

NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY.

TUPPERVILLE. Miss Minnie Nichols has left for the States, where she intends residing, at least for twelve months.

After two weeks absence from his home, Mr. T. B. Chipman returned from Grand Manan, N. B., last week. While picking apples Mr. William Ingalls, Sr., fell from a tree from some little height, and through presence of mind in falling, saved himself from what might have been very ugly results.

Mr. John Corbett left here to-day, (10th inst.) on his usual peregrinations through the southwest of this county.

Mrs. D. S. Chipman gave a very enjoyable "at home" last week, at which all the young people of this district were present.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Allen on the 2nd inst.

Mrs. Sarah Langille had the misfortune of running a hayfork into her ankle on the 9th. We are sorry to report that she is confined to the house.

Mrs. Grace Grimm, who has been doing military work at Lunenburg, returned to her home on Saturday last. We are glad to report Messrs. Geo. Durling and S. B. Loham improving.

Mr. Firth Locke returned to Fredericton Business College on the 4th. He was accompanied by his sister Miss Annie, who will take a course in stenography at the college.

During the gala which ended on Sunday afternoon the home of Messrs. Omar and Mrs. Stoddard was burned to the ground. The fire caught in the attic and was not discovered until too late to save the house.

Service on Sunday, 15th inst., will be at 11 a. m. Miss Winnifred Elliott, who has been in attendance at Acadia Seminary, is at home.

The standing of the high school pupils for the month of October is as follows: Grade XI. Winnifred Foster 59, Frank Anderson 70, Stanley Hall 70, Earle Kinsley 61, Laura Hall 69, Johnson Beardsley 63, Webb Milberry 41.

Guests at the hotel this week have been Stillman Henshaw, Deep Brook; J. A. Clarke, Lunenburg; Samuel FitzRandolph, Bridgetown; R. H. Davis, Yarmouth; S. D. B. Ritchie, Annapolis; P. L. Lantz and wife, Caledonia.

A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Norman A. Moore, Annapolis Royal, at 6.30 Wednesday last, when their eldest daughter Edith May, was united in marriage to Thomas H. Taylor, an employe on the Dominion Atlantic Railway.

Mr. George Connell, in company with his brother and William Wood, shot two moose last week.

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BEAR RIVER. (Telephone.) —Joseph Henshaw had the misfortune to lose a valuable yearling colt on Saturday.

—Edward Weston, an aged and respected citizen of this place, passed away on Friday, Oct. 30th, aged 87 1/2 years.

—Mr. E. Hinton and son Roy went to Annapolis on a visit to Capt. B., whose sch. the Foster Rice, will be ready for sea to-morrow.

—The repairs on the street at the approach of the drawbridge are in full swing this week, under the direction of Mr. John Fraser, of Halifax.

—The town of Wolfville is suffering from an outbreak of diphtheria, brought on, it is said from the unsatisfactory working of the sewerage system. Several houses have been quarantined, the public schools are closed and four deaths have occurred up to time of writing.

—The four-year-old son of Col. Hirtle had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday. While playing on the wharf of A. Marshall at the time of high water he accidentally slipped into the river. W. A. Chute was fortunately near and promptly pulled the badly frightened youngster out. It has been Mr. Chute's good fortune to save quite a number of persons from a watery death.

—Some changes are being made in the location of some of the store buildings owned by Clark Bros. and Mr. Albert Benson, with a number of helpers is laying the foundations to which he will shortly remove them. The store purchased from C. C. Rice will be moved to the opposite side of the street, and the warehouse and same property will be placed in a new position. A new building will shortly be erected on the site left vacant by the removal of the Rice store.

ANNAPOLIS. (Spectator.) Mr. T. Millidge Gavaza, we are pleased to learn, has a good position in the Learmont Hotel at Truro.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ritchie and children of Cambridgeport, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Buckler. Messrs. Crowe Bros., of this town, have the contract for the plumbing of the New McDonald School house at Middleton.

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Mr. Hugh Kerr, who is boarding at a Margareville hotel, is very ill. Mr. Kerr is well known by lumbermen in this county, and particularly around Annapolis Royal. Fifteen and twenty years ago he was the crown land surveyor, and no litigation against him has ever taken place in any court if his case had any reference to crown lands, without the testimony of Hugh Kerr. He has been Dominion land surveyor since 1888 and about 1889 was in the northwest on a survey. Mr. Kerr must be over eighty years old.

Canadian Apples Crossing the Atlantic. A. E. Phillips, Kenville, has furnished the following statistics in reference to present week's apples for the week ending October 31st: From Halifax to London, 19,250 bbls.; to Liverpool, 5,937 bbls.; total, 25,187 bbls. Estimated shipment for present week to London, 16,000 bbls. Annapolis last week shipped to Hull (reported) 6,414 bbls.; Montreal 46,357 bbls. to Liverpool last week, and other ports large quantities, so the total was 108,065 bbls., the largest number we ever remember of reaching Liverpool in the week. The week previous was a high one, being 81,217. The total for the week to London was 49,929 bbls., New York 1,900 bbls. The same week last year London only received 5,924 bbls., and in 1901, 1,233 bbls. Liverpool also greatly increased over last year, being 41,494 bbls. in 1902 and 20,071 bbls. in 1901. Montreal sent 19,250 bbls. to Glasgow last week, making the total for all ports of the immense shipment of 220,017 bbls., as compared with 209,210 bbls. for the week previous, and being double for the same week last year.

The total shipments from all ports is now 1,434,188 bbls., same time 1902 861,887 bbls., and in 1901, 21,489.

