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WOLFVILLE, N. S., AUG. 16, 1912.

Some 14,000,000 persons, it is estimated, will be compulsorily insured under the Natural Insurance Act, which went into effect in Great Britain on July 15th. Every adult wage earner whose income is less than $800 a year comes under the Act, which provides for old-age pensions, aid in illness and maternity cases, and the establishment of sanatoria for those afflicted with tuberculosis or other diseases requiring institutional treatment. Provision is made also for unemployment insurance for about 2,400,000 men employed in the building and engineering trades.

Thomas E. Corning, K. C., of Yarmouth, of the firm of Corning & Chipman, died at Yarmouth last week, after an illness of two or three years. He was a son of the late Nelson Corning and a leading member of the Nova Scotia Bar. He was a graduate of Acadia University in the class of '65. He was elected to the Local House in 1882 and served one term. He was an unsuccessful candidate in the Conservative interest for the Local House, in 1878 and 1889, and in the Dominion elections in 1900 and 1904. He was defeated because Yarmouth is a Liberal constituency, but, as a man, was highly esteemed.

To teach the rising generation that there is anything in luck may be a heterodox sort of doctrine, but after all don't you really think that there IS something in luck and chance? You know you do. A man of very ordinary ability may be in a special environment, that is particularly favorable. The man himself is not responsible for his environment; he did not create it; he simply found himself in it. This looks like a case of pure luck or chance. Another man is beset with difficulties on every side; he possesses much ability but he goes down because of overwhelmingly circumstances over which he had absolutely no control. Call it luck or chance or what you will, there is something in it and there is no use denying the fact.

According to a government report issued, there are unclaimed balances in Canadian banks totalling $676,147; unclaimed dividends of $3,659, and drafts or bills of exchange, $49,851. The increase in unclaimed balances during the last fiscal year amounted to $38,000 and in unclaimed drafts, $10,000. The largest amounts unclaimed are in the Montreal City and District Bank, $122,071; Bank of Montreal, 119,000; Bank of B. N. A., $93,000; Bank of Commerce, $58,000; Bank of Hamilton, $52,000; Union Bank, $41,000. Many of the other banks have smaller amounts. These balances will in all probability be taken over by the government as has been suggested several times in the banking and commerce committee of the commons, as it is doubtful whether much of it will ever be claimed by the owners.

Summer School of Science.

The twenty-sixth session of the Summer School of Science, which met this year in Yarmouth, closed on Wednesday evening, July 31. About two hundred and seventy-five teachers were in attendance combining pleasure with profit and helping to make this session one of the most interesting and successful in the history of the institution. Kings County had seventeen representatives, Nova Scotia about one hundred and eighty—three times the number at the Rural Science School at Truro where tuition is free and travelling expenses are paid—a fact showing the popularity of the Summer School of Science among the Nova Scotia teachers.

Liberal courses in science, nature study, English literature, manual and physical training are given each summer at the S.S. of S. and its faculty is composed of men high in the teaching profession—recognized leaders in Canada and the United States.

But though much work was done by the students, considerable time was found for play, and Yarmouth presents glorious opportunities in this direction. Boating, motoring, driving, bowling, dancing, basket-ball, tennis all received attention, and helped to make the school a success. Evening lectures by able speakers on popular subjects were another enjoyable feature.

It is not yet decided where the next session will be held—but wherever it is, Kings County teachers, who wish to spend an ideal three weeks and who are at all enthusiastic in their work and wish to be stimulated still more, will not fail to be present.—Com.

Maritime Board of Trade.

The meeting of the Board at Truro on the 21st and 22nd inst. bids fair to be one of the most successful in its history. In accordance with a resolution passed at last year's meeting at Moncton, invitations have been issued to the members of the Dominion Parliament and of the legislative bodies of the Maritime Provinces to attend and take part in the deliberations. On the afternoon of the second day the Truro Board purposes giving those in attendance an auto ride through Truro and the surrounding country to be followed by a luncheon in the beautiful Victoria Park if the weather is favorable. If the weather is unfavorable the luncheon will take place in one of the large halls of the town.

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Rural Science School at Truro.

The sessions of the Rural Science School held at the Normal and Agricultural Colleges from July 9th to August 5th, were completed on Friday last. This School is provided by the Government for the purpose of affording the teachers of the Province an opportunity to study the various sciences, as Botany, Entomology, Chemistry, etc., so that they can teach the rudiments of these subjects in the common schools.

Whatever view may have been held in the past, it is now pretty generally accepted that the schools of Nova Scotia can prove much more effective in interesting the pupils in farming and horticulture and other industrial lines, than they have. The difficulty is to provide a class of teachers who know enough about plants and insects and soils, these things that pertain to the industries, to teach something of them. A special year's course similar to that required for pedagogic training at the Normal College, might supply the need. But few teachers could afford this. Neither will a fragmentary one year's course, beneficial as it might be, provide as thorough a training as is required. The only solution seems to be a vacation school, which provides a curriculum of studies similar to that offered by any other School or College that may hold its sessions throughout the year, and this is the place which the Rural Science School at Truro fills.

The Directors of this School, who compose the faculties of the Agricultural and Normal Colleges, have laid down a course of studies in the sciences, and when teachers have satisfactorily completed this course they are awarded a Rural Science Diploma. The teacher who holds this Diploma and who puts this teaching into practice satisfactory to the School Inspector, will be recognized by a substantial extra grant from the Government.

