Miss Marion Coulthard and Mrs. Ross Fisher.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. L. Brown of Woodstock, are in the city today and expect to return home during the afternoon.

Jacob Pyne, of Marysville, who was operated on at Victoria Public Hospital recently is gaining slowly.

Women's Institute Meeting
The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. H. W. Steen with a large number in attendance. The president, Mrs. G. I. Nugent was in the chair. The roll call was answered with something for the Christmas baskets. It was decided to send \$2.50 to the nucleus for the home for the feeble-minded. A membership was taken out in the Mental Hygiene Council, Mrs. Nugent being the representative. It was decided not to send any one to the short course at Sussex. The League of Nations Society was taken up and the matter left over for further consideration. Representatives were named to the Y.M.C.A. Auxiliary A contest was conducted by Mrs. Murray Kierstead and money voted for work at Christmas. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Steen, Mrs. N. Kierstead, Mrs. J. D. Estey, Mrs. Roy Dunphy, Mrs. D. J. Shea and Miss Dorothy Smith. Mrs. Mathewson is to send a greeting card from Fredericton Institute to the Fremley Institute, England.

W. M. S. Wilmot Church
The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. of Wilmot Church was held yesterday. Mrs. R. Crocker was in the chair and after the singing of a hymn the devotional period was taken by Mrs. F. W. Barker. Passages from the Gospels on the birth of Jesus were read. Mrs. Barker also gave a reading on Christmas. Mrs. Chown led in prayer. The roll was called and the minutes of the previous meeting read and approved. The Christmas solo sung by Mrs. Inch, was much enjoyed. It was decided that one of our monthly meetings early in the incoming year be a Temperance meeting, with a special speaker. Mrs. C. A. Smith retired from the programme committee and Mrs. Phillips' name was added to it. Mrs. F. W. Barker is the convenor of this committee. Mrs. Geo. Green the treasurer gave her report for the past year, showing that the allocation has been reached. This was reached at an earlier date than last year or any time since we began to have an allocation, or financial objective. Mrs. Bartlett presented the report for the Mission Band. The Strangers' Secretary Mrs. Jennings, reported 479 calls made by her during the year. Mrs. McMurtrie Supply Secretary gave us the number of quilts, men's and boys' mitts, socks, scarves and other warm articles of clothing made and sent to Labrador and Northern Newfoundland, giving evidence of earnest and sustained endeavours. The amount sent to Trinidad was smaller. The Evening Auxiliary made a special effort in this direction. The report of Mrs. Curll Corresponding secretary, was in her absence read by Miss Chase. Other reports which could not be made up until the close of the year, will be presented at the next meeting. The slate of officers for the ensuing year was handed in by Mrs. Squires, convenor of the nominating committee, and was as follows: Mrs. Randolph Crocker, president; first vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Bartlett; second vice-president, Mrs. D. R. Chown; recording secretary, Mrs. N. C. Squires; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. S. Curll; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Green; strangers' secretary, Mrs. W. L. Jennings; associate helpers' secretary, Mrs. H. C. Jewett; temperance secretary, Mrs. F. W. Barker; Mite Box secretary, Mrs. Fletcher Foster; Christian Stewardship secretary, Mrs. Eleanor King; supply secretary, Mrs. John McMurtrie; literature secretary, Mrs. D. Coates; Missionary Monthly secretary, Miss M. A. Kilburn; Press secretary, Mrs. H. Hallett. An installation service was conducted by Mrs. J. W. Bartlett, president of the Fredericton Presbyterian. Mrs. C. A. Smith read a short account of the beautiful life of Jesus and Mrs. Crocker gave a story illustrating the true spirit of Christmas giving viz., that of bringing happiness to others. The meeting was brought to a close with the Mizpah benediction.

AGNES MACPHAIL SUPPORTS KING EDWARD VIII

Says Romance Should
Not Be Shattered Nor
Throne Lost

TOLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 5.—The romance of the King should not be shattered, nor should the youthful ruler lose his Throne, Miss Agnes Macphail, first woman member of the Canadian House of Commons, said here today.

"Naturally I regret the difficulties which have arisen because of the Simpson affair and I believe that Mrs. Simpson is the person most responsible for the crisis," Miss Macphail said.

