

VALLEY FARMERS GET GOOD PRICES

Business Through Cornwallis and Annapolis Valleys is Encouraging—Some Statistics

KENTVILLE, N. S., Dec. 2.—The business features of the Cornwallis and Annapolis Valleys during the present season have been excellent. This is due to the fact that good prices have been obtained for what the farmers had to sell. Probably no where else on this continent has the apple crop been so excellent in quantity and quality, and with a shortage elsewhere better prices have ruled than any previous season, with still better prospects for the winter fruit. It is confidently expected that from 500,000 to 600,000 barrels will be shipped before the close of the season.

The potatoes are also proving good, and already the following vessels have sailed with cargoes for Havana, Cuba: This port takes all of the Valley potatoes. Schooner Adonis, 4,100 barrels; sch. Zeta, 4,776 barrels; sch. Hugh G. 5,600 barrels; sch. Roscoe, 3,764 barrels; sch. Hartney W., 3,737 barrels; sch. Margaret G., 3,803 barrels.

Of the above vessels W. U. Chase & Co. of Wolfville, N. S., shipped four cargoes; J. W. & W. T. Fullerton, Portland, shipped one cargo, and Howard Bligh & Sons, Halifax, shipped one cargo. Other vessels are now loading for the same port.

Prices here, as elsewhere, are ruling high for everything a person has to buy. Hay has reached the abnormal figure of \$20 a ton, and oats 75 cents per bushel. There is a great scarcity of butter and eggs in the valley, and the residents of the towns at times have difficulty in obtaining these articles. Milk has also advanced in price. Fuel is also high priced and with difficulty to obtain.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway is increasing its rolling stock. A large quantity of steel rails has recently been imported from Great Britain. One large locomotive has been imported from the United States, and others are on the way.

Men of the company from England, recently arrived and inspected the road. He was accompanied by R. L. Campbell, the secretary of the road.

PAULKNER-BAIRD. At very pretty wedding took place Tuesday evening, Nov. 12th, some of the bride's mother, Mrs. Baird, Upland, King Co., when road daughter, Annie M., was in marriage to Vinton Z. Faulkner of Hammond, Ind. The ceremony performed by the Rev. Robert of Norton, K. C.

INDSOR LADY'S APPEAL. All Women: I will send free with instructions, my home treatment positively cures Leucorrhoea, Ulcers, Displacements, Falling of the Uterus, Painful or Irregular Periods, and Ovarian Tumors or growths. Flushes and Nervousness, Headache, Pain in the Head, Back, Kidney and Bladder troubles caused by weakness peculiar to sex. You can continue treatment at a cost of only about 10 cents. My book, "Woman's Own Mediator," also sent free on request. Today, Address: Mrs. M. Sum-Box H. 73, Windsor, Ont.

JACKSONVILLE, N. B., Dec. 2.—Albert London was struck from his sledge wagon on Friday last, one of the wheels passing over his body, fracturing three ribs. The injuries about the head and face are quite serious. The injured man is confined to his bed, and is being treated by Dr. Frost, of Woodstock, in attendance.

Rev. Mr. Higgins, returned Baptist missionary from India, gave a most interesting and instructive lecture on "The Work among the Gaijans," on Friday evening last in the United Baptist Church here. The speaker enforced his remarks by the means of stereoscopic views and made a marked impression upon the large audience. A splendid collection was taken.

George Everett leaves today for Coos Bay, Oregon, where his father-in-law, Amos Kinney has acquired considerable wealth through land investments. Mr. Everett will spend some time in the west and may move there if everything is favorable. George Mallory will accompany him and will spend the winter with his son in Portland, Oregon.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 2.—The Cunard steamer Lusitania left at 9:45 this morning for New York.

The "Favorite" is the Churn for a Woman. No more tired arms—no more aching backs.

The "Favorite" can be operated by hand or foot, or both—while you are sitting in a chair. Easier than a sewing machine. Steel roller bearings and other improvements make it the ideal churn for farm and dairy. 8 sizes, to churn from 1 to 30 gallons of cream.

"Puritan" Reacting Washing Machine. Improved Roller Gear—covered—are only two of its many improvements. Beautifully finished in Oak, Royal Blue or White Enamel. Aluminum. Write for booklet about these universal favorites, if your dealer does not handle them.

DAVID MAXWELL & SONS, St. Mary's, Ont.

WHOLESALE LIQUORS. WM. L. WILLIAMS, Successor to M. A. Finn, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 119 and 121 Prince William St. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

CANADIANS ALL COMING BACK

Out of Work as Result of Mills Shutting Down—Savings Bank Affairs

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—As a result of the shutting down of numerous New England factories many Canadians temporarily out of work are going to Canada. Many of them will probably remain all winter, or until the industrial situation is more promising. Those chiefly affected by the curtailment were employed in shoe, clothing, millinery, carpet factories and machine shops. Textile mills, which employed about 385,000, have not stopped much of the machinery. Should they do so, it is probable there will be a much larger exodus, especially to Quebec.

