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St. Valentine's Night
The Miramichi Hospital Aid will hold a

Bean Supper and Sing Song

—ON—

St. Valentine's Night, Tues. Feb. 14

—IN—

St. James' Hall, Supper from 5 to 7 p.m.

The Sing-Song will be given during the Bean Supper and all the necessary requisites will be provided. Every-one is cordially invited to attend and thus assist this worthy institution. Admission 50 Cents!

.A Precious Trophy

Val des Bois, about 35 miles from Buckingham, in Quebec Province, is a celebrated fishing, hunting, and trapping district. Mr. J. A. Larivee, White Deer Lodge, Val des Bois, has tall had the distinction of shooting a remarkable full grown white deer. Now this deer escaped detection, and consequent killing such a long time, while living within rifle range of habitations is hard to understand. He lived on the highest mountain at Val des Bois. A natural background of white birch undoubtedly made him invisible to the hunter who could not get close to him. Once snow fell, his worries were over as he must have become practically invisible on account of his snow-white color. Not a black or colored hair could be found on his body, even the eyes, muzzle and hoofs being either white or pink. Mr. Larivee first saw the deer as a strange or new white patch on the side of the mountain. Upon examination through field glasses he perceived that it was a white deer. He had seen two specimens before, mounted by the owners, and his joy can easily be imagined. He spent about fifteen minutes planning the stalk and studying the mountain in front of him across Green Lake. Mr. Larivee proceeds to tell his story:

"The mountain was negotiated by a chimney or V shaped indentation which I climbed by holding on to shrubby cracks, and small projections of rock, by hand and feet (my rifle—A.22 H.P. Savage, lever action being slung over my back). Reaching the top after an hour and a quarter climb, I made a wide circle and came back to the edge. I could see the deer laying down amongst the white birch trees, a tangled branchy mass that I knew the small bore rifle was incapable of penetrating, as I decided on again circling. This time I came out at a point where I could not see him, while there was a sheer drop of several hundred feet to be overcome to get within range, shooting distance. It took me two more hours to accomplish this, naturally, special care having to be taken not to start bushes rolling, the dried leaves and small branches covering the snow much in evidence. I finally



Head of the white deer shot at Val des Bois, Quebec

...the last two hundred feet to the peak. He was very large; 14 points in the velvet and weighed 301 lbs. dressed. I was tired and wet, but happy after I got him in the boat. It took me four hours of hard and careful stalking, but he was worth it. Three hours later, after securing help, the deer was hung up in my shack about half a mile from where I shot him, the last portage being done by the light of my electric torch over a mountain.

SMITH DECLARES HE WAS ALARMED

Sudden Turn for the Worst Served as Warning to This Winnipeg Man

"My advice to anybody with stomach trouble is to take Tanlac. I have cried dieting, medicine and everything else but Tanlac is the only thing that ever helped me," said A. W. Smith, a well-known tailor, residing at 371 Arlington St., Winnipeg Man.

"I had a chronic case of stomach trouble that had been giving me constant bother for two years or more. I had to be particular about what I ate and there were many things I couldn't touch. At times I turned almost deathly sick and would have the worst sort of pains in my stomach. I was subject to awful headaches that made me nervous and restless and I got to where I would lie awake in bed for hours hardly able to get any sleep at all. A few weeks ago I took a turn for the worse and that scared me and I took it as a warning.

"So I started on Tanlac as I had heard a lot about it and had been thinking of trying it. And it just hit the spot and I felt an immediate relief. I stuck right with Tanlac then and now I can't tell I ever had stomach trouble. My appetite is first class and nothing I eat hurts me. The fact is, I feel great and consider Tanlac in a class all by itself."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

HORSE SHOT

Chief of Police Ashford was telephoned to yesterday morning, and advised that a horse was seriously hurt on the King's Highway opposite the County Court House. The Chief accompanied by Vet. Surgeon Ross examined the animal and found that one of its shoulders was broken, and it was necessary to shoot the beast to relieve its agonies. The horse was owned by Mr. Ernest Godfrey of Ferry Road.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Howard Williston is visiting friends in Amherst.

Mrs. L.H. MacLean left today for a visit to Philadelphia

Mr. George Murray of York County is in town renewing old acquaintances

S. J. Simpson of Blackville was in St. John last Friday and registered at the Royal.

Mr. A. J. Gremley returned to Amherst on Saturday after spending two weeks in town

Rev. L. H. MacLean attended the Bible Society meeting held in Moncton this week.

Friends of Mrs. James Miller will regret to hear that she is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. F.M. Higgins of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives at Maple Glen and Newcastle.

Hon. J. P. Burchill of Nelson was registered at the Royal Hotel, St. John, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Creaghan were registered at the Royal Hotel, St. John, N.B. last week

Miss Gertrude Rice, who was visiting Miss Laura Williston returned last week to her home in Bathurst.

Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Goodwin were visitors to St. John last week attending the S A Council meetings held in that city.

Miss Duffy of Boiestown was the guest last week of Mrs. B. F. Malby

Mrs. Waldo Crocker entertained at a very pleasant bridge party at her home Tuesday evening.

VIA "NATIONAL" RAILWAYS TO OTTAWA CARNIVAL

Many Visitors Expected to Gather at the Dominion Capital Next Week.

There will be many visitors to Ottawa during the week from January 28th to February 4th, when the Canadian National Winter Carnival will be held.

