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Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum

For Coughs and Colds.

Among Our Neighbors

LAWRENCETOWN.

Church services—Methodist, Rev. W. M. Brown, 11 a. m.; Baptist, Rev. M. Brown, 11 a. m.; Episcopal, Rev. Mr. Warner, 3 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hinds, of Sharon, Mass., are spending a week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Foster.

Mr. Harris Armstrong has been transferred to the Union Bank branch at St. John.

Miss Margaret Vance, of Halifax, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. C. Hall.

Victor Howard, aged 17 years, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Howard passed away on Monday morning after a lingering illness of tuberculosis. The family have the sympathy of the community in this their sad bereavement.

Dr. J. B. Hall returned to Truro on Friday.

Mrs. Clyde Bishop entertained a number of her friends very pleasantly Friday evening.

Miss Blanche Balcom entertained a number of her school friends Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitman spent the past week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Balcom, Paradise.

It is reported this morning (Tuesday) that Spurgeon Phinney, son of Albert Phinney, is seriously ill.

The Methodist sewing circle meets at the home of Mrs. H. H. Whitman Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Nichols is spending a few weeks at Melvern Square.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Toole and family leave for their home in the west this week. Miss Bessie Darling will accompany them.

Ford Clark was badly injured one day last week at Stoddart's mill, West Paradise, he having slipped and come in contact with the saw, causing his limb to be badly lacerated.

SPRINGFIELD.

Mr. LeRoy Roop has been spending a few days in Halifax.

The pie social which was to have been held on Saturday evening, was postponed until next Wednesday evening, 27th.

Miss Dickie, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. E. H. Howe. Mr. A. Howe was also the guest of his mother for a few days last week.

Mr. I. B. Saunders, of Kennetcook, spent Sunday with his family in this place.

John B. Black, of Truro, called on his many friends in this place on the 25th.

Mr. Wm. Durling had the misfortune to fall on the ice and break two ribs. Dr. Cole is in attendance.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Thomas Todd on the sick list.

HAMPTON.

Elijah Risteen who has been working in Massachusetts the past season, returned home a short time ago. He was accompanied by his brother, Harvey, who has not been home for several years. Mr. Risteen returned to his work on Wednesday last.

The Rev. H. Balcom occupied our pulpit on Sunday last. The roads were rough and the morning very severed and got here in season and preached a fine sermon. We tender our cold, yet the reverend gentleman per thanks for his favor.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Foster on the birth of a son.

GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Mrs. Eben Bent is visiting friends in Bridgetown.

Miss Tenia Bent, of Young's Cove, spent last week with friends here.

Miss Beatrice Gilliatt, of Centreville, is spending a few weeks with her parents.

Mrs. Henry Roney who has been on the sick list for the past few weeks, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid Willett and Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Troop recently entertained their friends at large social gatherings.

The Handkerchief Social held by the ladies of the Baptist church on the evening of the 21st was a decided success. The sum of $31.37 was realized for church purposes.

"Royal Workers" Band of Hope entertained Seymour Division Saturday evening, Feb. 23rd. Notwithstanding the zero weather a large number were present and were fully repaid for the effort made. The children and young people acquitted themselves in a manner creditable to themselves, and to their superintendent, Miss Alexa Gilliatt.

Fairville, Sept. 30, 1902.

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ALBANY.

Miss Hattie Mason, of Springfield, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oakes; also Mrs. Rachel Saunders is a guest at the same place.

Miss Charlotte Roberts, of Digby, is visiting her relatives here.

Several of our young men have gone to Hastings where they are employed with the American Lumbering Co.

Mr. McInnis, who has been boarding at Mr. Allen Zwicker's, has gone to Boston.

Mr. Scovil, of Bridgewater, spent Sunday, the 17th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oakes.

Two of our young people have professed conversion and were received for baptism at the last conference.

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CORRESPONDENCE

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OUR SMART SET.

