

Correspondents' Corner.

PENNFIELD

Pennfield, Oct. 13.—The annual fair was held on Tuesday, October 10th, at the Orange Hall. The day being fair a large crowd attended. Dinner and supper were served by the ladies of the Baptist and Presbyterian churches, and about \$200 was realized. A very enjoyable time was spent in the evening, dancing being the chief amusement.

Miss Laura Brown, St. George, has returned home after spending a few days the most of the Misses Beatrice and Lillian McKay.

Mr. Harold McKay has returned to his home in L'Etang after spending a week the guest of friends here.

Miss Hazel McKay is visiting her uncle, Mr. Blair Ferris.

Miss Alvin Thorpe has returned to Mac's Bay after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKay.

Miss Grace Thompson spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. B. A. Hawkins.

Word was received here last week that Sergeant William Murray of this place was seriously wounded. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson McWhinney who have spent the summer months with their daughter, Mrs. H. C. McKay, have returned to their home in Mac's Bay.

The many friends of Mrs. Mary McDowell are glad to know that she is somewhat recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Clara Conley, Deer Island, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Justason.

Miss Hilda Beatty, of St. John, spent the week-end the guest of Miss Dorothy Thompson.

Miss John Sander, of Chance Harbor, spent a few days last week with relatives here.

WHITE'S COVE

White's Cove, Oct. 16.—Wm. Durost and Fred Reardon, who are building bridges on the Valley Road, came home on Saturday to spend Sunday, returning Monday by May Queen.

Theodore Cain and wife of Knoxford, Carleton county, last week visited friends here and the Narrows.

Henry Durost spent last week in St. John.

Jas. Shaw and Mrs. Charlotte Parls are visiting friends at Cherry Hill.

Mrs. C. D. Strang spent last week in St. John, returning on Saturday by steamer.

Mrs. L. P. Farris is in St. John for a few days.

BREAK A CHILD'S COLD BY GIVING SYRUP OF FIGS

Cleanses the little liver and bowels and they get well quick.

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you will have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children need to be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

LABOR CONDITIONS

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Reviewing labor conditions during September, the Labor Department in its monthly statement says: "Industrial activity was well maintained, the only slackening being in cases where there was a shortage of labor or delay in the delivery of material. The demand for harvest and threshing help in the west was fairly well met in some districts, but a serious shortage was reported in others."

Retail prices continued upward, the cost of weekly budget staple foods being \$8.97 as compared with \$8.63 for August. The department's index number of wholesale prices also showed an increase, standing at 180.7 as compared with 178.5 in August.

October Strawberries.

A basket of strawberries raised on the large farm of W. B. Flavest is attracting much attention in Sackville. Mr. Flavest has been picking the fruit whenever he needed it since early in the year. The flavor of the October strawberries is said to be up to the standard of that of the mid-summer product.

VOTE TO REPEAL SCOTT ACT IN FAVOR OF NEW PROHIBITION MEASURE

Newcastle, Oct. 14.—A large audience in Millerton Hall was addressed last night in the interests of the repeal of the Scott Act by Rev. W. D. Wilson, field secretary of the Dominion Alliance; E. A. McCurdy, Newcastle; Ald. H. H. Stuart, secretary Kent-Northumberland Sons of Temperance, Newcastle; Revs. H. T. Montgomery, Alex. Riddle (chairman), and Ernest Rowlands, and Mr. John Betts, Millerton.

Councillor J. W. Vanderbeck, banjo; Miss Grace Russell, violin, and Miss Florence Lynn, accompanist, and a large choir furnished music.

The meeting declared in favor of prohibition rather than Scott Act and committees were appointed to superintend the canvassing of the 200 voters in Polling District No. 2.

Derby Parish has always stood for temperance and the great majority of the voters are expected to sign the repeal petitions.

Millerton Sons of Temperance will likely revive their division in the near future.

Before leaving the county Rev. W. D. Wilson will also organize Doaktown, Blackville, Chatham, Tabusintac, etc. He will speak in Chatham Sunday evening, 22nd inst.

