



Peep again in your oven.  
 See those loaves, those pleasing  
 loaves you've made.  
 How fat—rounded—substantial.  
 No, they won't fall when colder.  
 Because the Manitoba strength that  
 is in FIVE ROSES will hold them up  
 till eaten.  
 This sturdy elastic gluten has kept them  
 from dropping flat in the oven.  
 No unsightly holes 'twixt crust and crumb—  
 never.  
 All risen evenly—to stay risen.  
 Never heavy—sodden—soggy—indigestible.  
 Yours are the FIVE ROSES loaves—  
 Crisply and appetizing of crust.  
 Golden brown and tender.  
 Snowy of crumb—light as thistledown.  
 FIVE ROSES helps a lot.  
 Try it soon.

# Five Roses Flour

Not Bleached Not Blended



## MARGARETVILLE

March 8th.  
 Mr. M. C. Munroe spent Sunday with his family in this place.  
 Mrs. Arthur Bishop and children are visiting Captain and Mrs. I. Brown.  
 Miss Georgie Balcom of Acadia Seminary is at home recovering from the mumps.  
 The members of the Red Cross Society held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. I. T. Coulstan on Monday afternoon.  
 The Fortnightly Club held a meeting at the Parsonage on Thursday evening and were well entertained by an interesting talk from Dr. Hutchins.

On Friday evening, March 5th a company of local amateurs presented in the Orange Hall, Margareville a farce comedy called "The Ranees' Necklace." It was by far the best thing in the way of either amateur or professional work seen here in years. Starting with the scenery which was unusually attractive the whole performance showed a praiseworthy attention to detail. There were seven characters, each quite different from the other and offering equal opportunities for successful interpretation. Mr. C. E. Balcom as Lord Blazonberre presented a well sustained impersonation of a young Englishman of a not too attractive type. Mr. Balcom maintained his accent to the bitter end and combined the pleasant and unpleasant sides of his role with skill. Mr. N. G. McGranahan as Jack Ryder, a young American author acted with much ability and that rare characteristic of the amateur restraint. Mr. C. D. Blair gave a splendid interpretation of Robinson the butler, in accordance with the most approved traditions of the legitimate stage. Mr. Lloyd Patterson acted the part of Dick Chetwyn in a manner that won him the approval of the audience. It is difficult to say whether the talent or the costumes of the women in the play earned them the greatest admiration. Miss Phinney as Petrolia Seersucker, the daughter of an American millionaire wore three very attractive gowns and gave an interesting interpretation of her part. Miss Mapplebeck, who has a good stage presence, made an excellent Duchess, in places her acting was good and her gowns, particularly an evening gown of pink with an overdress of ecru lace draped in classic style were a feature of her part. Mrs. C. E. Balcom as Lulu Seersucker an impressive child of fifteen was well received. Her costumes and general make up were good. The entr'actes were popular songs as played in the theatres of Boston today. It is hoped that the play will be repeated. It was gotten up for the benefit of the local Belgium Fund, and it is understood that the actors are willing to place themselves at the disposal of any of the various patriotic societies. The play is well worth seeing.

## St. Hanley

March 9th.  
 Mrs. Frank M. Brown is at present the guest of her parents at Albany.  
 Miss Winnie Banks has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Brown at Middleton.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilkins of Middleton are spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Balsor.  
 Mrs. Israel Fritz and daughter Mary Helen spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Fritz of Port George.  
 The W. M. A. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. B. Miller on March tenth, at 3 o'clock. Cordial invitation to all the members.  
 Much sympathy is felt in this community for the relatives of Mr. C. H. Reed who was fatally burned in his house last Friday morning.  
 Mrs. Lockard Hines is at present afflicted with rheumatism in her hands. Dr. Messenger is attending her.  
 Mrs. Zebulon Elliott who has been on the sick list for the last two months, is no better at time of writing. Dr. Messenger is in attendance.