To the Editor of the Monitor:—

On at least three occasions during the past three months parties have come to clergymen in this town to have the marriage ceremony performed, and have under cover of various low falsehoods, have failed to pay the small fee customary at such times. In each case the clergyman has been called away from some important engagement to attend to this business, and has spent some time in carefully writing full details in certificates and in conveying these returns to the proper office. His compensation for all this is —— meanness and lies. If the parties referred to find their names appearing in the public papers as fit subjects for the "Rogue's Gallery" they need not be at all surprised.

OBSERVER.

TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION

To the Editor of the Monitor:—

A petition is now being circulated throughout Nova Scotia seeking for improved legislation in relation to the sale of intoxicating drinks. Its purpose is to ask our legislature to adopt measures similar to those prevailing on Prince Edward Island, where the Scott Act has been superseded by a much more workable and effective form of temperance enactment. Both political parties in our little sister province were united in carrying this measure into operation, and the Island papers are equally united in their approval of the manner in which this law is being enforced. It is claimed that a complete revolution has been brought about in the drinking habits of the people. There is not a licensed tavern or hotel in she province, and drunkenness, with all its concomittant evils, has almost entirely disappeared. The result is that happier homes are to be found and more rapid advancement is being made in shaking off the incubus of debt than has been the case heretofore on the Island.

Among the commendable features of the new form of legislation we may mention one or two. If a man is found in a state of intoxication he is compelled to tell where he procured the liquor, or be sent to jail for contempt of court. This usually traces the evil to headquarters and secures punishment for those who sell in defiance of law. We need this kind of summary enactment in Nova Scotia where the real criminals, who sell liquor in spite of laws forbidding such sale, and who pocket the hard earnings of the poor drunkard, often escape the just consequences of their vile trade.

In addition to this the provincial government stands behind their officers and aids them in carrying the law into effect. And where the province decides to have provincial prohibition the cities, the capital not being excepted—are not permitted to violate this intention by being allowed to license the sale of liquor and to flood the entire country with rum.

We earnestly hope that this new form of legislation will be enacted speedily in Nova Scotia, and that our representatives in parliament will faithfully do their duty in giving effect to the measure. It is stated that New Brunswick is moving in the same direction. May we not hope that this desirable reformation in temperance laws will in the early future spread its benign influence over our fair Dominion.

ANTAGONISM OR CO-OPERATION?

To the Editor of the Monitor:—

It is amusing to note the efforts on the part of the local merchants, aided by the local papers, to prevent the farmers and country people from trading where they please and where they can get the most for their dollars.

Some three weeks ago the local traders were hiking petitions all over the country to prevent the passage of a bill allowing parcels by post to be paid for on delivery, on the ground that it would give an added impetus to the mail order system. Now most of the petty slurs which appear in the local papers, who of course, must support their supporters, are laughed at by the more intelligent class of mail buyers, but when the movement becomes antagonistic to the best interests of the county as these petitions undoubtedly were, it is time for righteous indignation. These petitions going into the hands of our noble representatives are simply asking that every effort be made to protect these local merchants in maintaining or increasing their high prices and making large profits out of the poor farmers and working classes. This policy on the part of our merchants, besides being mean and small, is also very short-sighted for it only antagonizes the farmers and sends them with still larger orders to Toronto and other outside places. If the merchants were only broad enough to co-operate with the people and help them market their produce, and at the same time be content with a decent profit, the mail order evil (?) would soon right itself. I am glad to say, however, that some of our merchants are sufficiently enterprising to do this, for speaking personally, out of the hundred odd dollars which I send yearly to Eaton's not one dollar goes for groceries. Why? Simply because my local grocer markets whatever produce I want to bring to him.

How long will the local merchant hesitate if he can buy farm produce outside of the province cheaper than he can locally? Did the merchants hesitate about bringing beans from Ontario, where they are raised in large quantities, and can be delivered here for $1.75 per bushel, thus making it unprofitable to raise them in Nova Scotia?

There are two sides to this question, my merchant friends, and possibly it would be well to ascertain if some of the fault does not lie with you.

And now let me place on record a testimonial to the mail order system which I am glad to note is increasing every year.

1st—Our cash largely comes from England in return for fruit. We shall spend that cash where we please.

2nd—That cash will get us more goods, better goods, give us a larger selection to choose from if sent to Eaton's or Simpson's than any store in the Maritime Provinces.