"I believe that I, as a woman, would have withdrawn from the picture as soon as I saw that complications were arising. However, from a woman's viewpoint, I think that if two persons love each other so very much, the heart should rule for any frustration of such an ardent love would leave the lives of both less rich."

Miss Macphail said Canadians love King Edward's liberal policies and believe that he knows the multitudinous problems of the Empire like no other ruler who has sat on the Throne.

NO RUMORS RE-ELECTION

The Devon civic election, which falls on the third week in January, has produced no activity within the past few days. It is expected that Mayor A. J. McEvoy will be returned for another term, because of his good work as chief magistrate. No names have been mentioned as successors to the present slate of aldermen for Devon.

A charmingly arranged reception was held on Monday afternoon by Mrs. J. O. Patenaude, Ottawa, in honor of her daughter, Miss Francois Patenaude, who is one of the season's debutantes. Mrs. J. E. Michaud, wife of Hon. J. E. Michaud, minister of fisheries, of Edmundston, presided over the tea table, which was lovely with bronze chrysanthemums and yellow roses. Misses Annette and Alice Michaud were among those assisting.

Miss Sadie Miller of Marysville, who is a patient at Montreal General Hospital following a thyroid operation is reported to be doing nicely.

Y.P.S. George Street Baptist Church
The Young People's Society of the George Street Baptist church held their weekly meeting last evening, with about one hundred and fifty guests present. A social programme was carried out under the able direction of Reid Ganong, as follows: Orchestra selection, Post Commanding March; reading, by Neil Garter; mixed quartette, Mildred Corey, Dorothy Jewett, Donald Hughes and Eric McFee; orchestra selection, Rose Petal; One-act play, Mildred Corey, Burton Bonnell, Edna Corey, Marguerite Stillwell and Reid Ganong; orchestra selection. After the programme games were played and refreshments served.

Wilmot Young People's Society
An unusual and excellent entertainment was provided for the good attendance last evening at the Wilmot Young People's Society by the Citizenship Committee under its leader, Bruce Bird. The devotional period was led by Miss Mildred Harvey and an entertaining address was heard, based on the religious theme, "The First Woman Minister." The main attraction of the evening, a program based on the Olympic games in Germany was introduced by Corey Sanson. An address, Canada's Part in the Olympic, was well delivered by Mrs. Charles Simms. A number of general remarks on the games were made by the leader. The star attraction of the evening's entertainment was the popular melodies rendered by those tuneful rhythm boys, Larry Dow, Mac Bird and Ken Dow. Games of the enjoyable recreational period were led by Mr. Bird and Charles "Bus" McKordick.

Young People's Club, of St. Paul's
The Young People's Club of St. Paul's United Church, met last night in the Fraser Memorial Hall with Group One in charge, under the leadership of Miss Jean Smith and Miss Audrey Young. The devotional period was conducted by Miss Willa Ketch followed by an interesting address on "The Covenanters" by Rev. George Telford.

The president, Emerson Skene took the chair for the business meeting after which a Scotch programme was presented, starting off with selections of the bagpipes by Messrs. Lean and Downie. Miss Peggy Stewart delighted the young people with the Highland Fling. Mr. Malcolm sang several Scotch songs and led a contest in which he played a few bars of Scotch songs and left the young people to guess the names of the songs, the prize winner being Mr. Lean. Games were played in the gymnasium, and the singing of God Save the King brought the evening to a close.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED

Perhaps the Will you drew up some years back, does not adequately express your wishes, now. Times have changed, and conditions with them. Incomes from real estate, securities and alone, might frustrate benefits mortgage investments are much altered today. New tax levies you had planned. This Trust Company will be pleased to discuss with you the matter of revising your Will.



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D. H. A. Tozer is in Ottawa, a guest at the Chateau Laurier.

Italy's felt hat industry is expanding, says a news item. Possibly as a result of swelled heads.

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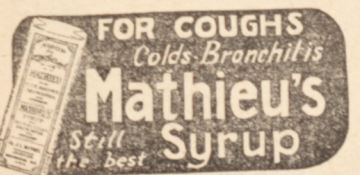
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