

From the Ocean Shore

BITS OF NEWS FROM THE MARITIME PROVINCES.

Items of Interest From Places Lapped By Waves of the Atlantic.

At St. John, N. B., a man was fined \$100 or three months for the "pocket peddling" of liquor.

August showed a decided increase in the Customs returns at St. John, N.B., a gain of more than \$90,000 over August last year.

Lorenzo Renssion, of Albert Mines, N.B., committed suicide by cutting his throat. Worry over business troubles led to the act.

The Patriotic Fund of Fredericton, N.B., is being spent at the rate of \$2,500 a month. There is only enough left for one month more.

Lieut. Barry, of the Wireless Garrison at Newcastle, N.B., was shot and badly injured when a revolver in his pocket accidentally exploded.

At a meeting held in Fredericton, N.B., Bishop Richardson and other leading citizens came out boldly in a resolution asking for conscription.

C. D. Clayton, Marysville, N.S., had his left forearm so badly mangled between the cylinders of a card machine that it rendered amputation of the limb necessary.

Joseph McVay and Sons, of St. Stephen, N.B., have been awarded the contract of dismantling the Suspension Bridge over the Reversible Falls at St. John.

At Gagetown, N.B., the Kincaid House, an old landmark, was torn down, after standing for 100 years. In one of the rooms was found an old Bible dating back to 1811.

Five cents was all that remained of a money package containing \$500, which formed part of the registered contents of the mail bag stolen from the mailroom in the rest house at the Union Depot, Moncton, N.B.

At Canterbury Station, N.B., three young men were charged with stealing liquor from St. Stephen's. They were let go for lack of evidence, but Murphy was then charged with 20 offences against the Scott Act.

At Antigonish, N.S., Lewis McLean, an innocent bystander, was shot at a wedding celebration where guests were discharging revolvers on the streets. The bullet went through the fishy part of his shoulder.

Notwithstanding the financial depression, Amherst, N.S., has added this year to her already large area of permanent streets, 16,000 square feet of curbing and gutter, and 2,500 square feet of concrete sidewalk.

W. B. A. Ritchie, K.C., has been appointed chief recruiting officer for the Maritime Provinces with the rank and pay of a lieutenant. He will remain in Halifax for three months devoting himself wholly to the business of stimulating recruiting.

At the 62nd annual meeting of the Medical Society of Nova Scotia, held recently, the public were warned that "many patent medicines containing large amounts of alcohol are neither foods nor stimulants as advertised." They also recommended that alcoholic liquors should only be used under advice.

Premier Clarke, of New Brunswick, received a letter from Prof. T. C. Copeland, of Harvard, containing a contribution to the Patriotic Fund. The letter said the contribution was "for hospital, relief or whatever will give most aid and comfort to my friends and neighbors of St. Stephen in the field—or families left at home. I wish I could do more. God save them, and England, and the allies."

The New Glasgow News says a story has come to light of a German agent who toured Cape Breton some time ago, holding up to the manufacturers pictures of glowing furnaces and giant industries which he would build with capital at his disposal and in this way he secured much valuable information relative to the resources and present industries of Cape Breton. After satisfying himself he "blew away" and was heard tell of no more. It is now stated that he was a German spy.

AUSTRALIAN FAUNA.

Foxes and Feral Cats Have Done Much Mischief.

The native wild animals of Australia are being rapidly exterminated. In the Scientific Australian recently, Mr. W. H. Le Souef wrote that foxes and feral cats—both these needlessly introduced into the country—have done much of the mischief. "The fox," he remarks, "will in course of time overrun half of it already, and in consequence all ground game . . . will suffer severely. The loss to Australia cannot well be computed in cash. Besides native game, the fox destroys young lambs, turkeys, geese, ducks, and other domestic poultry. Removing the timber and scrub, draining the swamps, and putting up miles of wire fences have led even more quickly to the destruction of many of the native animals. Wire fences alone have killed thousands of emus and kangaroos, which, since they have been prevented from making their customary migrations in search of water, have been doomed to die wretchedly of thirst."

