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E. S. CRAWLEY, Post Master.

### CHURCHES.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**—Rev. N. A. Harvey, Pastor. Sunday Services: Public Worship at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Mid-week prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Women's Missionary Aid Society meets on Wednesday following the first Sunday in the month, at 8:30 p. m. The Social and Benevolent Society meets the third Thursday of each month at 8:30 p. m. The Mission Band meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 8:45 p. m. All seats free. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

**PREBYTERIAN CHURCH**—Rev. G. W. Miller, Pastor. Public Worship every Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Services at Fort Williams and Lever Horton as announced. W.F.M.B. meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 8:00 p. m. Senior Mission Band meets fortnightly on Monday at 7:00 p. m. Junior Mission Band meets fortnightly on Sunday at 8:00 p. m.

**METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. F. J. Armitage, Pastor. Services on the Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School at 10 o'clock, a. m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45. All the seats are free and strangers welcomed at all the services. At Greenwood, preaching at 8 p. m. on the Sabbath.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND.**  
St. John's PARISH CHURCH, of HONORS.—Services: Holy Communion every Sunday, 8 a. m.; first and third Sundays at 11 a. m. Matins every Sunday 11 a. m. Evensong 7:00 p. m. Special services in Advent, Lent, etc. by notice in church. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Superintendent, R. O'Neil.

All seats free. Strangers heartily welcome.  
Rev. R. F. DIXON, Rector.  
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**THE TABERNACLE**—During summer months open air gospel services—Sunday at 7 p. m., Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 8:30 p. m. Special class rooms, efficient teachers, men's bible class.

### MASONIC.

St. George's Lodge, A. F. & A. M., meets at their Hall on the third Monday of each month at 7:30 o'clock.

### W. A. V. S. Society.

### ODDFELLOWS.

George's Lodge, No. 25, meet every Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Harris Block. Visiting brethren always welcome.  
H. M. WATSON, Secretary.

### TEMPERANCE.

Wolfville Division of W. T. meets every Monday evening in their Hall at 8 o'clock.

### FORGERS.

Over's Mission, S. O. W. meets in Temperance Hall on the third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

**R. J. Whitten & Co.**  
**HALIFAX**  
Receives and Sellers of all kinds of Farm Produce.  
Consignments Solicited.  
Prompt Returns.

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Aids the Digestion of Food

Children Cry for Fletcher's  
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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher, and has borne his personal supervision since its infancy. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Bears the Signature of  
*Dr. J. C. Fletcher*  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
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The Overland car is established in Canada. The Willys-Overland factory in Toronto is one of Canada's large substantial institutions. The popular demand for the Model 90 Overland is in itself a tribute to the manufacturing skill and the high ideals of Willys-Overland, Limited.

Ask for a demonstration of this light Overland Four. It is convincing.

Appearance  
Performance  
Comfort  
Service  
Price

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Willys-Overland, Limited  
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**Port Williams Fruit Co., LIMITED**  
**FLOUR!**  
on hand.  
Bran and Middlings due to arrive.  
**SLAG!**  
Buy now before the advance. A car is expected shortly.

**FERTILIZER!**  
We have a limited supply suitable for rearing strawberry plantations or fall use in the orchard, for sale at reasonable prices.

**Arsenata of Lime**  
For use on Potatoes.  
Open Wednesday mornings or by appointment.  
Port Williams, N. S.

**E. B. SHAW**  
Repairing of Boots and Shoes of all kinds  
Has resumed business at the old stand in his new building.  
Orders Solicited and Carefully Executed.

**"Stop and Rest" Inn.**  
AN EXCLUSIVE RESORT for Motorists, House and Week-End Parties. . . .  
Evening Functions and After-Theatre Suppers arranged. Afternoon Teas.  
**W. S. STADKHOUSE,**  
WOLFVILLE, N. S.  
Phone 300

**Man's Pockets.**  
The possession of numerous pockets is one of the things that makes a man independent. He is free. Women never will be really emancipated until she, too, has pockets.

No man knows exactly how many pockets he has. If you don't believe it ask the first man you meet. He can't come within four of it.

Each suit of clothes is equipped with so many of these repositories that the average 'cud' can't think of the real how many he has.

Half a dozen letters, a card of tobacco or a pipe, or two or three cigars, (more often those are sops in his best pocket just over his heart), a fountain pen, a pencil or two, a photograph of a stray broiler he doesn't want to see, a knife that won't cut anything, a key ring with 14 keys in it, some stamps all stuck together, a few rubber bands, a memorandum book, a newspaper clipping or something the local paper said about him, a watch, a poker chip, a card or two admitting him to his favorite club, a pocket book with some money in it, a laundry ticket, a rabbit foot, a cigar, a silk garter, a few cigar store coupons, a deck of cards, a pistol, a slipper for cutting a cord, a piece of snuff paper, a dream-book, a lock of hair, and so on ad infinitum.