The First Cent Savings Bank of this city gives notice that among deposits which have been unclaimed for twenty or more years is one of \$120.00, standing in the name of Mary Ann Davidson of Halifax, N. S. Another for \$49 is carried under the name of Mary and Hurley, New Brunswick. The local banks have about \$600,000 which has not been claimed by depositors for twenty years or more. In some cases forty years has elapsed since the deposits were made heard from. After the course of legal procedure the money becomes the property of the state, unless heirs of the depositors prove their claim.

James Sweeney of Admiral Rock, Hants Co., N. S., is advertising in Boston papers for his half-sister, Johanna Sweeney, daughter of John and Mary Sweeney, formerly of Boston. James Sweeney left Boston forty years ago, going to Nova Scotia. It is learned that his half-sister, whom he is anxious to locate, died in Roxbury five years ago.

In the Middlesex County superior court, Mrs. Elizabeth Grant of Somerset is a petitioner for a divorce from James Grant of Baldwin, Me., on the ground of neglect and ill-treatment. The grants were married at Newcastle, N. B., in 1873.

In the Middlesex County court, Albert McCullough asks for a divorce from Caroline McCulloch. They were united at Walton, Hants County, N. S., in 1885. Desertion is alleged.

LA GRIFFE COMING AGAIN. Europe is now in its grasp, and in a short time America will be overrun with this awful epidemic. Get ready, use preventive measures. Build up a surplus of vigor by Ferronox, and inhale Catarrhoxon three times each day. It kills and destroys the grippox germ like Catarrhoxon. It cures the cold, breaks up the fever, relieves the headache and destroys every vestige of catarrh and sore throat. For Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough, and all colds, it is the best. Sold by all dealers, 25c and 50c.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 2.—Frederick Scotchman honored the memory of St. Andrew this evening by a grand smoker concert held at the Knights of Pythias hall, at which 200 were present, including members of the society and their guests. J. D. McKay, president of St. Andrew's Society, occupied the chair, and all entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion. The evening was a most successful one. The program included selections by Hanson's orchestra, vocal solos, readings, chorus, instrumental selections, etc. Major Gordon of St. John, who was dressed in Highland costume, played the bagpipes, which he extended the achievements of Scotchmen in the motherland and all parts of the world and was heartily applauded. An impromptu musical programme was carried out including selections by Hanson's orchestra, vocal solos, readings, chorus, instrumental selections, etc. Major Gordon of St. John, who was dressed in Highland costume, played the bagpipes, which he extended the achievements of Scotchmen in the motherland and all parts of the world and was heartily applauded. An impromptu musical programme was carried out including selections by Hanson's orchestra, vocal solos, readings, chorus, instrumental selections, etc. Major Gordon of St. John, who was dressed in Highland costume, played the bagpipes, which he extended the achievements of Scotchmen in the motherland and all parts of the world and was heartily applauded.

LANCASTER LIBERALS IN FIGHTING TRIM. Delegates Elected to County Convention at Great Meeting Last Night.

The Liberal electors of the parish of Lancaster met in Orange Hall, Fairville, last night to elect delegates to the county convention of the government party. The meeting was largely attended and the enthusiasm shown was unusual. The program included selections by Hanson's orchestra, vocal solos, readings, chorus, instrumental selections, etc. Major Gordon of St. John, who was dressed in Highland costume, played the bagpipes, which he extended the achievements of Scotchmen in the motherland and all parts of the world and was heartily applauded.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 2.—The first heavy snowstorm set in here at an early hour this morning and has continued off and on ever since. Fully six inches of the beautiful has fallen and Fredericton has every appearance of winter. The river is almost completely frozen and nothing but a soft sledge can open it up.

Invitations have been received here for the wedding of Miss Margaret Allen, daughter of the late John Allen, to Mr. Smith, of the Capital. The bride elect is a niece of T. C. Allen, of this city, and a sister of Mrs. A. R. Westmore.

MONCTON, Dec. 2.—A young lad named Leaman had his leg broken this morning through being run over by a snow-plow.

Moncton is in the grip of the worst storm of the season. Snow started falling early this morning accompanied by a gale, several inches of snow falling. Storm has been generally from the T. C. E., but not sufficiently bad to block trains.

Henry Cormier, a Moncton liquor dealer, went to jail at Dorchester this morning.

ROCKLAND, Me., Dec. 1.—While skating near West-Rockport today, Dennis Jones, aged 18 years, went through the thin ice and was drowned before help could reach him. Late today the body had not been recovered. He was the son of Albert Jones.