GREATLY DISCOURAGED OVER BABY'S ILLNESS

Mrs. Jos. Gaudreau, Notre Dame des Bois, Que., writes: "Last autumn our baby was very sick and we were greatly discouraged. The doctor did not seem able to help him, and we began using Baby's Own Tablets, which soon made him a fat, healthy child. Thousands of other mothers give Baby's Own Tablets the same praise. The Tablets regulate the stomach and bowels, break up colds and simple fevers, expel worms, cure colic, and make teething easy. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

THOSE STRIPS OF COLOR

What the Narrow Ribbons Mean on a Soldier's Coat.

When a man is in khaki it is impossible for him to wear the medals he has won, so a small piece of the ribbon on which the medal is suspended, and which differs in color, according to the decoration, is worn on the left breast above the pocket of the tunic. By the colors of these scraps of ribbon a civilian who knows anything about decorations can tell what medals a soldier is entitled to wear, and incidentally what campaigns he has been through, for every survivor of a campaign is awarded a special medal at its conclusion.

The Crimean veteran would wear a ribbon with a broad, light blue stripe between two narrow yellow stripes. It might be mentioned here that on every medal-ribbon the stripes are vertical. The man who fought in the Indian Mutiny would wear three white and two red stripes placed alternately, in the Egyptian campaign, the blue and two white stripes placed alternately, in the Matabele campaign four orange and three blue stripes, in the Sudan a broad yellow and broad black stripe divided by a narrow red stripe, and in the South African campaign, for which there are two medals, two red, two blue, and an orange stripe, or a green, white, and orange stripe, or both.

The former—the Queen's medal—was awarded by King Edward soon after his mother's death in 1901, and the latter, known as the King's, in 1902, to be worn in addition to the Queen's by men completing eighteen months' service in South Africa during the war. The Sudan medal was awarded by Queen Victoria in 1898 to the men who carried out the operations under Lord Kitchener, which led to the re-conquest of the Sudan.

Apart from the foregoing medals, there are a number of special decorations. The ribbon accompanying the Victoria Cross, the most coveted of these special decorations, is plain crimson for the army and blue for the navy; the Khedive's Star ribbon is plain blue; that of the Long Service and Good Conduct medal, which was instituted by William IV., and is awarded after eighteen years' service in the British army, and carries with it a gratuity of \$25 on discharge, is plain red; that of the medal for Distinguished Conduct on the Field, which carries with it a gratuity of \$100 on discharge, or an increase of 12 cents a day on the pension, is two red and one blue stripes, while of Roberts' Star, which bears the words, "Kabul to Kandahar, 1880," has one red, one yellow, and one blue, and two white stripes.

A DOCTOR'S EXPERIENCE

Medicine Not Needed In This Case.

It is hard to convince some people that tea or coffee does them an injury! They lay their bad feelings to almost every cause but the true and unsuspected one.

But the doctor knows. His wide experience has proven to him that, to some systems, tea and coffee are insidious poisons that undermine the health. Ask him if tea or coffee is a cause of constipation, stomach and nervous troubles.

"I have been a coffee drinker all my life, and when taken sick two years ago with nervous prostration, the doctor said that my nervous system was broken down and that I would have to give up coffee."

"I got so weak and shaky I could not work, and reading an advertisement of Postum I asked my grocer if he had any of it. He said, 'Yes,' and that he used it in his family and it was all it claimed to be."

"So I quit coffee and commenced to use Postum steadily, and in about two weeks I could sleep better and get up in the morning feeling fresh. In about two months I began to gain flesh. I weighed only 146 pounds when I commenced on Postum and now I weigh 167 and feel better than I did at 20 years of age."

