



Carmen Smith Marshall, M.D., Bridgewater, N.S.

The famous Annapolis Valley has produced many professional men of renown from the United Empire Loyalist stock that populated it in years gone by. Among the most widely known of these is Dr. Marshall, who was born at Port Lorne in 1853. After a Public School education he became a teacher and served seven and a half years in Annapolis County. Then he entered Dalhousie University and pursued the study of Medicine, subsequently following it up with a course in the University of New York, from which he graduated with the degree of M. D. in 1882. For nine years afterwards he practised his profession in Mill village and then went to Chicago for post graduate work, remaining there until 1894, when he returned to his native province and settled in Bridgewater. His practice has now grown so as to require the assistance of two associates, and Dr. Marshall devotes particular attention to treatment of the eye, ear, nose and throat. He is widely known in fraternal circles, having been deputy of District No. 5 of A. F. and A. M., and identified with the I. O. O. F., the Foresters and the Knights of Pythias. While keeping clear of politics, Dr. Marshall has taken an active interest in the affairs of the town and has investments in shipping, mining, stocks and real estate.

Isaac Sidney Blenkhorn, Canning, N.S.

Mr. Blenkhorn is an example of the sturdy business man developed down by the sea. Born of Scandinavian-English ancestry at Kingsport, in 1848, he attended the public schools and took a course at St. John Business College. He first opened a ship-smithing business in Kingsport but in 1875 established a plant for the manufacture of edged tools at Canning, making a specialty of axes which are now famed throughout the Eastern Provinces. His factory was three times destroyed by fire but with indomitable energy, Mr. Blenkhorn overcame all difficulties and now has his business in more prosperous condition than ever before. He is also a coal dealer and owns a coal warehouse. As Ex-President of the Board of Trade, he has taken an active interest in all public matters and has also devoted some time to social affairs. He is a member of and office holder in the Foresters and Sons of Temperance Societies, and is a member of the Methodist church.