**That Which Can Be Restored.**  
An indemnity may be paid to Belgium; she may be 'restored' in her roads and bridges and buildings; but the people of Belgium have suffered a destruction of their nervous system that will not be restored for generations. Thousands of Belgians, as T. C. Crie points out in 'A Mechanic's View of War, and Peace (Macmillan Company), have 'lived years in months'.

There have been many sudden deaths; many cases of insomnia; of nervousness; of prostration; of lost spirit and impaired efficiency; and generally a loss of hope and courage. There has been an average loss of from six to ten pounds in weight. Many Belgians have been found dead in their beds without external injuries, and many other fatal injuries. Children were prematurely born. There have been many suicides among children as well as adults; and children as well as adults have become insane.

It is to be expected that these conditions will continue and progress, and that there will be an increasing number of cases of bright's disease and apoplexy.

The posthumous children have been robbed of their birthright of healthy bodies and stable nervous systems. The little children whose action patterns had not been formed are the only ones who may bear their rickety transpennsions without loss of mental or physical efficiency. The Belgian exiles whom I have seen show a loss in morale. They are preoccupied, absentminded, despondent, however, weak, dejected, bitter, and broken. They suffered a permanent loss which is beyond compensation and beyond redemption.

These millions of men, women, children, and unborn infants have been subjected to a vivisection of unparalleled cruelty unappreciated in the history of man or of the lower animals. It is as if upon Belgium as a whole every degree of physical, mental, and moral tortures has been inflicted without anesthesia.

**WOMAN WORKS 15 HOURS A DAY**  
Marvelous Story of Woman's Change from Weakness to Strength by Taking Druggist's Advice.

For, Ind.—I suffered from a displacement with backache and dragging down pains so badly that at times I could not get up. My feet and legs did not seem as though I could stand. I tried different medicines without any benefit. My doctor told me nothing was to be done. I bought a box of Pinkettes and took them. I am now well up in the morning at four o'clock, do my housework, then go to the factory and work all day, come home and get supper and bed. I don't know how many of my friends I have told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. —Mrs. ALMA KERRICK, 107 West 11th St., Detroit, Mich.

Women who suffer from any such ailments should not fail to try this famous Pinkettes. It is a natural, safe, and reliable remedy. —Mrs. ALMA KERRICK, 107 West 11th St., Detroit, Mich.

**Man's Pockets.**  
The time is here when people who have been figuring on raising poultry for the coming season are selecting their eggs for hatching, and their choices may be in order.

There is no best breed. Quality counts in families more than in breeds. People have their distinctive physical characteristics. Every ten cents you do not follow that because you are buying Leghorns, or Wyandottes, or Rocks, a few years ago, or some other breed, but you want to get good layers. You must make sure that the eggs come from a good laying strain of family in what ever particular breed you prefer.

In buying on the purchase of eggs, remember that every ten cents you pay for an egg will look big, but when you have the full-grown bird, five cents makes practically no difference in cost. Yet the feed cost has been the same and the trouble of raising has been as great, and by saving five cents on an egg you have perhaps lost one dollar or even more in the quality or productive power of the full-grown bird.

Money invested in good breeding stock or good eggs is the most profitable investment in connection with the poultry industry.

**Good Advice.**  
It takes about 90 eggs a year to pay for your hen. If she lays 100 eggs, you have only 10 eggs for profit. If she lays 150 you have 60 for profit. In other words one 150 egg hen is as good as six that lay only 90 eggs each per year, and a lot of them do no better than that.

Figure out what this means in the connection of food and how it affects you as regards accommodation. You can't get good results unless you have good stock, and unless you take sufficient interest in your flock to properly care for it. Good stock generally means flocks that are not a mixture of several breeds, and a nice looking, sleek, active, young interest, gives you more pleasure in caring for and consequently brings you more profit.

If you intend to purchase eggs, learn whether the breeder from whom you buy is well versed in selecting his breeding pens. Don't buy breed only; buy quality as well, and don't have anything to do with cross breeds.

With good feed at present prices you cannot afford to raise anything but the best, and you are actually wasting the country's resources if you feed chicks or hens that will not give returns of more value than they consume.

**This German Wanted to Fight.**  
He was in the hospital at T— when I met him. He was a captain in a Bavarian Infantry regiment, and had been captured in the fight at Festenberg. His wounds were quite slight, but what was more serious he seemed to have lost his mind.

As a rule he was quiet, his only reply to our advances being a laugh or an imbecile grin. It was not that he failed to understand, for he betrayed at times quite an adequate stock of English. Now and again, however, he would break out into acts of violence. Once or twice he deliberately spat trays of soup on his bed. And periodically he would make a charge from beneath the sheets, shouting in German: 'They're coming! They're coming! Shoot!'

So they took him away as soon as possible, and the doctor told us he was sent to an insane asylum.

About twelve months later, during the early fighting at the Somme, I took part in a night attack in the neighborhood of Pommier. It was one of those surprise sallies in which we were caught by the Germans literally unprepared. This time we took practically an entire company, with most of the officers in charge.

Among my captives I recognized my old friend, the German.

I recognized him, and he immediately recognized me. He had won his freedom by a hair.