Such a course cannot be completed in one year. A teacher, previously trained in the sciences, might complete it in two. But the average teacher requires three years. However, when the teacher has completed the course, he will have a grasp of the natural sciences of value in themselves and also of value because it will make possible the teaching of these practical subjects in the schools.

While the full Government Grant to the holder of a Rural Science Diploma is not given until the course is completed, the Government does recognize the work done from year to year, provided a teacher satisfactorily completes one year's course at this Rural Science School and teaches effectively along this line during the next term in his school, he is entitled to an extra Government Grant of $15. Such a teacher holds a 'Temporary Diploma' of the Rural Science School.

In addition to the above recognition the Government shows its interest in this work by paying the travelling expenses of those teachers who attend the School.

Not all who attend the School aim to obtain a Diploma. Some take the opportunity of studying one or more of the sciences for their own sake, independent of any prospective financial reward. This year, however, three completed the course and twenty-eight completed either the first or second year of the prescribed course. In accordance with this, Rural Science Diplomas were awarded at the conclusion of the course this year to the following three students: Kathleen Knickle, Lunenburg; Mabel C. Moseley, Dartmouth; Georgie Stevens, Truro; and 'Temporary Diplomas' were awarded the following twenty-eight students: Adelaide E. Baltzer, Middleton, Annapolis Co. Leah A. Borden, Lower Canard, Kings Co.; Gladys K. Daniels, Paradise, Annapolis Co.; Joseph P. Doucet, Little Brook, Digby Co.; E. Irene Fulton, Sydney, C. B.; Mary A. Hamilton, Lockport, Shelburne Co.; Ethel M. Hiltz, Dartmouth, N. S.; Gladys E. Harris, Sydney, C. B.; A. Edwin Hyson, East River, Lunenburg Co.; Elsie C. Lantz, Cambridge, Hants Co.; Helena M. Lantz, Cambridge, Hants Co.; Winnifred M. G. Lavers, E. Southampton, Cumb. Co.; Annie J. Lockhart, Newville, Cumb. Co.; Annie C. Luscombe, Westville, Picton Co.; Edith G. Marsh, Central Economy, Col. Co.; Morris O. Manner, Lunenburg, N. S.; Beatrice F. Morton, New Germany, Lunenburg Co.; Albert E. McCormick, Granville Centre, Annapolis Co.; Hannah McIver, Indian Brook, Victoria Co.; Ella McKay, Piedmont, Pictou Co.; Margaret McKenzie, Dartmouth, N. S.; Kate E. McNaly, Pugwash, Cumb. Co.; Elsie M. McNutt, Lower Truro, Col. Co.; Elbin A. O'Regan, Lakelands, Cumb. Co.; Dora M. Quinn, Brown's Brook, Cumb. Co.; Vivien Salter, Diligent River, Cumb. Co.; Bertha A. Wright, Upper Brookside, Col. Co.; Earl Whyte, Truro, Col. Co.

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S.S. Prince George from Yarmouth to Boston, stuck on a sandbar in Yarmouth Harbor, last Monday evening. After repeated attempts she was pulled off with tugs, Tuesday evening, and proceeded to Boston.

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Canadian Coopers Used Sixty Million Feet of Lumber in 1911.

The value of the material used in the slack cooperage industry in Canada in 1911, according to figures prepared by the Forestry Branch, Department of the Interior, was $1,465,702, or about $130,000 less than the value in 1910. The amount of material consumed, outside of a large element of waste which cannot be accurately determined, is estimated at 62,353,190 feet, board measure.

Ontario leads in this industry, with the production of 64 per cent. of the total number of staves, 70 per cent. of the headings and 76 per cent. of the hoops. Nova Scotia, with a large proportion of fish barrels, was next with 29 per cent., 24 per cent. and 20 per cent., respectively, of the total number of staves, heading and hoops. The other provinces produce very limited quantities.

Imports exceeded exports of $135,463 by $194,529. White Oak staves form an important part of the imports, numbering, in all, 7,293,000, whereas only 2,768,000 were cut in Canada. The Canadian supply of oak, which alone is suitable for the manufacture of containers for alcoholic beverages, is so nearly exhausted that this branch of the tight cooperage industry will practically cease in a few years.

The cost of materials for slack cooperage averaged as follows per thousand pieces: staves, $6.91; heading, (sets) $54.77; hoops, $7.62. Figures on the cost of tight cooperage material were not available.

A Plethora of Addresses.

Alluding to the visit of the Royal party to the different towns of the Province, and the presentation of addresses at each place, the Amherst News Sentinel aptly says:

The Royal party, however, have our sympathy. They must be bored to death with addresses, bouquets, formal receptions and set speeches of the dryest character. Aside from the question of salary we would not exchange jobs with the Duke or any of his party. What an affliction it must be to be compelled to listen to half a dozen addresses every day beginning 'To His Royal Highness, Prince Arthur Patrick Frederick William, Duke of Connaught, Governor General of Canada,' etc. We imagine that the Duke would rather have a cordial shake of the hand and a hearty 'how do you do' rather than the endless rigmarole of addresses over which Town Clerks have to sweat and worry night after night to knock them in shape. He is, however, taking his medicine manfully but before he gets through no one will begrudge him his salary.

Thoughts.

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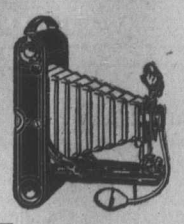

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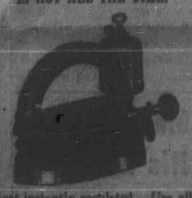

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