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## Car Falls Thirty Feet from Bridge

Five Occupants Bruised and Shaken Up Considerably.

An automobile owned and driven by Murray Howard, of Riley Brook, went off a bridge over what is called Indian Brook, between Perth and Tobique Narrows, landing on logs and turned over, stopping upside down, Wednesday afternoon. The other occupants of the car were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sullivan and two children, of Rowena. All were badly shaken up and bruised and suffered minor cuts. They were brought to Perth and received medical attention from Dr. R. W. Earle. It is stated that while crossing the bridge a truck with Maine license passed them, striking the passenger car and causing it to go through the railing.

## PERTH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The regular meeting of the Perth W.I. was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph McAlden, assisting hostess, Mrs. R. Porter. The president presided and the meeting opened in the usual way.

Mrs. R. W. L. Earle reported for the school committee and Mrs. M. L. Wright for the sick committee, each giving satisfactory reports. Mrs. C. W. Lewis thanked the members for remembering her during her illness.

Committees were appointed: Mrs. R. W. L. Earle and Mrs. J. D. Bird who were reappointed school committee; sick committee, Mrs. Amanda Campbell and Mrs. C. W. Lewis; programme committee for three months, Mesdames R. W. L. Earle, J. W. P. Dickson and Miss Alice Keswick. A discussion followed re the disposal of the Institute exhibit. This was laid on the table for further discussion.

Mrs. Samuel Winchester as programme convener, presented a delightful programme: Paper, "How Institute is Beneficial," by Mrs. J. McAlden; paper, "Interior Decoration," by Mrs. S. Winchester; paper, "November," Mrs. J. E. Porter; melody or old tunes," by Mrs. M. L. Wright, accompanied by Miss Blakelock; community singing. Miss Keswick read a paper on "Canadian Industries and Legislature" for the benefit of the conveners of same.

The meeting adjourned to meet in December at the home of Mrs. George Russell, assisted by Miss Alice Keswick. Roll call, "A Donation to the Red Cross." The members will also exchange gifts not exceeding 25c in value.

## Perth--Plaster Rock Football

Senior Teams Play Saturday at Perth Perth Team Wins.

Senior football teams, with some high school players, representing Plaster Rock and Perth, met at Perth Saturday afternoon, the features of play being the fine sporting spirit of all players and fair play seen in all departments. There was a good attendance. Plaster Rock lost, score being 3-0. Rev. J. McAlden was the referee.

The game opened by Plaster Rock kicking far into Perth territory and following up well. After a few minutes of pressure the Perth line was cleared and their forwards gradually worked the ball upfield. Play stayed in Plaster Rock ground for some time, then after a forward rush by their opponents, Perth post going in a good ground-making movement, which was brought up close to Plaster Rock goal line by some good tackling. Perth got the ball from the scrum and from a fine pass from scrum half to wing a try was scored. The kick failed. The first half ended with Perth in the lead. Plaster Rock opened the second half with a strong movement which looked dangerous but ended in nothing mainly due to the good tackling of Perth forwards and halves. They took the ball upfield and many times looked like scoring but the ball handling was rather poor. The game ended with Plaster Rock pressing hard.

## MISS ANNIE COX

Miss Annie Cox, of Aroostook, died at the home of her brother, John Cox, early Monday morning, November 9, at the age of 45 years. She had been ill for about five months. All that loving care could do was done but to no avail.

Miss Cox was a daughter of the late Matilda and John Cox and Florenceville, Carleton county, was her birthplace. She was highly respected and will be greatly missed.

The deceased leaves to mourn their loss one sister, Mrs. Angus (Hattie) Giggey, of Bristol, and four brothers, James, of New Hampshire, David, of Florenceville, Fred, of Red Rapids, and John, of Aroostook.

The funeral was held Wednesday, November 11, with service in the United church, Andover, conducted by Rev. A. F. MacLean.

The United church choir sang the following hymns: "Jesus, Lover of My Soul"; "Unto the Hills Around"; "Breathe on Me, Breath of God."

The pallbearers were H. H. Hetherington, Hiram Murphy, Ray Grantham and Benjamin McLaughlin.

There were several beautiful floral tributes. Much sympathy is extended to the relatives in their bereavement.

## MRS. ELIZABETH E. LESLIE

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth E. Leslie occurred Thursday, October 29, after a brief illness, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Goodine, Lerwick, N.B.

Mrs. Leslie was of Scottish descent, was highly respected and will be sadly missed by all who knew her. She was in her eighty-second year, and had enjoyed good health up to a short time previous to her death.

Besides a large number of friends, she leaves to mourn two daughters: Mrs. J. Goodine, Lerwick, N.B., Mrs. R. Rogers, Los Angeles, Calif.; and two sons, Jim, of St. Francis, N.B., and Dave, of Caribou, Maine; also a number of grandchildren.

