

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., March 23.—Charles Miller of Canning has purchased the farm of the late John Baxter at Baxter's Harbor for \$1,500.

The death of Mrs. Joseph Green occurred on Monday last at her home in Randville. The deceased died of cancer of the stomach and was a great sufferer for some weeks. She leaves a husband and a large number of children.

A new telephone office is being built near the pharmacy at Canning. The recent death of Lieut. Beverly Webster, son of Barclay Webster of Kentville, which recently occurred in England, has cast a gloom over his friends in Cornwallis, and most notably over his comrades of the 58th Battalion, by whom he was universally beloved. It is a noteworthy fact that the only two officers who went from Kings Co. to fight in the war in South Africa, who have met, their death in so doing, have been only sons of prominent men. We refer to the death of late Lieut. Harold Borden.

Vernon Griffin of Greenwich has sold his farm to W. Archibald of Wolfville, who intends setting out the entire farm of one hundred acres in fruit trees.

The Mr. Griffin referred to above has bought a farm at Port Williams from Phillip Brown.

Mrs. Albert Francey, wife of the proprietor of Lyons' hotel at Kentville, died last Saturday evening. She leaves a husband and several children.

William Smith of Kentville has purchased the estate of the late George Masters at that place.

Mrs. Marlene Davison died at Gasperaux on Thursday.

PARRSBORO, N. S., April 1.—Sohns Levuka and Hattie McKay arrived here last Friday from St. John with full cargoes of freight for Parrsboro merchants.

The annual meeting of the parishioners of St. George's parish was held yesterday afternoon, and the wardens and vestrymen for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Wardens, T. E. Harrison and George H. Boyer; vestrymen, Capt. N. C. Nordby, T. C. Chalmers, Joseph Curran, James Roberts, Horace Lesley, W. K. Gilbert, E. Woodworth, George Upham, Robert Alkman, M. Gullied, S. Hunston, Capt. Thomas Salter.

(The schs. Swankhida, Grace Darling and Nellie Carter are loading piling at Five Islands.

Miss Bessie Upham starts this morning for St. Stephen to visit her brother.

A fairly sale is to be held in Grace Methodist church this afternoon and evening.

HE WAS DROWNED. (Sackville Post, Tuesday.)

James Wood of this town received a telegram Saturday informing him of the tragic death of his brother, Clarence at Melrose, Mass. A week or so ago the deceased was missed from his home in this city, and although a search was at once instituted nothing was heard of him until Saturday, when his body was discovered a short distance from the town. He had been drowned. Mr. Wood left yesterday for Melrose to arrange about his brother's affairs. The deceased was about 30 years of age and unmarried.

HOLIDAYS GALORE. (Belleville Intelligencer.)

The King's birthday is to be celebrated on May 30, instead of in November. Canadians will have holidays aplenty this summer, counting Victoria Day, the King's Birthday, Coronation Day and Dominion Day. They may, in fact, come a little too fast for the comfort of the merchants.

William Leslie of Kingston, Ont., who floated steamer Scottish King at Newfoundland, and took her to England last year, is at Yarmouth, N. S., with a view of contracting to float the steamer Mira, on Chaboque Point.

NO PROHIBITION.

Manitoba Went Back on Its Record Yesterday.

Temperance People Did Not Rally to the Pole, While the Antis Put in Great Work.

WINNIPEG, April 2.—The referendum on the Manitoba liquor act was decisively defeated today. The majority in the city of Winnipeg is 3,568 out of a total of 8,418 votes cast. Figures for the province received up to midnight, exclusive of the city, were 7,341 for and 10,463 against. There are still several polls to be taken, which, it is thought, will slightly decrease the anti-prohibitionist majority. The vote is an agreeable surprise to the anti-prohibitionists, who hardly expected to poll such a large majority. The act will likely be defeated with a majority of over 5,000. Taken all in all, the country places were fairly divided on the question, some places being tie. As regards this city no other result was expected. The total vote will not be known for two or three days owing to the condition of the country roads.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

WINNIPEG, April 2.—It is evident that the prohibition referendum vote will be quite close. Returns from 115 polls so far received show a vote against prohibition of 1,287 majority. Towns and thickly populated districts are voting against prohibition and the country districts for it. Most of the returns so far in are from the towns and it is expected the majority will be greatly reduced or wiped out.

Special from Norwich, Ont.

The recovery of Mr. Norman Batty, Hardware Merchant, one of Norwich's oldest and most successful citizens, has excited much comment. For years Mr. Batty has been an unceasing sufferer from Catarrhal Asthma and although no end of time and money was spent relief was not obtained until Mr. Batty commenced Catarrhose treatment, which perfectly cured him. This case is only equalled by that of Mrs. Bannan, wife of J. J. Bannan, Druggist, who was also cured of Asthma and Hay Fever by Catarrhose after thirty years' suffering. Fully a hundred persons in this town have been cured of Catarrhal troubles by Catarrhose, which is a remarkable proof of its value. Two months' treatment, price \$1. Small size 25c. Sold by all Druggists or by mail from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

THE RAGE FOR PING-PONG IN ENGLAND. (Christian Intelligencer.)