## Outram

March 8th.  
 Preaching services Sunday March 21st, at three p. m.  
 We are sorry to report Mr. Kenneth Banks laid up with a sore foot at present.  
 Mr. James and Dr. C. Balsor of Middleton spent a few days of last week with their friends in this place.  
 Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Millnary have returned home after spending a week with their many friends in this place.  
 Mrs. Sarah Grant has returned to her home after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Sophie Grant, Port Lorne.  
 Mr. Gilbert Healy is spending an indefinite period with his mother, Mrs. Eliza Healy, after being absent for over a year.  
 Mr. William A. Marshall of Bridgetown, has purchased the Andrew Balsor estate and expects to move his family there soon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. George King of Beaufield and Mrs. Edward Marshall and son of Mt. Rose were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bent one day last week.  
 Our community was greatly saddened a week ago to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Charles Brown of Lynn. Much sympathy is felt for the aged mother, brothers and sister.

## Falkland Ridge

March 8th.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Milford McMullen a son, March 5th.  
 Miss Effie McMullen has returned to her work in New Germany.  
 Mrs. Mary Sproule has gone to Torbrook where she intends to spend a few weeks.  
 The W. M. A. S. convened at the home of Mrs. Lorraine Hoopie on Wednesday afternoon.  
 Miss A. Ritey is spending the week-end at her home in Nictaux. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss A. Roope.  
 Mrs. A. Fairn arrived on Tuesday, intending to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Edar Mason but was immediately called home by the sudden death of her brother.

## Albany

March 8th.  
 Mrs. A. B. Fairn was called to Paradise on Monday, March 1st, on account of the very sudden death of her brother, Mr. George Starratt.

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 For Infants and Children  
 In Use For Over 30 Years  
 Always Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

## Granville Ferry

March 8th.  
 Glad to see our Post Master, Mr. W. A. Piggott out again.  
 Miss M. Troop of Belleisle is visiting her sister, Mrs. Amberman.  
 Mrs. John Roney has been on the sick list, but is now recovering.  
 "La Grippe" seems to be the order of the day. Seems to have "gripped" a good many.  
 Mr. H. T. Amberman expects to open up his new boot and shoe store some time this week.  
 Miss Helen Pickup returned home on Wednesday. She has been visiting friends in Halifax for the past four weeks.  
 James Berry left for Providence, R. I., to rejoin his vessel. Sorry to see you go Jim. You will be missed by "one" and all.  
 The Oddfellows had a time of their own on Wednesday, Feb. 24th in honour of Grand Master Judge Chesley of Lunenburg.  
 Captain C. W. Crooseup is having some trouble with his eyes. Hope to hear that they are better soon and stay that way.  
 Mrs. Johnstone Beardsley is expected home this week. All her friends sympathize with her in the loss of her little brother.  
 Seymour Division from Granville Centre visited Granville Ferry Division on Friday, February the 26th. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

## Hillsburn

March 8th.  
 Miss Alice returned to her home at Upper Clements on Saturday.  
 Mrs. Austin Weir, of Parker's Cove visited relatives here last week.  
 Mrs. Bertie Hardwick and daughter, Freda, left on Saturday for Deep Brook.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Halliday spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson.  
 Mrs. Frank McCaulle of Delap's Cove spent a few days with her parents here last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Esteen Longmire entertained the young people on Friday at a wood-chopping party.  
 Mrs. Primrose Halliday and Mrs. Clarence Everett of Litchfield spent Sunday with their sister Mrs. Harry Longmire.  
 Misses Hester and Nellie Hamilton, of Litchfield spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Halliday.  
 Miss Estella Longmire returned home on Monday from Litchfield where she has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Millbury.

## Parker's Cove

March 8th.  
 Mr. Edward Hudson was the guest of his brother on Sunday.  
 Mr. Herbert Clayton is building a boat which is nearing completion.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Austin Weir visited relatives in Hillsburn over the week-end.  
 Quite a number of the men folk are repairing lobster traps and getting ready for fishing.