The funeral service was held in South Tilley Presbyterian church, conducted by Rev. William Rolston. The pallbearers were: Alex Ogilvy, Charles DeMerchant, Ben. DeMerchant and Reuben Goodine.

Hymns sung were: "She Has Crossed the Shining River," at the house, "Sometime We'll Understand," "Will the Circle be Unbroken" and "Some One will be Waiting for Me," at the church, and at the grave, "Under the Cypress" was sung. The funeral was largely attended. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones.

## FUNERAL OF HARTLEY LEWIS

The funeral of Hartley W. Lewis, late manager of the New Brunswick Telephone Co., at Woodstock, who was killed in an automobile accident, was held Wednesday afternoon, November 11. Service was conducted at the United Baptist Church by Rev. H. E. Allaby, and was largely attended. Head office of the New Brunswick Telephone Co. at Saint John was represented by O. J. Fraser, general manager, and Horace G. Black, general purchasing agent. Interment was made at East Florenceville, where service was conducted at the grave by the Masonic Order.

## HARTLAND DEFEATS PERTH-ANDOVER

Playing in Perth on Remembrance Day.

The Hartland High School cadets defeated the Perth-Andover rugby team, score 8-6, on Wednesday last. The game was played on the Perth field. It was a fast, interesting game throughout.

Immediately after the game started Hartland scored. Day, a Hartland man, crossing the line and converted the try to make the score 5-0. Cougle, of Perth, went across the line twice in the first period, which ended 6-5 in favour of the home team. In the second period Day crossed the home team's line once more to make the score 8-6 in favour of Hartland.

Horace Hanson, principal of the Perth school, refereed.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Campbell announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Winifred Irene, to George Whitfield Olmstead, Montreal, the marriage to take place in the near future.

## Both Guilty Of Negligence

So Jury Decides in Suit of William Pirie, of Grand Falls, vs. Eleazar Beupre, of Bellefleur.

In the civil case of William Pirie, of Grand Falls, vs. Eleazar Beupre, of Bellefleur, Madawaska county, the only case to be tried at the November term of the Victoria County Court, the jury found, in deciding answers to the judge's questions, that both parties were equally guilty of negligence. The case occupied two days, Tuesday and Wednesday. A. S. Fergusson, of Grand Falls, appeared for the plaintiff, and A. J. Dionne, of Edmundston, for the defendant.

The jury consisted of Spurgeon Cox, of Odell; Herbert Camber, of Arthurville; Joly Seymour, of Arthurville; Miles Everett, of Four Falls; John Lafferty, of Andover. Judge M. L. Hayward, of Hartland, presided. Officers of the court present were: C. H. Elliott, clerk of the court, William Davidson, crier, also the High-Sheriff, F. V. Bishop.

The case of Pirie vs. Beupre, in which the plaintiff claimed damages of \$136.93 to his car and the defendant submitted a counter-claim of \$100 for injury to a horse, arose out of an automobile accident in July, 1930, when the plaintiff's car collided with a hayrack driven by Mr. Beupre's son.

On the stand Charles F. Watson, of Grand Falls, who was in the car with the plaintiff, testified that as they traveled over the road they saw the defendant's horses, with wagon and hayrack, standing near a barn and just as they were passing, a boy, William Beupre, son of the defendant, came out of the barn, jumped in the wagon, struck the horses and drove out on the road apparently without looking to see if any car might be approaching.

J. J. Sirois, provincial constable, who served the writ upon Beupre, testified. Constable Dudley Wilson, of the N.B. Provincial Police, also was on the stand, and drew a diagram of the position in which he found the automobile and hayrack. Mr. Wilson, stationed at Grand Falls at the time, came upon the scene of the accident shortly after it occurred.

The following witnesses, with Frank St. Amant acting as interpreter, were heard Wednesday morning: Wilfred Beupre, driver of the team, Oscar Beupre, O'Neill Beupre, E. Beupre, Mrs. Odile Beupre and Clement Lapointe.

The case of Hatfield & Kyle, Ltd., vs. the Wapkehegan Lumber Co., Ltd., on the hooket, was withdrawn.

## AROOSTOOK B.Y.P.U.

On Friday evening, November 12, twenty-three members attended the regular meeting of the B.Y.P.U.

The main feature of the evening was a map talk on India, given by Mrs. Archibald which was very instructive. She spoke some on the Canadian Baptist Mission Field there and gave much helpful information on the present day unrest in India. Her talk was much enjoyed and appreciated by those present.

Jean Demmings, Ruth Monteith and Wilfred Crandemire each gave a reading on: "Why Christianity is a Missionary Religion." A duet was sung by Mrs. Sloan and Emily Hopkins.

