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WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 1914.

In an international contest, particu-
larly in the United States, the gold medal
was won by a Russian girl, Sara
Romanovsky, who came to this
country four years ago, and could
not then speak a word of English.

In our issue of April 29th we re-
ferred to an article received for pub-
lication, entitled "A New Orchard
Pest.—Tar and Feathers Recom-
mended."

We declined the publication of the
article for one reason, that it was
anonymous. Believing, however, that
the charges preferred were of a
good faith, we remarked upon their
very serious nature, and expressed
the opinion that the case demanded
investigation which could not be
made through the columns of a
newspaper.

The writer has since given us his
name, and again requested publica-
tion, but we are still of the opinion
that the end desired cannot be gained
by this method. The charges are
such as can be successfully dealt with
only in the courts. We think the
aggrieved parties, upon consideration
will see that such is the case.

Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria, has
expressed her purpose during the
coming summer to visit the United
States. She intends to come without
any of the pomp and ceremony which
is customary with royalty, but, in a
very democratic manner. During the
recent war, her interest in the
wounded and sick soldiers won for
her the name of the "Nursery Queen"
and while she desires to study Amer-
ican Institutions, such as hospitals
and charitable and humane enter-
prises, her especial wish is to correct
the current impression of the cruel-
ty of the Bulgarians on the battle fields
and to show their kindness and in-
dustry. She would certainly draw
large audiences if the general public
were permitted to attend her lec-
tures, but she purposes to issue
tickets to persons whom she desires
to reach. This is a very unusual
course for a Queen, and will certainly
awaken a wide interest in the people
of the United States in general, but
especially in the Bulgarian immi-
grants to this country, several thou-
sands of whom at the call of their
homeland returned to engage in her
battles.

The Fire Commissioners of New
York City, suspecting that insurance
against fire was often effected for im-
proper purposes, and without careful
examination by the Insurance Com-
panies, determined to make a trial
on his own account. He secured a
flat in a part of the city where fires
were frequent, and on account of
which was spoken of as the "fire
zone." furnished the flat with two
wooden chairs, one small gas-heating
stove with tube, three sash curtains
and one cuspidor, all of which cost
him \$3.44. On these articles he ob-
tained insurance for \$60,500. Alto-
gether he secured one hundred and
thirty-seven policies on articles
which cost him only \$3.96. The con-
clusion was irresistible that careles-
ness on the part of the Fire Insur-
ance Companies in the matter of in-
vestigation has been a great encour-
agement of incendiarism. The Com-
missioner does not state the amount
of the premiums he paid to obtain
this insurance. But, he has plainly
shown that the laws governing in-
surance in this country are not com-
pared with the safeguards which are
found in the insurance laws of Euro-
pean lands. Rich harvests have been
reaped by crooks and firebugs, and
the lives of firemen unnecessarily sac-
rificed, when such loss might have
been averted.

Another woman deserves notice.
"Mother Bird," as she was affection-
ately called from her interest in the
men of the Bowery Mission, New
York, and other philanthropic work
passed away on the morning of April
15th, at the advanced age of eighty-
two. She was the wife of a success-
ful New York merchant, and after
her husband's death devoted her
time and means to the benefit of the
unfortunate and the prodigal. Hun-
dreds of men and women look upon
her as the instrument by whom they
have been saved from the doom of
the drunkard or the suicide. Some-
times to awaken sympathy and help,
she gave her experience to the pub-
lic, as in the story of her visit to a
somewhat famous or infamous club,
called the "Suicide Club." Alone and
unattended she sometimes walked the
streets of the great city in the small
hours of the morning on her errands

of mercy. Sometimes she found it
necessary to go in the "tribe" of a
beggar in order to find access to per-
sons whom she desired to reach. And
she had the right idea respecting
reformation, viz, that expressed in
the couplet of Longfellow—
"Never yet abyss was found
Deeper than the cross and sinner."
The story of "Mother Bird's" life
will no doubt be told by some of her
friends. It will serve as a stimulus
to similar unselfish endeavor so much
needed.