"I am working every day and sleep well at night. My two children were coffee drinkers, but they have not drunk any since Postum came into the house, and are far more healthy than they were before." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

Postum comes in two forms: Postum Cereal—the original form—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—a soluble powder—dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

Both kinds are equally delicious and cost about the same per cup.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

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APTITUDE FOR LANGUAGES.

Russian Woman Knew Only Five, But Knew Them Well.

Writing of the aptitude of the Russians for acquiring languages, Richard Whiting tells in the current number of the Bookman of a woman he met in that country:

"I knew of one," he says, "who had four languages, besides her own, at her tongue's end—English, French, German, Italian. She spoke in them and wrote in them. And she had something to write about—a basis of solid studies, in history, literature, and the commerce of life. She thought in them, wrongly enough sometimes, as I thought in my turn, but that was merely matter of opinion. The thesis was there, coherent and four square, with the power to hold her own in it. She was obsessed with the idea of a superior caste of mind, to which she and her intellectual set belonged. With all this she was a most accomplished musician, and had filled the Queen's Hall more than once for concerts given in her own name."

"I have a certain hesitation in saying all this, because it may seem founded on mere recollections of my reading of prodigies of the past, our own Admirable Crichton or the Continental Piccola Mirandola. As a lad, Crichton is said to have known a dozen languages. I wonder in how many of them he could have deceived the native. Gilbert Hamerton used to say that no more than two can ever be acquired in that perfection."

"The peculiarity in this lady's case, as a Russian, was that she was one of many, only less richly endowed. And I hasten to add, still with the purpose of saving myself, that the union of qualities precluded the marked bias for one that makes for success."

Joints Quit Aching

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Wonderful "Nerviline" is the Remedy.

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"Rheumatism kept my joints swollen and sore for ten years. My right knee joint was often too painful to allow me to walk. In this crippled condition I found Nerviline a blessing. Its warm, soothing action brought relief I had given up hoping for. I rubbed on quantities of Nerviline and improved steadily. I also took Ferrozene at mealtime in order to purify and enrich my blood. I am today well and can recommend my treatment most conscientiously."

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HOW HE LOST HIS FISH.

A Fisherman Had An Experience With A Bear.

An Easterner was spending his first summer in the West where he had a good opportunity to indulge in his favorite sport of trout fishing. One afternoon he had been unusually successful, but just as he was setting out for camp with a heavy string of fish he caught sight of a great pine that had blown down, and was lying with its top in the water, about the place for hooking a monster trout.

Pushing along to the fallen pine, he climbed upon it by dint of hard scrambling, holding on as best he could with his rod in one hand and his string of fish in the other. The tree was close to the bank, and the stream was running bank full. He was in the midst of the branches, crowding onward, when suddenly an immense bear rose up close beside him.

There was no hesitation. To run was impossible. On the impulse of the moment the man dashed his string of trout full in the bear's face. In doing so he lost his balance, and the next instant there was a tremendous splash, and he disappeared in the rushing water.

The fisherman emerged some distance farther down the stream, and scrambling to the bank, looked back. There on the pine sat the bear, intently watching the hole where he had disappeared. He did not go back to inform her that he was not there, but made for camp at good speed.

MORE THAN PLEASED.

Having fallen into pecuniary difficulties the landlord decided to increase the rents of his tenants. Meeting one of them shortly after, he said: "Mike, I have to inform you that after the end of this year I am going to raise your rent."

"Troth, then, your honor," said Mike, "I'm more than pleased to hear it, for I'm at my wit's end to know how I'm going to raise it myself."

If Thin, Nervous

Run Down, Depressed, This Will Help!

The wear and strain of life has tended in recent years to produce nervous debility in a large proportion of our population. Thousands are affected with a feeling they can't exactly describe. They are always tired and droopy, lack ambition, have poor appetite, look pale and suffer from depressing headaches and insomnia. This condition is full of peril. It is the stepping stone to invalidism, the beginning of a shattered constitution. We advise everyone in this condition to take a good medicine at once and try to get well while yet there is time. Probably no better advice can be given than to use regularly Dr. Hamilton's Pills, because they are famous in restoring the sick to good health. A general toning up of the system at once takes place. The whole body is vitalized by richer and purer blood. The appetite is increased, food is digested and naturally strength rapidly increases. Headaches go because the bowels are regulated and all wastes are carried off. There is no experiment about using Dr. Hamilton's Pills, because they certainly restore the sick as a trial will quickly prove. Just as good for the old as the young, and suitable to the needs of men, women and children. This grand family medicine should be in every home.