3rd—I consider that T. Eaton has done more for those farmers of Canada who have taken advantage of his system than any of the money grabbing political loafers who are supposed to represent us at Ottawa.

FARMER.

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PORT WADE.

John McGrath lost his house and most of his furniture, including a nice organ, by fire Wednesday night of last week, the family bearly escaping in their night clothes. Mr. McGrath had a small insurance.

People in this vicinity have got a fine lot of hauling done this winter, in wood and timber.

James Morrison is putting in a large cut of timber north of Thorne's Cove, on the Bay shore, and has a number of the best teams in the country employed, including G. Shaffner, H. Croscup, R. Longmire, V. Porter, who are hauling from the rear of their own lands. Captain Clarence Croscup has been in making a visit at camp. He states on account of the scenic beauty and the hospitality of the camp he fain would stay there.

The ladies of the Methodist church held a sale and supper at which they realized the handsome sum of $39, Tuesday evening of last week, at the Division hall.

Capt. John Apt has returned from St. John where he has been purchasing supplies for his fishing business.

It is rumored that the S. S. Prince Arthur is the boat which will ply between this port and St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burke are both very seriously ill.

Mrs. Albert Hudson is in quite poor health this winter.

Mr. John Haynes goes on the mountain and cuts and hauls wood every day. He is over 76 years of age.

The sleighing on the roads here is bout spoiled. We have had very light falls of snow this winter so far. In the woods there has not been more than six inches at any time.

Willoughby Connolly is quite ill of lung trouble.

John Armstrong who has been logging for Henry Casey, has got through with his job and returned home.

George Hayden has sold his nice driving horse to E. H. Porter.

Mrs. James Snow is visiting with her mother, Mrs. David Hayden.

Capt. Ansel Casey cut his foot quite badly in the woods chopping Friday of last week. Dr. Smith was called and dressed the wound.

Mrs. Thomas Burke is very seriously ill, not much hopes of her recovery being entertained. Her husband, Thomas Burke, is convalescing.

Albert Hudson, Will Westhaver and Arch Kendall are among the lumbermen working with James Morrison near the bay, north of Thorne's Cove. Mr. Morrison and others are putting in a large cut there.

Mrs. Ed. Slocumb remains about the same, though beginning a new treatment. We hope for her speedy recovery.

A social dance party was held at Rupert McWhinnie's on Thursday night of last week. A good time was reported.

Hattie Westhaver, of Annapolis, made a short visit with her parents here last week.

James Slocumb was over to Digby on a business trip for three days last week.

Victor Porter has finished logging on the Bay shore, and is now hauling to the river. Ralph Hayden has moved with his team to the Bay shore, hauling logs for James Morrison.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

NORTH WILLIAMSTON.

Mrs. William Dunn, of Tacoma, Washington, and niece, Miss M. Dargie, of Bridgetown, spent a few days quite recently with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver DeLancey.

William W. Whitman, who had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly two weeks ago, is able to be out again

Mrs. Abner Saunders, of Nictaux South, was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Henry Marshall during the past week.

Mr. Albert Smith, of Brockton, Mass., is visiting his aunt Mrs. Weston Crawford.

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Rice lb	3½c	Sardines can	4c
Quaker Oats pkg	9c	Blueberries can	9c
Mustard can	8c	Corn can	9c
Bendorp's Cocoa can	22c	Peas can	8c
Household Ammonia btl	8c	Corn Beef 2 lbs can	23c
Tapioca lb	7c	Dried Beef can	13c
Lipton's Jellies pkg	9c	Ginger pkg	6c
Naptha Soap cake	4c	Oranges doz	15c
Tiger 30 Tea lb	25c	Fudge lb	10c
Morse's 30 Tea lb	25c	Our own mixture Chocolates and Creams lb	13c
Morse's 35 Tea lb	30c	Mixed Chocolates lb	25c
Union Blend 35 Tea lb	30c	40c Chocolates lb	32c
Morse's 40 Tea lb	35c	Prunes lb	6½c

W. W. CHESLEY