In England the delirium over the new game of ping-pong has attained such a pitch as to call for episcopal censure. In a certain Essex village, for a year past every Wednesday afternoon there has been a special service of prayer in the church for the soldiers in the field. Last week, so the story goes, a would-be worshipper found the doors closed at the time of service. Her enquiry was met by the exclamation: "Oh, we ain't got no prayers this afternoon. Miss. Why, don't you know, it is the opening day of the Ping-Pong Club."

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Baby's Own TABLETS

The baby who is always plump, always has a good appetite, always has a clear eye and a rosy cheek and is always active and playful is the choicest treasure this life affords. The medicine which keeps babies in such a condition or which restores them to it when they are ill is certainly a priceless boon to humanity. There are many medicines which produce sleep but their action upon the child is similar to that which whiskey or opium has upon a full grown man. They deaden and stupefy and are the most injurious thing which can be given to children. The only safe course is to use Nature's own remedies. Nature has provided a vegetable cure for every ill and her remedies for children's disorders are found scientifically compounded in Dr. Williams' prescription, Baby's Own Tablets.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

To Correspondents—Write on one side of the paper only. Send your name, not necessarily for publication, with your communication. The Sun does not undertake to return rejected manuscripts. All unsigned communications are promptly consigned to the waste basket.

QUEENS COUNTY MATTERS.

To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir—The editor of the Queens County Gazette has during the last few weeks been indulging himself by casting aspersions at the county council and at its members, especially at me. As I have taken no notice of it, a friend of mine asked me a short time ago why I did not reply to Mr. Stewart's editorials and also to the letters of some of his correspondents.

To these good people and all others rather too busy to say that I am replying to unjust and untrue statements and insinuations.

"Rambler," who is not man enough to sign his name, wants to know about \$1,100 of a surplus that the editor talks about. In reply to this I beg to state that there was not a cent of \$1,100 in the contingent fund of the county, and if parties wish to know how the public money has been used during the last two years I would advise them not to take Mr. Stewart for their authority, but to read the audit report for 1920 and distributed.

The proprietor of the Gazette has made some rather sweeping statements, but if my liberal friends will take the trouble to look they will find that the Gazette can not show how the public money has been squandered. If making general insinuations of the sort that Mr. Stewart has been indulging in is considered smart, then he is a very clever man, and those who take stock in what he writes are on a par with him.

Last summer Mr. Stewart told the people that my audit of the school accounts was wrong, and then he told them that I was a teller of falsehoods. I challenged him to prove these statements, but he could not, and had to shut up. And yet, Mr. Editor, people will, in spite of this evidence, listen to a man who practices a lot of nonsense and who thinks nothing of libelling his fellow citizens. Of course it is the easiest thing in the world to make false statements, and any one of the same calibre as our dear friend the Gazette can do so remarkably well, that it is not surprising that the dark and unclean insinuations that they cannot prove.

Now there must be a reason for this unusual outburst of literary work on the part of the Gazette. I do not say that it is because the printing of the audit report was given to another party, although it looks remarkably like it, and I also have a very strong impression that of late the Gazette has given up its efforts to become some day a newspaper and has fallen to the rank of being part of a political machine; and have noticed that when food for this machine gets scarce a grii boss takes our friend for a walk and shows him the destruction with which Providence has seen fit to visit our roads and bridges and says to him: "Here is food for the machine; the taxes are responsible for this. Now this is only my impression and I may be wrong, and the Gazette is only catering to the grii sentiment of the county. But the people will be able to judge of this when Mr. Stewart proves or fails to prove some of the things he has taken in hand."

It is a sad sight to see a man being made a tool of.

Some time ago Mr. Stewart stated that the county accounts were muddled. Now I say they are not muddled. Who will you believe? If the accounts were muddled the people should know of it, and how a man towards satisfying the public I hereby challenge Mr. Stewart to prove that the accounts or the finances are in the least disorder. If Mr. Stewart will put a good accountant on the books and find his accounts muddled, I will agree to pay the accountant and also to pay Mr. Stewart \$100, provided that if the accountant does not find the books muddled, then Mr. Stewart to pay the cost and to pay me \$100. This

is a good, fair proposition, and I challenge Mr. Stewart to take me up. Perhaps the liberal party would like to go further back than my two years in office.