The Powdery Scab

The attention of all those growing
potatoes for export trade is called
to the immediate necessity of taking
some action to prevent the loss of a
large part of their export trade.
Owing to the discovery of Powdery
Scab in different parts of Canada, a
quarantine was established against
the Dominion by the United States,
whose example was speedily followed
by Bermuda. Though our principal
market has not up to the date of
writing taken a similar action, the
fear that this might be done will no
doubt have a serious effect upon this
spring's planting. Growers will be
relieved to know therefore, that there
is a possibility that this embargo
may be removed, as Bermuda is con-
sidered.

A careful inspection to determine
the prevalence of this disease in
Nova Scotia, has lately been con-
ducted by the Dominion Division of
Botany, which shows that it is not
at all common in this province, and
in particular Kings, Colchester and
Hants Counties are also free from
it. The only cases reported being
two from Burlington, one from Har-
ville and one from Black Rock.
From the remainder of the Province
we have one record from Yarmouth,
a number from Cumberland a num-
ber from Guysborough and one from
Antigonish. The fact that the chief
potato producing centres of Nova
Scotia are practically free from the
disease has been brought to the at-
tention of the provincial authorities in
Bermuda. As a result of the repre-
sentations made, it is probable that
the embargo on our potatoes may be
removed under certain conditions.
Though not giving a definite decision
they stated that arrangements could
probably be made to allow the im-
portation of potatoes from this Pro-
vince, provided such potatoes were
guaranteed that each consignment
of potatoes for shipment was inspec-
ted by a Dominion or Provincial In-
spector and were

1. Free from Powdery Scab and
other dangerous potato diseases.
2. Grown in areas known to be free
from Powdery Scab or other danger-
ous potato diseases.
It is altogether likely, therefore,
that potatoes from disease-free dis-
tricts can be shipped to Bermuda, and
hereafter, while we are not in a
position at present to say whether
similar arrangements can be made
with the United States authorities,
it is possible that this may eventu-
ally be done.

Under the provisions of the De-
structive Insect, Pest and Plant Dis-
ease Act, 1911, regulations may be
passed laying down certain quaran-
tine lines within the Province, over
which potatoes may not be shipped.
If, therefore, the majority of the
farmers of any county or district
practically free from the disease, de-
clare that for their own protection
and to reserve their export trade,
they desire to have the importation
from outside points prohibited, the
provincial government would under-
take to proclaim and establish such
a quarantine. Those interested
should take prompt action.

The administration of this act is
in the hands of the undersigned, who
will be glad to hear from anyone re-
garding this matter. In the mean-
time, the Department of Agriculture
is willing as far as their means per-
mit, to inspect the red potatoes of
growers catering to the export trade,
in order that they may be certain
that only clean seed is planted. In
the fall, inspection of export pota-
toes may be arranged for, though it
may possibly be necessary that a
small inspection fee be imposed to
help cover the cost of this inspec-
tion. As the further distribution of
this disease is likely to be attended
by serious consequences, the grower
is earnestly urged to take the fol-
lowing precautions:—

1. Use only clean, smooth skinned
potatoes for planting. Reject all that
show signs of disease of any kind. Do
not run the risk of infecting the land
even though you believe the disease
to be only the common scab.
2. Do not pick apparently clean
seed out of a lot affected with
Powdery Scab. It is impossible to
detect this disease in its early stages
and no seed treatment is known.
3. Never grow potatoes on land
that has previously grown an affected
crop. The disease may remain in the
soil for years and the only treatment
is to plant clean seed on disease free
soil.
4. Use only locally grown potatoes
for seed except in localities where
disease has been found. If it is de-
sired to buy from outside points,
purchase only such as has been in-
spected and certified free from pow-
dery scab by some recognized govern-
ment official.

