

down he became the observed of the observers. An ascent was soon made to the belfry, and there was the tenant, surrounded with many of the good things of this life, which he had obtained without money, but not without price—the price of incarceration—as having been arrested, tried and convicted, he was sent to the penitentiary for two years and six months. Thus endeth the reading of the temple.

There is a brisk trade at almost all seasons of the year here; indeed, its central location, as well as Grand Harbour, is admirably situated to command a large share of custom. White Head Island, having quite a large and an increasing population, contributes largely to the trade of Woodward's Cove. It is sometimes called Fisher's Cove, as "Old Squire Fisher," as he was familiarly termed, long resided and died there.

His son, John Fisher, was born on Grand Manan and is well known and highly respected in Eastport, Me., as proprietor of an express agent office and other business affairs. He cherishes a warm feeling for his native island and is ever ready and pleased to attend to any requests from any of the people of the island who require his counsel, direction or services.

A grandson of Old Squire Fisher, a few years ago, left Eastport, Me., and established a henery on High Duck Island, which had been the property of his grandfather. Young Alexander, perhaps, in his henery enterprise has accomplished more real good than his namesake of olden time, who rode the conqueror of battle fields, trampling the gory victims of his mad ambition beneath the iron-shod hoofs of his proud charger, Bucephalus. Our Alexander, in keeping with the name of his island, has added ducks to his poultry yards, and the crowing of roosters, the cackling of hens, the quacking of ducks and ganders and geese make quite a lively scene and a noisy one withal on High Duck Island. The multitudinous throats of Alexander's feathered bipeds have completely drowned the screams of the gulls around High and Low Duck Islands, which bloodless victory is worthy of all praise; the ducks holding high carnival on High Duck Island.