MIDDLE SACKVILLE

Middle Sackville, Oct. 14.—Miss Hazel Dibble, of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Ayer.

Rev. Robie Brown returned to his home in Campbellton on Friday after a pleasant visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brown.

Miss Doris Dupuis and Miss Ethel Burke are leaving today for St. John, where they expect to remain for some time.

Miss Muriel Harper, who has been the guest of friends in Amherst, N. S., returned home on Thursday.

Miss Mabel O'Neill returned home on Thursday after spending several weeks in Boston and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hicks, of Havelock, Kings Co., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith at the Four Corners.

Rev. W. A. Brown of Cheonggin, N. S., is the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brown, at the parsonage.

A Boy Scout patrol has recently been organized with Max W. Brown as scoutmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Morton and daughter, Miss Flo., of Sackville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson.

BLOOMFIELD STATION

Bloomfield Station, Oct. 16.—Miss Lottie Theall, St. John, spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Ina Brown, who has been visiting friends in Bloomfield and vicinity, has returned to her home in Salisbury.

Mrs. Charles Taylor and son, Donald, of Sheffield, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Gilchrist.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre of Springfield were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Colwell.

Mrs. Medley Provan and little daughter, Freda, are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Purdy, Lakeside.

Rev. O. N. Chipman, Hampton, held the regular Sunday morning service yesterday for the first time for several weeks, as he has been away for a vacation.

Yesterday was children's day in the Church of England and it was kept as such all through the Dominion.

The service here was held in the afternoon and many children, their parents and friends were present and listened with much interest to the sermon which was preached by the rector, Rev. Thomas Parker. Appropriate hymns were nicely rendered by the choir.

At the regular weekly meeting of Happy Home Lodge, I. O. G. T., on Wednesday evening, it was voted that the sum of \$32, the amount cleared at the picnic given on Labor Day, be used in preparing Christmas stockings for the Bloomfield boys at the front, of whom there are about fourteen or fifteen. And \$12 was voted to be sent to the Canadian prisoners of war.

Miss Fannie Hughton, Jamaica Plains, is visiting relatives in Bloomfield and vicinity.

BARNESVILLE

Barnesville, Oct. 14.—The annual meeting of the Upham and Simonds Branch Bible Society was held here in the Reformed Presbyterian church on the evening of Tuesday, 10th inst. The meeting was opened to the public, the services being unusually interesting. The president, Mr. James Kory, presided. The addresses were short and to the point. The report was read by the secretary and showed this branch to be in a very flourishing condition, giving a free contribution for the year. The choir rendered selected pieces. A collection was taken in aid of the society which amounted to \$10.30. Rev. H. R. Boyer manifested much energy in the work and showed several pictures illustrating the work. The old board was unanimously re-elected, with the exception of the secretary, who wished to retire. Fred W. Curry was appointed his successor. The meeting closed by the singing of the Doxology, after which the benediction was pronounced.

Mr. and Mrs. Westra Barnes returned home last night after a very pleasant visit with friends in Hampton, Norton and Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Carter entertained very pleasantly a number of their friends on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. I. D. Pearson, Lower Millstream is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. M. Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooper, of Ontario, are here renewing old acquaintances after an absence of two years.

A social of much interest was held last night when upwards of \$600 was realized, which goes for Red Cross purposes.

Mrs. George Titus, Halifax, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan and other friends.

THE POLICE COURT.

Yesterday in the police court Ambrose Major was fined \$96 or fourteen months' jail for being drunk, resisting arrest and using bad language.

Four drunks were fined \$8 each.

May Hickey, charged with wandering about and not giving a satisfactory account of herself, was remanded.

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Relieves sourness, gas, Heartburn, Dyspepsia in five minutes.

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"KHAKE" RUBBER BOOTS FOR SOLDIERS.

Estey & Co., Dock street, make a specialty of these boots; also Khaki Raincoats. These are now being sent overseas as Christmas presents.

Afternoon Court.

There was only one case dealt with in the police court yesterday afternoon, when an unfortunate drunk was remanded to jail.