Whether we are to free ourselves
from the disease of whether we are
to become more and more affected
and eventually lose our export trade,
rests with the growers themselves.
For the benefit of those who are not
familiar with the appearance of
Powdery Scab the following short
account is given:—
Though in its early stages the dis-
ease bears a close resemblance to the
ordinary potato scab common every-
where they can usually be disting-
uished with a fair degree of accuracy
by even a superficial examination.
The "scabs" of the common potato
are flatter, more irregular in
shape and tend to run together to a
greater extent than with the Powdery
Scab. In the case of the Powdery
Scab, the affected areas are more

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OBITUARY

MR. CHARLES COVERT, SR.
Mr. Charles Covert, Senior, one of
the oldest and a much respected citi-
zen of Paradise, passed away at his
residence on Thursday, May 7th,
aged eighty-two years. He had been
in ill health for some time past. He
is survived by four daughters, and
three sons. The daughters are: Mrs.
Charles McGregor of California,
Nettie, who resided with her father,
and who cared for him during his last
years; Mrs. Stocking of Lyon; Mrs.
Harry Burling. The sons are: Gull-
ford D. of Paradise; Charles S., of
Lynn, and Owen of Bridgetown. The
funeral took place on Saturday after-
noon from his late residence.
Rev. W. S. H. Morris of Middleton
was the officiating clergyman. The
interment was at Paradise cemetery.

MR. ISAAC LONGLEY.
Mr. Isaac Longley, the oldest citi-
zen of Paradise and one who was
highly esteemed, passed away on
Monday morning, May 11th, after a
brief illness of pneumonia. He was
taken ill on Saturday, but his condi-
tion was not regarded as one to re-
quire special solicitude until the fol-
lowing Wednesday, when there was a
change for the worse. Mr. Longley
had attained the age of ninety-one
years and enjoyed good health up to
the time of his illness, with a good
memory and other faculties unim-
paired. He was a member of the
Methodist church and lived a con-
sistent life. He is survived by one
daughter, Clara, who tenderly cared
for her father in his declining years.
The sons are: Miner, who lives in the
West; Fletcher of Philadelphia; Isaac
of North Williamston, and Fred of
Lynn.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Wanford Dodge

The community was startled yes-
terday morning, the 12th inst., by
the announcement of the sudden
death of Mrs. Wanford Dodge, of this
town. Relieved of her former do-
mestic cares, it has been Mrs.
Dodge's habit of late to take daily
walks accompanied generally by
daughter or friend. This was the
case on Monday. She then seemed
quite strong and well. On Tuesday
morning her daughter found her life-
less in her bed. So short is some-
times the step between time and
eternity.
By a somewhat unusual coincidence,
her husband dropped dead in his
home on a Sabbath afternoon, about
two years ago, after having attended
in his apparent usual health, two re-
ligious services.

Mrs. Dodge was the daughter of
the late Samuel and Harriet Bath of
Granville. She was sixty-eight years
of age, and the mother of a large
family, some of whom preceded her
to the world of spirits.
Her sons Alfred and Arthur are in
California, James in Yorkton, Harry
in Edmonton, Frank and Kenneth in
Bridgetown. Her daughters are: Mrs.
Joseph Chetley, in Ontario, Mrs.
Florence in California, and Mrs.
Mary Blanchard at home.
The members of the family have the
sincere sympathy of a very wide
circle of friends.
The funeral services take place to-
morrow (Thursday) afternoon, at
two-thirty o'clock, at her late home.