## R. T. L. C. MEETING

The Round Table Literary Club met at the home of Mrs. H. S. Wade on Thursday, November 5, with Mrs. G. B. McLaughlin as joint hostess. The subject for the evening was "Mahatma Gandhi." Miss Curry and Mrs. Dickson being conveners.

The following programme proved of great interest to all:

1. Contest, "What Do You Know."
2. "The Pact," by Alfred Noyes, Mrs. Ogilvy.
3. School "Boy Howlers," the club.
4. "Gandhi," Miss Curry.
5. Vocal duet, "We Shall Never Part Again," Mrs. MacIntosh, Mrs. Baird.

The next programme is changed to "The Nobel Prize Awards." Roll call, from Kipling or Yates.

## SENT UP FOR TRIAL

At the hearing before Magistrate N. A. Hanson, held on Saturday, Gordon Lockhart was sent up for trial and the hearing of Hewlett Acton postponed until today. They are accused of theft of an automobile at Muniac, and Lockhart of implication in the W. A. Gillett store robbery, Andover.

## TELEPHONE MANAGERS ARE TRANSFERRED

F. A. Kennedy Leaving Andover—District Consolidated with Woodstock—Duncan Lewis New Exchange Manager.

F. A. Kennedy, district superintendent for the N.B. Telephone Co., Ltd., located in Andover and with the exchanges of Andover, Plaster Rock, Grand Falls and Edmundston under his supervision, will remove to St. Stephen shortly to take charge of that district. The Andover-Edmundston district has been consolidated with the Woodstock-Andover district under the supervision of John Turner, who has been transferred from St. Stephen to Woodstock. Duncan Lewis, of Andover, will have charge of the Andover exchange.

Mr. Turner was manager of the Andover district two years before going to St. Stephen.

## Armstrongs Have Armoury Contract

Perth Firm Starts Crew Clearing Debris.

Work on the Woodstock Armory partially destroyed by fire, on December 31, 1930, was begun last week by Armstrong Bros., of Perth, who have been given the contract for restoring the building. The central drill hall and the southern end of the structure which was burned will be replaced in much the same plan as they were before. There will be no woodwork in the drill hall, however, steel being used entirely in its construction, and the whole plant will be heated by one system. In the old Armory there was a heating plant at each end, leaving the drill hall without any means of being warmed.

Only a small crew is at work as yet, clearing away rubbish to prepare for reconstruction work. Charles Armstrong who is directing the job, said that a larger crew would be employed. While considerable preliminary work will be done at once, he said, the erection of the new structure will begin in earnest when the steel work is received, which will probably be in about a week or 10 days.

Mr. Armstrong estimated that the new building will be completed in from three to four months. While he did not expect that the coming of the cold weather would bring any insuperable obstacles, he said that severe cold would have a tendency to slow up progress and to add to the difficulty of the job.

## ARTHURETTE

Nov. 16—We are grieved to hear of the illness of Mrs. Gerlie Giberson. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Carey Giberson, of Fort Fairfield, Maine, has returned home on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Gerlie Giberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Finnemore, of Odell River, were calling on friends in this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William MacInnis motored to Plaster Rock Saturday.

Mrs. T. W. Sprague and Mrs. William Price had tea at Junson Smith's Sunday evening.

The people of this place have their fall work done and are getting ready for the snow.

Mrs. Rebecca Corey, of Caribou, Maine, and Mrs. Edward Tomlinson, of Lidford, were calling on Mrs. Claude Gillis one evening recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chapman, of Burnt Land Brook, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Sprague one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Tomlinson were calling on Mrs. Frank Wright Sunday evening.

BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hanscom, Tilley, on November 7, a son, Carvel Earl.

## GOODINE-BRAYALL

A pretty wedding was celebrated in Saint Joseph R.C. Church, Medford, October 28, when Miss Pauline Christina Brayall, of Medford, became the bride of Eveleigh Raymond Goodine, of Cliffordvale.

The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. Father Pennaforte, who also celebrated nuptial mass.

The bride looked charming in a blue georgette dress, with hat, coat and accessories to match. The bridesmaid was Miss Verna Baker and the groomsmen were Henry Baker, of Medford.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Many beautiful gifts were received. The evening was spent at the groom's parents with a host of friends. Music was furnished.

The groom's gift to the bride was a wrist watch.

The young couple will reside in Cliffordvale and have the best wishes of many friends for life-long happiness.

## PLASTER ROCK

Nov. 14—The annual meeting of St. George's Church Senior Branch of W.A., Plaster Rock, was held at the home of Mrs. Allan Talbot. Mrs. Bernard Barr, president, was in the chair. A record attendance of members was present. Devotional exercises were led by the president. A resume of the year's work was read by Mrs. Bliss Hayward, secretary. Reports were heard from Mrs. Arthur Edgar, Dorcas secretary, and Mrs. Eber Ingraham, treasurer. All reports showed a very successful year. The treasurer reported cash received during the year was \$382.38, and expenditures \$313.27. All pledges were met as in previous years. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. John O. Everett; vice-president, Mrs. Bernard Barr; recording secretary, Miss Hattie Bowser; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. St. Clair Atkinson; treasurer, Mrs. Eber Ingraham; living message secretary, Mrs. Harry Tatlock; substitute delegate to annual meeting, Miss Hattie Bowser. Rev. W. J. Clarke gave a short address on missionary work, after which a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostess.