Among other things, Mr. Stewart has found great fault with the bond that I gave the council two years ago because I allowed one of the bondsmen to die and because the bond was to the municipality instead of to the Crown. In answer to this I might say that as soon as the council wanted another bond I took steps to get one for them, and just to please Mr. Stewart I had it drawn in favor of the King. I might add that an eminent lawyer wrote the first bond, and I have no doubt that it was just as good a bond as it was possible to have; and while speaking of bonds, perhaps Mr. Stewart would favor his readers with a statement as to who the late secretary-treasurer of the congregation of St. Matthew's church was interested in learning of, for as far as I have made inquiries I have failed to find one who knows.

When I have more time, Mr. Editor, with your permission I shall be glad to go more into detail in answer to remarks made by the Gazette since I discovered that a certain little job of printing was not to be done in his office. I wish I had time to do it now, but have not. Thanking you for your valuable space.

Very truly yours,

H. B. HALL.

Gagetown, N. B., 28th March, 1922.

ST. JOHN PRESBYTERY.

Quarterly Meeting—Petitions, Reports and Appointments.

St. John Presbytery met in quarterly session yesterday morning and afternoon. There were present: Ministers—Rev. F. W. Murray, Dr. Fotheringham, R. H. McPherson, Wm. Penick, Jas. Burgess, D. McCormac, P. Baird, W. J. Fowler, J. Ross, L. G. Macneil, Dr. Morrison, C. H. Vessot, J. D. Campbell, D. McD. Clarke, A. H. Foster, A. S. Morton, D. J. Fraser, Ebenezer Stevens, Judge Forbes, W. H. Livingston, Jas. A. Moore, John Willet.

A petition from Calvin church asking leave to dispose of their church property, was received. The matter was referred to Revs. J. Ross, Jas. Burgess, W. McDonald and H. A. White; Judge Stevens.

A committee was appointed to meet with the congregation of St. James and Union regarding rearrangement of congregation. The committee is Revs. J. Ross, A. S. Morton, and Judge Forbes.

The report of the home mission committee was received and the following grants asked: Edmuntston, \$150; Grand Falls, \$25; Andover, \$300; Greenfield, \$250; Stanley, \$250; McAdam, \$200; Fairville, \$140; St. Martins, \$250; St. Matthews, \$190; Springfield, \$290; Dorchester, \$225; Riverside, \$250; Three Brooks, \$150.

The following appointments were recommended: J. J. McAskell, Port Kent; C. H. Vessot, Edmuntston; J. D. Campbell, Three Brooks; J. Valentine, Grand Falls; J. A. Colquhoun, Nashvask and Stanley; J. H. Anderson, Greenfield; A. M. Hill, Fairville; Donald Stewart, St. Martins; M. S. McKay, Springfield; M. Grant, Dorchester; R. H. McPherson, Riverside.

The committee to inquire into condition of insurance of church property presented report with following recommendation: That all buildings be insured for not less than one-third of their value; that Presbytery recommend no grants towards replacing unimproved buildings.

The augmentation committee recommended the following grants: St. George, \$175; Glasville, \$150; Waterford, \$150; Kincardine, \$200; South Richmond, \$175; Pisurmo, \$200.

At the afternoon adjournment the following delegates to the General Assembly were appointed: Revs. D. McD. Clark, L. J. Macneil, J. A. McLean, Dr. Fotheringham, Wm. Ross, Jas. Ross, Dr. Morrison, A. S. Morton, W. McDonald and D. J. Fraser. Alternates: Revs. J. D. Campbell, C. H. Vessot, A. H. Foster, Frank Baird and F. W. Murray.

Elders: Judge Skinner, Judge Forbes, John Willet, W. H. Livingston, W. C. Whittaker, Dr. Walker, P. Hopper, David Parks, W. J. Parks, A. W. Coburn. Alternates: L. W. Johnson, J. R. Jack, Walter MacFarlane, J. A. Gregory, Judge Trueeman, Dr. W. S. Morrison, Dr. Murray MacLaren, Geo.

Robertson, M. P. F. H. A. White and A. Henderson.

A call from Upper Musquodobit, in the Presbytery of Truro, has been received by Rev. F. W. Murray of Milltown, who on the approval of Presbytery has decided to accept. He will leave for his new charge near the end of April. Rev. A. S. Morton was appointed moderator of the Milltown congregation while the vacancy in its pastorate exists.

Miss Grace Murphy and Mrs. Robert Thomson, delegates from the Women's Home Missionary Society, appeared before the Presbytery, asking advice regarding the future working of their society. Rev. Dr. Morrison, Rev. Jas. Ross, Rev. Dr. Moore, Rev. Dr. Fotheringham, Judge Forbes and John Willet were appointed a committee to confer with the W. H. M. S. and report later.