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In the Supreme Court

BETWEEN
MONTREAL TRUST CO. Plaintiff
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To be sold at the County Court House,
Annapolis, on Wednesday, the 17th
day of June, A. D. 1914, at the hour
of 12 o'clock in the forenoon,
by The Eastern Trust Company, a
body corporate, having its head office
in the City of Halifax, pursuant to an
order of foreclosure and sale made
herein the 24th day of March, 1914,
unless before the day of sale the
amount due to the Plaintiff including
the Plaintiff's taxed costs be paid to
the Plaintiff or its solicitor.
All the estate, right, title, interest
and equity of redemption of the De-
fendant Company, and of all other
persons, firms or corporations claim-
ing or entitled by from or under the
Defendant company, in to and out of
the following

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leases of lands, rights to cut tim-
ber and all interest in LANDS, build-
ings, fixtures, and all real and per-
sonal property of every kind and de-
scription described in a certain Deed
of Trust or Mortgage from the said
Defendant Company to the said Mon-
treal Trust Company, dated the 15th
day of July, 1912, and registered in
the Registry of Deeds, for the County
of Annapolis in Book 155, page 48,
and registered in the Registry of
Deeds for the County of Kings in
Book 108, page 8, and registered in
the County of Digby in Book 108,
page 476 and the general description
of which said lands and premises and
personal property is as follows: Ap-
proximately 150,000 acres of land in
the County of Annapolis, and the
greater portion of which are situ-
ated in the districts of Paradise,
Round Hill, Dalhousie, Liverpool
Road, West River, Maitland, Perrotto
and LeQuille. The said Liverpool
Road, Perrotto, Dalhousie, and Le-
Quille lands are situated on or near
the Ten Mile and LeQuille Rivers,
and the said Maitland, Paradise,
Round Hill, and West River lands are
situated on, near or adjacent to the
Maitland, Paradise and West Rivers
respectively. Approximately 5000
acres in the County of Kings, the
greater portion of which are situ-
ated in the vicinity of or adjacent to Falls
River and in or near the district of
Kingsport. Approximately 1000 acres
of lands and leaseholds in the County
of Digby, the greater portion of which
are situated adjacent to or near West
River and in or near the district of
Popple Lake. Also all other lands,
leaseholds, or interests therein owned
by the Defendant Company, in which
they had any interest or claim
at the date of the said mortgage ex-
cepting, however, all that lot piece
or parcel of land situate lying and
being in Granville Perry, in the said
County of Annapolis, bounded and
described as follows: On the north
by the Main Post Road, on the east
by the channel of the Creek, some-
times called the Johnson Creek, on
the south by the Annapolis River,
and on the west, by the property of
the female heirs of the late John
Mills. Said last described lot of
land being a portion of the real es-
tate conveyed to John B. Mills by
change for the works of the late
John Mills, as on reference to a
copy of said will in the Record office
at Bridgetown, will more fully
appear.

Also all lands, leaseholds, or tim-
ber rights or any claim or interest
therein, purchased or acquired by the
Defendant Company, since the date of
said mortgage, including renewals of
all leases existing at such date.
Also all the machinery, tools imple-
ments, belts, utensils, saws equip-
ment, engines, boilers and plant con-
tained in the mills owned by said
Defendant Company at the date of
such mortgage, situated at LeQuille
in the County of Annapolis, and at
Fremont in the County of Kings,
also all tools, implements, utensils,
belts, saws, equipment, engines,
boilers, plant and mills, purchased or
acquired by the defendant Company
since the date of such mortgage and
brought into or situate in the Pro-
vince of Nova Scotia.

A complete description of the said
lands and premises and real and per-
sonal property may be inspected and
obtained at the office of Mr. Sheriff
Gates, at Annapolis Royal in the
County of Annapolis, Mr. Sheriff
Rockwell at Kentville, in the County
of Kings, and Mr. Sheriff Smith at
Digby in the County of Digby, at
the office of the said The Eastern
Trust Company in the City of Hal-
ifax, at the office of Daniel Owen, at
Annapolis Royal, aforesaid, Solicitor
of Defendant Company, and at the
office of W. H. Fulton, the Plaintiff's
solicitor in the said City of Halifax,
and at the office of the Montreal
Trust Company, the said Plaintiff
Company, in the City of Montreal.
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