## Remembrance Day Observed

Services Held at Plaster Rock on Sunday, November 8, and Wednesday, November 11.

Special services were held on Sunday and Wednesday last commemorating and perpetuating the memory of those who so valiantly laid down their lives during the Great War. A special service was held in the Community hall at Plaster Rock on Sunday, November 8, at 2.30 in the afternoon. Returned men, Scouts, Girl Guides and other organizations paraded. At this service a special collection was taken and the proceeds will go toward paying off the balance of the debt outstanding against the monument. The Plaster Rock Community Band furnished sacred music on this occasion.

Then again on the morning of November 11 the Vets, Scouts, Guides, etc., met at the Community hall and formed up in line of march, proceeding to the monument, led by Plaster Rock Community Band. Upon arrival at the monument suitable exercises, conducted by the Rev. W. J. Clarke, were carried out and at 11 a. m., the Last Post was sounded and the line of march returned to the Community hall, where the gathering was dismissed.

The leaders in television, like those in radio, are almost all young men. Philo Farnsworth, Hollis S. Baird, U. A. Sanabria, Lloyd Garner, Michael Nicolson, have yet to see their thirtieth birthdays.—The preceding is an extract from a recent magazine article about the latest miracle, television. Hollis S. Baird, one of the men mentioned, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Baird, of River de Chute. He resides in Boston where he holds an important position in a radio-television engineering company.

## Working for Removal British Potato Embargo

Progress Reported by B. F. Smith, Federal Member for Carleton-Victoria.

East Florenceville, N. B., November 14, 1931.

The Victoria News,

Dear Sirs:

Knowing that the public and especially the farmers are very much interested to know just what progress is being made with the lifting of the embargo to admit Canadian potatoes into the British market, I herewith enclose copies of letters recently received from the General Foreign Agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, at Montreal, also from the Minister of Trade & Commerce.

Yours very truly,

B. F. SMITH.

Ottawa, November 10, 1931.

B. F. Smith, Esq., M.P., East Florenceville, N.B.

Dear Mr. Smith:

I have your letter of the 6th instant and in reply beg to say that both this Department and the Department of Agriculture are doing everything possible to have the embargo on potatoes lifted by the British authorities. We have informed them that there is no danger whatever of the Colorado beetle getting into shipments at this time of the year as the cold weather in Canada drives the beetles into the ground early in the Autumn, where they hibernate. We have also informed Mr. Ferguson, the High Commissioner for Canada, who has taken this matter up in England, that the Department of Agriculture here would be willing to make a special inspection of all shipments to the United Kingdom, or if desired by the British Government would arrange for fumigation of shipments. This would result in an absolute safeguard against the Colorado beetle.

We shall be glad to advise you of any further developments.

Yours sincerely,  
(Sgd.) H. H. Stevens.

Montreal, November 9, 1931.

B. F. Smith, M.P., Florenceville, N.B.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your recent call regarding the matter of United Kingdom embargo on potatoes from Canada.

In accordance with your request we have taken this matter up with T. J. Smith, our European Freight Manager in London, requesting that he cooperate with the High Commissioner's office in this regard.

I also conveyed your desires to R. J. Foreman, Traffic Manager of the Canadian National Railways, Montreal, and am now in receipt of advice from him that he had communicated with P. A. Clews in London.

Yours truly,  
(Sgd.) J. J. Morton.

General Foreign Freight Agent.

## CONTRACTS LET

Contracts for the construction of new customs houses at Grand Falls Portage and on the boundary road between Andover and Fort Fairfield, Maine, have been let, according to announcement made by B. Frank Smith, M. P., of East Florenceville.

The former will be built by C. J. Smalley and Sons, East Florenceville, and the latter by Percy Britton, of Hartland. Each building will cost between \$4,000 and \$5,000. Both are to be completed by December.

## SISSON BROOK W. I.

The Sisson Brook W.I. met on October 29. Mrs. Rollins was hostess, assisted by Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Jenkins. Meeting opened with singing of Institute Ode. Discussion of name for new Institute and above name chosen. Heroes of the Great War was chosen for roll call in November. It was decided to start a grab bag instead of lunch fee.

Programme was arranged for next meeting at Weaver. Aims and Objectives of Institute, and Loyalty to Club, read by president, Mrs. Hamilton. Social hour was spent. Seven members present and three visitors.

Hattie Flanders, Publicity Convener.