A largely signed petition from the congregation of St. Matthew's church, now a mission, asking permission to organize as a regular congregation, with leave to call, was read and discussed, but the prayer was not granted.

Rev. A. Barclay of Montreal was nominated as moderator of the next General Assembly.

The matter of appointing Sunday school missionaries, as previously discussed, came up for recommendation, but Presbytery declined to approve of the scheme.

Reports for Sunday schools, Young People's Societies and congregational statistics were presented and Presbytery adjourned to the first Tuesday in May at 2:30 p. m.

THIS PUZZLE LOOKED EASY.

But Though \$2 Was Offered for the Solution, No One Could Do It. (N. Y. Sun.)

A puzzle in figures was displayed last week in the show window of a Schenectady merchant, and men, women and children fought for places from which they could study it.

The puzzle was a column of figures on a large card, and a prize of \$2 was offered to the person who should first succeed in adding any six of the figures in the column to get a total of twenty-one. These are the figures:

Table with 2 columns of numbers: 1 1 1, 3 3 3, 5 5 5, 7 7 7, 9 9 9

Brains were cudgled and worked overtime in the effort to get the required total and the \$2. Finally one wild-eyed man in the crowd gave a gasp and forced his way into the store.

"Gimme the \$2!" he cried. "I've got it." He seized a sheet of paper and scribbled down the following solution:

Table with 2 columns of numbers: 1 1 1, 1 1 1, 3 3 3, 3 3 3, 5 5 5, 7 7 7, 9 9 9

"There's your six figures and the total is 21," he cried triumphantly. The merchant admitted that this solution was clever; but said the figures must be used singly. The man with the solution went away disappointed.

A mathematical sharp consoled him by saying that the result demanded cannot be obtained because one cannot take an even number of odd figures and get an odd result by adding them together.

LOGS BEING SAVED.

J. Fraser Gregory reported last night that everything was favorable for the saving of nearly the whole cut; 7,000 pieces have already been boomed in South Bay and four other booms aggregating about 20,000 pieces are ready to come in. One of these is at Palmer's Point, two are in the Reach and one is being towed down by the tug Champion. A quantity of logs which were contained in the booms has been rescued by farmers and stored along the shore. Only a few have drifted as far down as Grand Bay. It is intended to remove the sheer boom at Palmer's Point today.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMPORT Headache Powders.

GEORGE DOING WELL. (Philadelphia North American.)

Mrs. Sinist—How are you making out at breaking your husband of the liquor habit?

Mrs. Newlived—Grandly! The first victory belongs to me, as George gave right in to my first suggestion.

Mrs. Sinist—How noble! What was your suggestion?

Mrs. Newlived—Well, I suggested he drink as much water as he did intoxicating drinks, and he promptly promised that for every drink of whiskey he took he would take a glass of water right after it!

A BOW-WOW BAITS THE CARS. A big black and white collie has for some time been biting at the electric car fenders and dodging the wheels of cars passing near the corner of Sparks and Bank streets. When the dog first began its antics many of the motorists would stop their cars quickly to avoid running over the dog, but the beast has grown so expert that the men at the motors no longer worry, but they are wondering how long his dogship will keep up his antics, and when he will be caught by a car and killed.—Ottawa Journal.

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I ask from you this, as an act of humanity: Simply write me postal. Give me the name of a sick one. Tell me which book he needs. I will do this in return:

I will furnish that sick one a treatment which I spend a lifetime in learning. I will give all the advice he needs. And I promise that if by my method fails, he shall not have a penny to pay.

I will even do this: With the book I will send an order on your druggist for six bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I will authorize him to let you take it for a month. If it succeeds, the cost is \$5.50. If it fails, I will pay your druggist myself. I will leave the decision with you.

That seems an impossible offer, and with any other treatment it would be. It would bankrupt the physician who made it. But I have made a prescription that strengthens the inside nerves. I have learned how to bring back the nerve power which stores operates the vital organs. When an organ is weak, I give it the power to act.

Usually that is all that is needed. And in most chronic diseases there is no other way to get well. My book will prove that I am right.

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In five years I have done this in over half a million cases; and my records show that 30 in each 40 paid for the medicine taken. That means that only one in each forty has been disappointed. It means that there are 39 chances in 40 that I can cure you. No sick person can afford to neglect an offer like this. If the treatment succeeds, you are well. If it fails, it is free. You have everything to gain and nothing to lose by it.

Simply state your name, address and where Dr. Shoop, Box 12, Racine, Wis.

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SEAP. SURPRISE. ap.

RICHBUCKTO. meeting of St. Mary's church attended and the financial statements of the church to be clear of debt. The following were present: Wm. Hudson, Wm. J. Dickin...

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Last spring I was appetite was poor me any good until I took Dr. Shoop's Pink Pills. Sold at a box of Dr. Shoop's Medicine Co.,