## Lake Brook

March 8th.  
 Mr. and Mrs. David Karnes, Hampton, spent Sunday in this place.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rafuse spent the week-end at Phinney's Cove.  
 Mr. Gordon Clayton of Karadale is spending a few days in this place.  
 Mr. Howard Graham had the misfortune of loosing quite a valuable cow last week.  
 Mrs. Lason Moore of Granville Centre, spent a few days with her friend, Mrs. Wm. Gregory quite recently.

## MELVERN SQUARE

March 8th.  
 Colonel Spurr expects to attend the ordination of the Rev. Mr. Jacobs at Annapolis Royal this week.  
 Mr. Clayton King is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Sophronia Pierce, during this week.  
 Mr. Kenneth McNeil recently visited friends in Halifax and Bedford, no doubt combining business with pleasure.  
 Mr. and Miss Cox of Weston, Kings County, and Mr. Keys, of Truro, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Phinney.  
 Miss Mira Pierce and brother Ezekiel, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Whitman Plumb of Granville Ferry, this week, having gone to the Ferry on Sabbath last.  
 Those who have been on the sick list suffering from bad colds, are Mrs. William McNeil, Mrs. Timothy Phinney, Mrs. Samuel Tilley and others, all of whom are now convalescent.  
 Mrs. Scott McNeil, of Halifax, is spending a week or two in Melvern Square, the guest of Lt.-Col., and Mrs. McNeil. Her husband, Lieut. Scott McNeil is still on garrison duty in the city.  
 Mr. Harry Stillwell will speak in the Baptist Church on Friday evening next in the interest of missions. As Mr. Stillwell has the reputation of being a hunt speaker, a good attendance is expected.  
 The services in both Baptist and Methodist church on Sabbath last, were well attended. In the Baptist Church in the evening the Rev. Mr. Wheeler sang a solo, one of his best, which, we are safe in saying was thoroughly appreciated by all who had the pleasure of listening to his well-trained voice.  
 The ladies of the Red Cross Society are still much interested in their work despite the many calls of duty along other lines and it is a noticeable fact that one of the best, if not the best pair of socks knitted by the Society were knitted by a little girl of twelve years. This should encourage all new workers who have lately taken up the good old-fashioned accomplishment of knitting. The Red Cross workers in connection with their other work, will pack a box of groceries, canned goods, etc., on Friday afternoon of this week, to be sent to the Belgians later on.

## West Paradise

March 8th.  
 The auction sale at Miss Ina Durling's on Saturday last was well attended and a good sale was made.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. Hirtle and Mrs. J. W. Saunders, who have been quite ill with "lagrippe" are able to be out again.  
 A card received from Eugene A. Poole by your correspondent says the first N. S. Contingent are still at Salisbury Plains, England.  
 Some of our boys who have enlisted for the war in the Third Contingent are home on a visit to friends and relatives before taking their departure for England.  
 Mrs. Charles Daniels is quite ill at time of writing. She returned from Bear River, where she was visiting her old home and was taken ill quite suddenly. We hope for her speedy recovery.  
 The farm recently owned by the late Fletcher Durling has been sold to Mr. Fred Bath of Bridgetown. We understand he is going into the poultry business. We welcome Mr. Bath in our midst and hope for his success in his new business.  
 Owing to the lack of snow this winter, the wood piles in this vicinity have failed to materialize, some farmers have none at all as yet, and as the season is pretty well advanced, they are not likely to get any. Oh! for one of our old boyhood day's snow storms, it would be a treat about now.

## Centre Clarence

March 8th.  
 Rev. Arthur Dimock of Dorchester, Mass., called on friends here last week.  
 Mr. H. D. Starratt spent the week-end with friends in Bridgetown.  
 Mr. Floyd Smith left for Halifax Friday to attend the Boys' Conference.  
 Report says Mr. Frank Bezanson has leased his farm to Mr. Walker of Waterville, Kings County.  
 The Dramatic Club met in the vestry last Monday evening. A very interesting programme was given which was enjoyed by all.