Knowing that in these periodical exchanges of prisoners men who fight were usually returned to their own land he had hit on the plan of feigning insanity. I leave you to imagine what force of character, as well as what native ability was needed to carry out his program successfully.

I have heard of only one other feat which, in my mind, equals his. It is that of a Frenchman, whose pretense of blindness fooled even the crack German snipers.—Told by Captain CORCORAN.

Sixty thousand people, or about 14,000 families, own about one-fourth the area of the United States. More than 25,000,000 acres of American land are owned by foreigners, an English gentleman controlling 1,700,000 acres. A German, who came to the U. S. a poor boy in 1850, has \$4,500,000. In one county in Arkansas three corporations own 85 per cent. of the lands.

**Loud in Praise of Rummage Sales.**  
In connection with the Rummage sale which is to be held very soon under the auspices of the Daughters, the following article from the Truro Citizen will be of interest:

Probably no more practical form of patriotism has been witnessed in Truro for some time than the rummage sale which has been held during the past year.

For the benefit of the good ladies who devoted their time to this work we publish below an article on rummage sales written by a wealthy New York citizen.

Some two weeks ago the ladies of St. George's Episcopal Church in New York decided to hold a rummage sale. The parish is a large one and includes among its membership several thousand people, both rich and poor, fashionable and anti-fashionable.

They were all asked to send the useful things that they had no use for to the sale. About \$2,000 over expenses was realized and a large quantity of serviceable clothing and much household equipment and furniture that has been cast aside by the poor to do and would ultimately have gone into the junk pile was sold at very moderate prices to those who were glad to get and use it.

A well known man dug up a pair of riding boots that he had sported in his youth. A mounted policeman bought them for \$5.00. From out of the garret of that man's house came stuff that sold for \$10.00. People eagerly bought beautiful bedspreads that were of a time long past, pictures our father or grandmother bought, curtains of fine texture but not new in style, books dusted with age, magazines of a generation ago, hats, capers, collars, coats, regens, undershirts, shoes, slippers, dancing pumps, furs, hair ornaments, etc.

There was a crib in which some one's child had sported his tiny hands and legs. There were portable little organs for playing on the sands of the beaches in summer days. There were hats and caps, tennis outfits, golf outfits, additions, bicycle clocks of every age, it would seem, clockwork watches, mechanical toys, the plain utilitarian kind to the daintiest Dresden ware, lamp shades, an ancient and modern; lamps likewise Turkish pistols, muffs, new and old; basnets, object d'art, hand-painted fans, Sevres china on which in gold there was a picture of the king of Rome; fancy hat-pins, a manicure set of mother of pearl that came in from some beauty's table; skates, sport clothes, pieces of the most delicate make, and boxing gloves.

The box of gloves sold at a premium. But, then, many a girl is a born artist.

**TASTEFUL SATISFYING**  
**KING COLE TEA**  
You'll Like the Flavor

**Fighting For Life.**  
In all the English speaking democracies, the possession of the war has been terribly handicapped by the stubborn refusal of large elements of the population to realize the situation.

We have been literally fighting for our lives and what is better, our liberty, all these years, but the voice of warning have gone unheeded by many, who have seen in the war nothing but opportunity to be exploited in the interests of self.

The guns of the great battle in France will awaken these sluggards to the last stubborn man. We may have now, what we have never yet had, absolute national unity in the face of possible disaster, not only in Great Britain but in United States.

Let us pray that this awakening to our duty to deem everything as done in the balance against its loss of this war may not come too late.—Manito, the Free Press.

**Don't Be Dyspeptic.**  
The dyspeptic has thought only of the stomach when the real source of trouble is in the Liver and Kidneys and Bowels. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills thoroughly cleans and purify the digestive and excretory systems and in this way put the organs of digestion into splendid working condition. A little patient urging on of these organs when a stomach will restore the habit of healthful digestion.

The average man seldom knows all the other men think he knows, but the chances are he knows a few things he isn't suspected of knowing.

Many a girl's complexion is beautiful. But, then, many a girl is a born artist.

**Continuous and monotonous Work - most trying on the Nerves**  
DOING the same thing, in the same way, day after day and week after week, means destruction to the nerve cells and collapse of the nervous system of the human body.

Whether in the munition factory or in the home, in the store or in the office, it is monotony that kills. And it is because woman's work is more often monotonous than men's that so many women suffer from nervous exhaustion and prostration, nervous headaches, neuralgic pains and general run-down condition of the body.

It is easy for the doctor to say you must have change and rest, but the expense of living is so great at this time that few can afford to follow such advice.

But there is restoration and health awaiting you in the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This great reconstructive treatment cures by supplying the elements which Nature uses in the formation of new, rich blood and the creation of new nerve force.

If you are a regular reader of this paper you will find cures reported almost daily, and no matter where you live you will find people who will tell you with enthusiasm of the benefits obtained by using this great food cure.

**Dr. Chase's Nerve Food**  
60 cents a box—do not pay more—At all dealers or Edgemoor, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. On every box of the genuine you will find the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author.