Mr. Hax has now sent forward 172,201 bbls., compared with 25,738 bbls. same time in 1902.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

—It would be difficult to find a town where more nationalities are represented than in the case of Sydney Mines at present. Canadian, English, Scotch, Irish, French, German, Armenian, Austrians, Swedes, Jews, Chinese, Negroes, Minnans, all are found, some in considerable numbers, others only singly.—C. B. Entolpique.

—What may prove a fatal accident occurred Friday afternoon at the new building in course of erection at Bible Hill, Truro. While Allen McLean was engaged in mixing mortar on the ground beside the building a stone fell from a scaffold, striking him on the head. He was taken to his home in an unconscious condition and may not recover. It is feared his skull has been fractured.

—A Digby despatch to the Halifax Herald says: "The dog fish nuisance in the Bay of Fundy, even at this late date in the season, may be judged from the fact that for each 35 pounds of edible fish taken by a crew recently, they had on their hooks 1,000 pounds of dog fish. In addition to this the fishing gear is so marked and destroyed that it takes a day between sets to repair it."

—On Thursday last Silas O'Brien, a prominent farmer of Noel, Hants Co., was on a ladder making some repairs to one of his buildings when he slipped and fell to the ground, his head making contact with a stone. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and remained that way until Sunday, when he passed away. He was 52 years of age and leaves a widow and family.

—Handley Palmer, of Rockland, two miles from Berwick, met with a serious accident in his mill one day last week. The mill had just been set up, but the flooring was not properly laid. While he was cutting stave bolts his foot slipped from a piece of scantling on which he was standing and came in contact with the saw, which cut down into the instep, severing the arteries and tendons and entering deep into the bone.

—The sale of the personal effects of the Sibletho Pulp and Paper Company took place at Weymouth last week, the prices realized being generally fair. The closing down of the works has been a check to the progress of Weymouth, but it is hoped that an American company will purchase the plant and timber areas and operate the mills. Pulp had been profitedly manufactured for some ten years before the Sibletho company was organized, and there seems to be no good reason why, with prudent management the same results cannot be attained again.—Halifax Herald.

South Shore Line. MCKENZIE & MANN HAVE MORE THAN 2,500 MEN EMPLOYED IN NOVA SCOTIA.

The work on a number of sections of the Halifax and Southwestern Railway is being rapidly pushed ahead. On the section east of Bridgewater, Mr. Sinclair has about 1,600 men employed and the grading will be completed to Ingram River by the end of the month. The work between the river and Halifax is also well under way, and if the weather is favorable the grading from Mahone to Halifax should be well forwarded by the end of the year.

The bridge work is making good progress and track laying will commence on these sections early next month. The ballasting on the Caledonia branch is about finished, and some rolling stock is coming to hand. On the western end the Atlantic Contracting Company will have the grading to Liverpool finished this week, about 600 men being now employed. Work has been commenced on the Victoria Beach between Middleton and Bridgetown, and it is expected that rails will be laid between these towns by the first of January. On their various railway projects in Nova Scotia, McKenzie & Mann at the present time have over 2,500 men employed.—Halifax Chronicle.

Foreign Apple Markets. Cable advices from all foreign markets report apple markets as very active, and notwithstanding arrivals are large, they are cleared daily at good prices. All fine red varieties in good condition are selling to give nets from \$2.00 to \$2.75 here in Boston. Occasional fancy lots of Kings sell to give nets here in Boston at \$3.50 and \$4. Greenings and other cooking apples are in good demand and selling to give nets from \$2.00 to \$2.75.

Latest mail advices continue to speak of the excellent demand for American and Canadian apples. The great bulk of the arrivals are in good condition, and there seems to be no let up in the demand from home and continental buyers. Good prices are looked for for another month or six weeks at least. Growers should get their fruit forward at once, and American and Canadian apples should be marketed before the advent of the Teesmanian fruit, which commences to arrive in England at the end of the year, and the crop is also to be very fine and large.

GEO. A. COCHRANE, Apple Exporter, Boston, Nov. 6th, 1903.

Japan Ready for War. Seattle, Wn., Nov. 9.—Japan is all ready for war with Russia according to Charles V. Seale, a millionaire business man who has lived in Yokohama for the past 23 years. He says the people generally in Japan expect war and want it, but that the government so far has pursued a very conservative policy and has succeeded in checking the more radical lines. They say that Japan does not care anything about Manchuria except to protect its trade, but Russia must keep its paws off Corea or there will be war. The newspapers of Japan have entered an agreement to print nothing about the movements of either the navy or the army, and all strangers are closely shadowed to prevent Russia becoming aware of Japan's preparations. Mr. Seale left Yokohama October 6, and he says the feeling at that time was that war must come, and that Japan was ready in every sense of the word.

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GENERAL NEWS.

The Boers in South Africa and their late enemies, the English residents, have formed a syndicate to exploit a spectacular military display at the St. Louis Exposition next year. The plan as outlined is to show many of the picturesque features of the late war.

Emperor William, Saturday, underwent an operation for the removal of a polypus from his larynx. The operation was performed by Professor Mortiz Schmidt, and was entirely successful. The only inconvenience suffered by the patient is that he has been enjoined not to speak until the wound caused by the operation has been healed.

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DIED. GERMAN.—At County Almshouse, Bridgetown, Sunday, Nov. 8th, Joseph O'Brien, aged 70 years.

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. Tender for Submarine Hauling and Dredging at Halifax, N. S.

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