All the essential and enjoyable features of a Canadian winter will be provided. There will be curling bonspiels, tobogganing, skiing, hockey, etc. Ottawa will be en fete, evercoming the icy grip of winter with a warm smile of welcome.

The way to Ottawa from all Maritime Province points is via Canadian National Railways. The finest of train service is afforded via the "Maritime Express" and "Ocean Limited" to Montreal. From Montreal the best of service is provided by both Canadian National and Grand Trunk trains, and tickets purchased on either railway will be honored between these points.

Travelling "National" the passenger enjoys the comfort of the best equipment of all steel cars, the finest of sleepers, the best of dining car service.

For further particulars apply to nearest Canadian National Ticket Office, or write General Passenger Department, Moncton, N. B.

Winter Weather Hard on Little Ones

Our Canadian winters are exceedingly hard on the health of little ones. The weather is often so severe that the mother cannot take the little ones out for an airing. The consequence is that baby is confined to overheated badly ventilated rooms; takes cold and becomes cross and peevish. Baby's Own Tablets should be given to keep the little ones healthy. They are a mild laxative which regulate the stomach and bowels and thus prevent colds. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WILL TRY FOX FARMING

ANIMALS TAKEN OVER TO ENGLAND FROM CANADA.

Experts Believe That the Ranches Will Succeed in the Old Land as Well as in the Dominion—Fortunes Have Been Made Very Rapidly Here by Men Who Started the Industry.

An interesting experiment, which is expected to lead to the establishment in the British Isles of an important new industry, has just been begun in East Ross-shire, Scotland. A number of silver foxes have been taken over from Canada to form a nucleus of a farm devoted solely to the breeding and rearing of these valuable animals.

Unlike most experiments, this one will not be regarded entirely with indifference by the majority of people. The woman who hitherto has been preoccupied with buying silver fox furs on account of their high price will be keenly interested.

The capitalist who is always on the look-out for new investments will watch the venture with a favorable eye. The experiment's greatest claim to attention lies in the fact that it is likely to be successful. Experts say that there is no reason why Scotland and certain parts of England should not have their fox farms, just as they have their dairy, fruit, and poultry farms.

For the stock they look to Canada, where within the last seven years or so fur farms have become an industry of great importance. This is proved by the recently-published official figures, which show that there are no fewer than four hundred and thirty of these farms in this country. The value of the land, buildings, and stock on these fox farms exceeds \$5,000,000. Every year thousands of foxes are born in captivity, while many thousands are killed. In the first days of the industry investments yielded dividends of 1,000 per cent. Since then the returns have naturally declined, but even so the profits are enormous, and big fortunes are being made.

One fox farmer in Canada has made \$90,000 clear profit in five years. He started with a capital of not quite \$500. Prince Edward Island, where there are over two hundred of these farms, can boast many romances like this.

Fox-farming, however, is not a game for the novice to play. Foxes are fickle creatures. To rear them in close confinement you need to understand them thoroughly. Mother foxes are extraordinarily timid; they will frequently carry their young in their mouths for days, depositing them first in one place and then in another, until the little ones die of exposure and exhaustion.

For this reason the fox farmer must keep a strict watch on his charges. Keepers often have to sit up for nights on end during the breeding season in order to protect the young from the restlessness of the mothers. The actual breeding of the animals, it is to be noted, is attended with few difficulties; it is the rearing that occasions most anxiety.

What are the foxes fed on? Their diet is a varied one, ranging from mice to birds, and from insects to wild berries. Meat is given in considerable quantities, together with table scraps, dog biscuits, and milk. The danger lies not so much in the kind of food given as in the amount. The fox is a prodigious eater.

The silver fox in captivity is inclined to be treacherous towards its owner or keeper. A fox rancher in Nova Scotia not long ago lost his left hand through being bitten by one of his animals. They do not like being handled. Often they will fight among themselves, the strong ones combining to stamp out the weak. A fight in a pen of silver foxes frequently means the loss, in a single day, of a number of hundreds of dollars' worth of animals and fur.

Fox farmers have one great enemy to guard against—the fox poacher. This individual goes to work in an original fashion. Instead of stealing a fox straight from the pen—a difficult matter—he contrives to release, generally at night, one or two of the animals, and then shoots them when they reach the open. In doing this, he is fairly safe, as it is naturally not easy to prove the ownership of an escaped fox in a country where wild foxes are fairly numerous.

An instance of this, and of the amusing manner in which the thief was discovered, is given in the following true story:

A fox rancher recognized a fine pelt in a Hudson Bay Company store as being that of a fox which had mysteriously disappeared from his farm some time before. He communicated his suspicions to the storekeeper, at the same time inquiring the source from which the company had obtained the pelt. In the interests of common honesty the storekeeper agreed to co-operate in a scheme to trap the thief.

A live fox was secured and placed in the drawer where the pelts were usually kept. The suspected person—a ne'er-do-well trapper—was then sent for. He arrived on the scene, fuddled with drink. The storekeeper then explained that a remarkable thing had happened. The pelt which the trapper had sold him, he said, had disappeared, and a live fox had taken its place. It looked as if the skin had come to life!

Completely bewildered, the superstitious trapper went to the drawer. Opening it and seeing a wide-open jaw and two eyes flashing at him from the darkness, he rushed yelling out of the store. The local parson happened to be passing, and to him the terror-stricken man at once confessed his guilt.

Until 1655 farthings were made of silver.

VALENTINE

Tea, Food and Fancy Work Sale

The Junior Girls of St. James' Church will hold a Valentine Tea Food and Fancy Work Sale in the

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