You Can't Brush Or Wash Out Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single bit and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustreous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-
WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$20.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning a vested patent; also 30 acres extra cultivation in each of three years. Cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$50.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$10.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning a vested patent; also 30 acres extra cultivation in each of three years. Cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$50.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORRY, C.M.G., Deputy of the Minister of Interior.

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AGENTS—Salary and commission, to sell Red Tag stock. Complete exclusive lines. Specially hardy. Grown only by us—Sold only by our agents. Elegant free samples. Write now to Dominion Nurseries, Montreal.

AGENTS WANTED—Salesmen \$50 per week, selling one-hand egg-beater. Sample and terms 25c. Money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collette Mfg. Company, Collingwood, Ont.

TO LET.

TO LET—Now ready for occupation. Entire top floor in large McLean brick building, Union street, opposite Opera House. Over 5,000 feet floor space. Two large rooms recently renovated. Fire escapes and modern conveniences. Suitable for meeting rooms, warehouse or factory. Apply H. Allison, care Gandy & Allison, North Wharf.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LET at Paradise, Annapolis County, a fine residential property within two minutes' walk to station, church and school house, consisting of about two acres of land, with fruit trees, modern house with all conveniences and outbuildings. For particulars apply to Chas. R. Chipman, Bridgetown, Nova Scotia.

DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS AND CANALS, CANADA.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

Superstructure of Elevator, St. John, N. B.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to J. W. Pugsley, Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., and marked on the outside "Tender for Superstructure of Elevator, St. John," will be received up to and including twelve o'clock noon, Wednesday, November 15th, for the construction of a reinforced concrete grain elevator with a capacity of 500,000 bushels.

Plans, specifications and blank form of contract may be seen at the offices of the following, on and after October 16th:

Chief Engineer, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa.

Chief Engineer, Canadian Government Railways, Moncton, N. B.

General Superintendent, Winnipeg.

Resident Engineer, Fort William, Ont.

John S. Metcalf Company, Ltd., Engineers, Montreal, Que.

Contractors who wish to obtain plans and specifications temporarily for their own use, may obtain same from any of the offices at which plans are on exhibition, on depositing a certified bank cheque in favor of the Canadian Government Railways for the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100), which will be refunded on the return of the plans and specifications.

All the conditions of the specifications and contract form must be complied with.

Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on the blank form of tender which may be obtained from any of the offices at which plans are on exhibition.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque payable to the Honorable the Minister of Railways and Canals equal to ten per cent (10 p.c.) of amount of tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. P. GUTELIUS, General Manager.

Canadian Government Railways, Moncton, N. B., Oct. 12th, 1916

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to F. P. Gutelius, General Manager, Canadian Government Railways, Moncton, N. B., will be received up to and including 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, October 21st, for the removal of two dwellings and four sheds off the site of the proposed Grain Elevator between Water Street and Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

Bidders will view the buildings now on the site, and will submit tenders for the tearing down of the buildings and the removal of the debris, and will leave the premises in a neat and tidy condition, to the satisfaction of the Chief Engineer or his representative, on or before October 31st, 1916.

Material salvaged will become the property of the Contractor.

Plans of the site with the buildings located thereon can be seen at the Offices of the Chief Engineer and Division Engineer, Moncton, N. B., and at the Office of Mr. L. R. Ross, Terminal Agent, St. John, N. B.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. P. GUTELIUS, General Manager.

Canadian Government Railways, Moncton, N. B., October 14th, 1916.

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WANTED—Second class female teacher to teach term to commence first November, with experience. Apply A. B. Small, Mac's Bay, N. B.

WANTED—Experienced waitresses, \$5.00 a week. Apply 11-15 King Square.

WANTED—An experienced Monotype operator at once. Steady employment. Wages \$25 a week. Maritime Publishing Company, Sussex.

WANTED—Board and lodging for one hundred delegates attending the Women's Institute, to be held in St. John, November 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Write Hazel E. Winter, Fredericton, giving rates per day and numbers that can be accommodated.

WANTED—Fur salesman and fur saleslady. Apply H. Mont Jones, 92 King street.