## St. Croix Cove

March 8th.  
 Mr. Melbourne Charlton, Kentville, visited relatives here last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Poye Templeman, Hampton, visited relatives here yesterday.  
 Mrs. D. M. Hall has been spending the past week with relatives at Lawrencetown.  
 Mrs. T. S. Brinton underwent a surgical operation at her home last Thursday. Her condition at present is hopeful.  
 Mr. Bradford Hall came from Acadia College, Friday, to attend the funeral of his brother Oscar. He returned today.  
 After an illness of two months, Oscar, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Zachus Hall passed away on Thursday, March 4th, aged four years and four months. He was a very bright and attractive little fellow and will be greatly missed in the home and by the neighbors.  
 The funeral, which was largely attended, took place yesterday afternoon. The service was conducted by our pastor, Rev. A. Whitman who delivered a very comforting discourse from John 11th, 25th and 26th verses. May God bless and comfort the sorrowing family and help them to feel that "He doeth all things well."

## Port Lorne

March 8th.  
 Quite a number of our young men left today for St. John to seek employment.  
 Steamer Ruby L. called today on her way to St. John. This is her first trip of the season.  
 Captain I. A. Beardsley spent Sunday, February 21st, with his son Johnson at Granville Ferry.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Daniels were recent guests of Mrs. Daniel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dalton.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Silas Beardsley, St. Croix Cove visited Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Beardsley one day last week.  
 The "Willing Workers" ice cream sale proved a success last Saturday evening. They received the sum of \$5.25.  
 A clam supper was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Graves a short time ago. A large number were present, and the evening was enjoyed by all.  
 A number from here attended the funeral of little Oscar Hall at St. Croix Cove on Sunday to show their respect and sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Hall and family.

## North Williamston

March 3rd.  
 Last Sunday afternoon at the close of the Sunday School, Paul Bezanson of Brickton was appointed to attend the Boys' Conference at Halifax.  
 Mr. Frank Bezanson arrived home from Leominster, Mass., last Saturday. We are very sorry to report that Mr. Bezanson is still in poor health.  
 One day last week as Mr. Oliver Delancey was driving his cattle to water he had the misfortune to slip and fall on the hard frozen ground and cut several gashes in his face. We are pleased to report at time of writing he is doing nicely.  
 The District S. S. Association was held here last Friday afternoon and evening. Although the roads were in a very bad condition, quite a large number were present in the afternoon.  
 The address given by the Field Secretary was very interesting. In the evening the addresses given by the Field Secretary, Revs. H. G. Mollack and F. J. Armitage of Lawrencetown, Mr. C. F. Armstrong and Mrs. Annie Saunders of Nictaux, were very much appreciated by a large and attentive audience.

## Clementsport

March 8th.  
 Mr. Leslie Baird left yesterday on a business trip to Weymouth.  
 Harold Potter and Leon Wright left on Friday to attend the Boys' Conference at Halifax.  
 Mrs. Alden Chute and daughter Margaret are pending a few days with Mrs. J. Harry Hicks, Bridgetown.  
 Mr. George Beeler and Mr. Obadiah Floyd attended the funeral of the late Isaac Floyd of Milford on Monday.  
 Rev. O. P. Brown preached a most interesting and helpful sermon on Sunday evening from the first four verses of the 24th Psalm. "The world is the Lord's and the fulness thereof; the world and they that dwell therein."

**WINTER GOODS**

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Furs, Sweaters  
 Sweater Coats, Underwear, Hosiery and Corsets

Men's and Boys' Underwear, Sweaters, Caps, Shirts, Neckwear,  
 Suspenders, Mufflers

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Ladies', Gent's and Children's Handkerchiefs

Ladies' Handkerchiefs in Fancy Boxes and Envelopes, Gent's Initial Handkerchiefs in Silk and Excelda, Neckwear, Suspenders, Armlets and Garters in Gift boxes

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