JUMPER DRESSES CHARMING.

With the advent of the full skirt and loose-fitting garments have developed many good-looking and novel style features, not the least interesting and charming of which is the jumper dress, suitable for afternoon wear. A delightful model is shown herewith in Ladies' Home Journal.

Corns Instant Relief

Paint on Putnam's Corn Extractor to-night, and corns feel better in the morning. Magical the way "Putnam's" cases the pain, destroys the roots, kills a corn for all time. No pain. Cure guaranteed. Get a 25c bottle of "Putnam's" Extractor to-day.

CROSS ROAD FOR CANADA.

Winnipeg Trying to Get Concrete Highway for Canada.

Reports from Winnipeg state that Central Western Canada will have a Federal Highway, if the project being urged by the Winnipeg Board of Control is carried out.

This project contemplates the construction of a concrete highway from Winnipeg to Calgary, to go through the more thickly settled territory tapped by the Canadian Pacific Railroad.

The thousand miles of highway through the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and half way into Alberta, will be financed by the municipalities through which the roadway would pass. Several appropriations also will be sought from the provincial Governments. The project has been received with the greatest enthusiasm in a number of the larger cities along the proposed route.

It has been pointed out by the promoters of the highway plan that the land values of the prairie provinces would be greatly enhanced by the building of a permanent concrete highway, such as the Lincoln Highway, which has had such a wonderful effect upon the general road building in the United States.

Russia Buys Large Quantities of Tea.

The Canadian demand for Indian and Ceylon teas increase yearly, and if one adds to this the many other contingencies brought about by the war, it can readily be understood why the cost of tea is increasing.

Russia is taking enormous quantities, and their buyers pay the very highest prices. The abnormal buying has forced quotations up over 10c a pound higher than nine months ago.

INDUSTRY AND SOBRIETY.

A Man Need Not Be a Servant All His Life Long.

I do not believe that the principles of life have changed in 40 years, writes John Williams Streeter. I do not believe that an intelligent, able-bodied man need be a servant all his life, or that industry and economy miss their rewards, or that there is any truth in the theory that men cannot rise out of the rut in which they happen to find themselves. The trouble is with the man, not with the rut. He spends his time diligently searching for an outlet or in honestly working his way up to it. Heredity and environment are heavy weights, but industry and sobriety can carry heavier ones. I have sympathy for weakness of body or mind, and patience for those over whom inheritance has cast a baleful spell; but I have neither patience nor sympathy for a strong man who rails at his condition and makes no determined effort to better it.

INGENIOUS.

At one of the military camps some recruits were being put through the riding test. One man didn't know much about horses, but trusted to luck to get through.

He had not properly adjusted his saddle, and on mounting he swung—saddle and all—right under the horse's body between his legs, where he was suspended for a few seconds.

"Hi, there!" yelled the noncom., in derision, "call that riding, do you?"

"Oh, no, sergeant," was the instant answer, "that's a new trick for the Dardanelles. Riding under here's fine protection from the sun."—London Tit-Bits.

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Cautious.

"Had you the audacity, John," said a Scottish laird to his servant, "to go and tell some people that I was a mean fellow, and no gentleman?"

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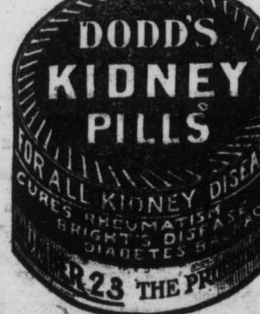
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