LITTLE CURRENT, Dec. 30.—A \$70,000 fire at Little Current, Manitoulin, destroyed MacArthur's office, the post-office, Caruther's drug store, McKie's and Perry's poolroom, Powell's hardware, Turner & Vincent's general store, Currie's drug store, Menou's general store and King Bros.' hardware store.

SALISBURY WOMAN DROWNED IN WELL; SOME MYSTERY SURROUNDS HER DEATH

SALISBURY, Dec. 2.—In a spring of well water, five feet deep, Mrs. C. A. Horseman was drowned Sunday afternoon in the yard of her home at Lewis Mountain, near Salisbury. She was 35 years of age and was well known throughout the district in which she resided. There are all sorts of sensational rumors about in Salisbury and vicinity respecting the lamentable occurrence, but they cannot be settled until the coroner's inquest tomorrow.



MAY VOYE AT THE HEIGHT OF HER CAREER. This picture of the woman who was once Lady Francis Hope shows her wearing the Hope diamonds. She was later the wife of Captain Putnam Bradley Strong. The actress has now, at fair and forty, started down the theatrical ladder.

finally arrived, and they were able to draw out the woman, who was still alive, and carry her into the house. Fifteen minutes after being carried into the house the woman expired.

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Margaret, who teaches at Providence, N. B., has been called home.

Mr. Fred Reid of Sackville, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McGregor, returned home yesterday.

John McGregor left Saturday for Rimford Falls, Me. Geo. H. Call is visiting friends in Harcourt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Irving of West-branch have moved to Rexton. Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of West-branch have moved to Rexton.

Capt. Alex. McDonald has sold his schooner May Flower to Mr. McLeod of Bellefleur, N. B.

Herbert Irving and Miss Florence Ross of Buctouche visited here Sunday.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—The annual meeting of the York Agricultural Society, No. 44, was held this afternoon at the City Council chambers. There was a good attendance.

President J. A. Campbell occupied the chair and W. S. Hooper acted as secretary. A statement of the recent exhibition was laid before the meeting.

The treasurer's report showed that there was a balance on hand in the bank of \$38.90. The total receipts of the exhibition amounted to \$10,250.40, of which amount \$2,861.50 was in premiums, against \$4,488 paid in 1905.

The secretary submitted a comparative statement of receipts from the year 1901. From the latter year to 1907 they had increased from \$1,006.26 to \$5,661. The receipts from entry fees increased from \$127.25 to \$537.

The association had a balance on hand of \$600 when the exhibition was closed. They have paid out of all funds \$900 in an equity suit and some \$1,600 for permanent improvements, making the net profit of the fair about \$1,400.

A committee of three was appointed to draw up new by-laws and also a committee of three to go over the report and make a comparative statement with years, making into account the different expenses and recommending where money might be saved in certain departments and used to better advantage in others.

The meeting adjourned until the second Monday in December, when the reports of the two committees will be received and acted upon. Before the regular meeting took place a session of the executive was held, when several matters in detail were discussed at length.

Among the matters brought forward was an objection made by J. S. Nell on ground of exhibition awarding prizes to the exhibitors on horses. The objection was sustained, and it was decided not to award these prizes in future.

A letter was read from the John Fairbairn Company, offering to lease the electric dynamo now installed at the exhibition. The executive refused to entertain the request.

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Nov. 28.—The death of E. W. Lewis, principal of the high school, occurred this afternoon in the Victoria Hospital, Montreal, where he went on Wednesday to undergo an operation for peritonitis.

Mr. Lewis taught school in this county for many years, and was well known throughout the district in which he resided. There are all sorts of sensational rumors about in Salisbury and vicinity respecting the lamentable occurrence, but they cannot be settled until the coroner's inquest tomorrow.

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AMHERST, Nov. 27.—Owing to the illness of his honor Lieut. Gov. Tweedie, he will be unable to attend the opening of the Maritime Winter Fair. His many friends all over the Maritime Provinces will learn of this with deep regret, and hope for a speedy recovery.

His honor Lieut. Gov. McKinnon of P. E. I. has very kindly accepted the invitation of the management and will deliver an opening address on the evening of Monday, Dec. 2nd.

GIBSON, N. B., Nov. 27.—The many friends of Rev. J. C. Bertie of Gibson regret to hear that he has not been at all well from over-work. Rev. A. Strout of St. Mary's kindly assisted Mr. Bertie by preaching for him at Nashwaatun on Sunday morning. Rev. W. B. Thomas of Marysville occupied the Methodist pulpit of Gibson in the evening, taking for his text John 12th, 24th: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone, but if it die it bringeth forth much fruit."

