

Salt Spring Island Church Monthly

OCTOBER, 1903.

Election on the 3rd instant. Liberal candidate, Thos. W. Paterson; Conservative candidate, H. W. Bullocky. Mr. A. McLennan, Beaver Point, is making an extensive addition to his house.

Our year closes with this issue. A few subscribers are still in arrear and should please pay their subscriptions.

The Ladies' Guild met last month at Miss Pedder's. On Friday, October 2nd, it is to be at Mrs. Arthur Walter's.

Miss Hindes, formerly the matron at the Protestant Orphanage, has been engaged by Mr. Bullock as house-keeper.

The Ladies' Guild has offered to supply a new stove for St. Mark's Church, the present one being badly cracked.

An excellent pamphlet on raising and fattening poultry has just been issued by the Department of Agriculture.

The new stone creamery looks very picturesque at the foot of the long mountain road, and will soon now be in operation.

Received for CHURCH MONTHLY since September 1st: Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin, \$1; Mrs. Wright, 35c.; E. Johnson, 35c.; H. Ruckle, 70c.; H. Cunningham, 35c.; J. Shepard, 30c.; Rev. H. Payne, 50c.; N. Wilson, 40c.; Mrs. Upjohn, 35c.; Mrs. Bird, \$1; Mr. Leask, 50c.

A pretty wedding took place on the 17th ult., Miss Frances Nona Wilson being united in holy matrimony to Mr. Alfred Gerald Crofton. Rev. E. F. Wilson performed the ceremony at St. Mark's Church, and there was a gathering of some 40 or 50 friends of the bride and bridegroom in Mr. Wilson's garden afterwards. The wedding presents, which were laid out for view on tables in the drawing room, were greatly admired. The young couple will reside at Ganges Harbor.

Farmers' Institute prizes for gardens, etc., have been awarded as follows: Class 1—T. Lee, 1st; J. C. Mollet, 2nd. Class 3—Mrs. Mollet, 1st; Mrs. Wilson, 2nd. Class 4—H. Lee, 1st; T. Mansell, 2nd. Class 6—J. C. Mollet.

The Agricultural Show was on Wednesday, September 30th, too late in the month for notice in this issue. Two special prizes, \$15 first, \$10 second, were offered for the most artistically arranged dessert table for four persons, everything upon them being the absolute property of the competitor.

Look for the new advertisements in next issue.

A considerable number of deer and grouse were shot during last month; and now begin the pheasants.

Mr. Purvis has purchased a naphtha launch and is carrying freight for his own business between Salt Spring, Crofton and Ladysmith.

Mr. W. E. Scott has ten Chinamen picking his prunes. He is shipping them green this year instead of evaporating, and expects to have about 2,000 boxes.

Mrs. Staff, one of the oldest residents of Salt Spring Island, died in Vancouver, August the 22nd, aged 72. Her remains were taken to Victoria for burial.

Harvest Festival Services will be held Sunday, October 4th, St. Mark's 11 a.m.; St. Mary's, Fulford, 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. Mr. Stocker, of Elkhorn, Manitoba; the Rev. H. Payne, of Saturna Island, and Mr. C. D. Worge, of Galliano Island, paid a brief visit to Salt Spring, September 7th.

Home Sunday School classes this month as follows: Mr. Wilson's house, October 2nd, 3:30 p.m. October 10—Mr. Wakelin's, 11 a.m.; Mr. H. Rogers, 1:30 p.m.; Mr. Gardner's, 2:30 p.m.; Mr. A. R. Bittancourt's, 5 p.m. October 18, Sunday—North End School, 2:30 p.m. October 22nd—W. E. Scott's, 2:30 p.m. October 24th—Mr. J. Horel's, 12:30 p.m.; Mr. T. Lee's, 1:30 p.m.; Mr. E. Johnson's, 4 p.m. St. Mary's, 7 p.m. October 31st—Mr. A. Cartwright's, 11 a.m.

HOME SUNDAY SCHOOL—*First Class.* (See also page 290) Genesis, chapters 41, 42, 43.—(1) Which of Joseph's brothers are mentioned in these chapters? (2) Which was imprisoned, and why? (3) What made Pharaoh send for Joseph? (4) What is there to show that Joseph feared God? (5) How did Pharaoh reward Joseph? (6) What great work did Joseph accomplish? (7) What dream of Joseph came true? (8) Did Benjamin go into Egypt? (9) Who offered to take care of him? (10) Who were the Hebrews? *Second Class*—(11) What was Pharaoh's first dream? (12) What was his second dream? (13) What did these dreams mean? (14) What did the chief butler say to Pharaoh? (15) What did Joseph say to Pharaoh? (16) How far did the famine extend? (17) Who came to Egypt to buy corn? (18) Did Joseph and his brothers know each other? (19) What did Joseph order them to do? (20) Did they obey him?