The choir rendered excellent music. Miss Matthews presided at the organ. Notwithstanding the terrible storm of last night some from Gibson attended the lecture delivered in the Methodist Church, Fredericton, last evening by Mrs. Stott, representing the organization of the Maritime Provinces. Her hearers were spell-bound with her very interesting account of her work there.

Mrs. Stott is guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Kilburn during her stay in this part of the province. She is a member of the Church of England.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Roy Shaw took place this afternoon at two o'clock from Senator Thompson's residence, Esplanade street. Services were conducted at the house by Rev. J. W. McConnell, assisted by Rev. J. C. Bertie of Gibson. There was a very large attendance and the home country church was overflowing and very beautiful. Interment took place at the rural cemetery.

The Rev. C. F. Boyer of Gibson united in marriage C. Burnett of Millville and Miss Janie Staples last evening. The party wound up with an old-time charivari. The happy couple, followed by the best wishes of their friends, left for Millville, where they will reside.

JACKSONVILLE, N. B., Nov. 29.—A very interesting programme was given by the ladies of the Methodist Auxiliary at the home of Mrs. Arch Plover on the occasion of their November meeting. There was a splendid attendance and a large collection. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Frank Slipp left for Clifton, Alberta, on Thursday last, where she will join her husband, who left several days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Slipp have been prominent in the church for some years and always a leader in musical circles. They will both be greatly missed.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harper gave a Mr. and Mrs. Tuesday evening last in honor of Mrs. Slipp, Mr. Harper's sister.

Miss Hazel Tilley is visiting friends in Lindsay and Brookfield.

George Sharkey, who fell while skating on Payson's Lake last week, severely cutting his head, is recovering. Harry Havens spent some time in Oakville recently on Sunday school work.

LONG REACH, K. C., Nov. 27.—The Ys of Gray's Mills held a public entertainment in the Orange Hall, last evening, Nov. 25th. Mrs. Minnie Gorman, president of the Ys, called the meeting to order, and after a few introductory remarks, introduced Mrs. Nellie M. Gray of Fairville, provincial president of the W. C. T. U., who gave a very interesting and profitable address on the working of the W. C. T. U., also the Ys.

HARTLAND, Nov. 28.—Charles Hall, a farmer living about a mile above the village, committed suicide at an early hour this morning by cutting his throat with a razor. He rose before the hour with his head aimed severally from his body. Dr. Curtis was immediately summoned but life was extinct before he arrived. Deceased who was about 60 years of age was well known and highly respected and leaves a large family. A short time ago he suffered a partial paralytic stroke and since that his mind had been somewhat deranged.

WATERSIDE, Nov. 28.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Harbour was brightened recently by the arrival of a baby boy. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Martin are also rejoicing over the advent of a young son.

Sherman Martin of Egan was here on Sunday, attending the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. G. R. Martin. Schooner Pandosia, Capt. Carter, arrived yesterday from St. John.

HILLEBORO, Nov. 28.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gullford Steves, Weldon, was the scene of a happy event on the 23rd inst., the occasion being the marriage of Miss Myrtle Copeland (daughter of Mrs. Steves) to Edward Forest of Amherst. Rev. Z. L. Fash performed the ceremony.

Luther Steves, an employe of the Albert Mfg. Co., met with a serious accident. He was riding on horseback when the horse was frightened by a passing train, and becoming unmanageable threw himself and rider, as a result of which Mr. Steves sustained a fracture of his right leg.

Roy K. Steeves has returned from Redvers, Sask. Mrs. Samuel Marshall of Fredericton, N. B., has been attending to Surrey on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Cameron.

The annual public meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held in the Methodist church last evening and was an unqualified success. An excellent programme was rendered. Mrs. Lawson, the president of the society, occupied the chair and gave an interesting address on the "Aims and Object of the Auxiliary. The sister societies of the other churches of the town were represented. Mrs. (Dr.) Lewis spoke on behalf of the First Baptist church. Mrs. Montiel, Valley Baptist church, and Mrs. Steeves represented the Episcopal auxiliary. An address by Mrs. C. J. Osman was much appreciated. Mrs. J. P. Beatty gave an interesting account of Branch meeting at Charlottetown. Special music was furnished by the Methodist choir. Miss Burgess of Boston rendered a vocal solo very acceptably. An essay by Mrs. Evelyn Bonnett, was well received. A generous collection was taken in aid of missions.

DRYTOWN, Cal., Dec. 2.—The fire in the Fremont mine is under control, and since noon today renewed efforts of the management, have been put forth to reach levels above the fire with the hope that the eleven entombed miners may be rescued.

KARL STRUHE, Dec. 2.—The death sentence passed upon Karl Hau for the murder of his mother-in-law, Frau Molitor, has been commuted to life imprisonment.