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Great Cities of the World
MANCHESTER
Manchester—the name takes many of us back to our school days when we studied diligently—or otherwise—lists headed, "City," "For What Noted?" Over and over again we would repeat "Sheffield, cutlery," "Nottingham, lace," "Paisley, shawls," "Manchester cotton," until the combinations were so grafted in our minds that the two words seemed to be almost synonymous, and one was bound to call up the other. Those cities in the British Isles had such a marked individuality that there was no hesitation about the words that described their characteristics. "Stoves, pianos, organs, boots and shoes, soap, agricultural implements,"—Toronto might stand for any or all of those, and when asked for the manufactures of Montreal you could recite, "Carpets, flour, carriages, paper, boots and shoes, and cloth," without being sure that you had been entirely just to our chief seaport. After this it was sooth to say, "Manchester, cotton" in the certain knowledge that you had mentioned the predominating feature of the city in question, and mastered enough information on that point to entitle you to 100 per cent on the usual queries relating to Manchester, providing your sense of locality was sufficiently developed to place it somewhere a little north of the centre of England.
But it is to be feared that the terse description of childhood days failed utterly to call up any kind of mental picture of this important modern commercial city, grimy with the dust and smoky vapor of its industries. The central part is mainly occupied by immense warehouses and huge office buildings, most of which have connection with the cotton industry, while on the outskirts are factories innumerable—cotton mills, print works, dyeing and bleaching establishments. The importance of the industry is not to be wondered at when it is remembered that the development of textile manufactures began as far back as the eleventh century. At first the materials were woolen and later linen though both of these are sometimes misleadingly termed cotton in old records. The introduction of machinery for cotton spinning near the end of the eighteenth century gave an impetus to Manches-

a cotton famine, which meant enforced idleness for many a mill employee. At one time Market Street, the main thoroughfare of Manchester, was known as the most congested street in Europe. However, it has lost this distinction, for it has been widened considerably, along with a number of other streets which needed to be more spacious. The houses are usually of brick, which is made close at hand, while the public buildings are of stone. It has been said of this city that its river runs ink and its skies rain soot. The smoke-blackened edifices would almost induce one to give credence to the latter imputation. As for the former, through the channel of the Irwell and its tributaries flows water of a blackness that is almost uncanny. Outside of the city, the Irwell, which is the chief river, displays a number of natural beauties, but within the factories and warehouses and the refuse from dye works have effectively marred its loveliness. The Irk, its smallest tributary, is so overarched by streets and buildings that it is very hard to trace its course or to recognize it as being more than a mere dirty ditch. In olden days its waters ran a corn mill belonging to the lord of the manor. Here the burghers were compelled to bring their corn to be ground, that the gentleman in question might be enriched by the toll paid. Near by was the lord's oven, where the people were forced to have their bread baked, also that his coffers might be swelled.
Yet, in spite of all that has been said to its disadvantage, Manchester is not such a bad-looking place for such an energetic city which has so much to do besides looking after its appearance. There is an especially fine town hall which is probably the largest municipal building in the world. It covers 3,000 square yards and contains 250 rooms. From the top of its lofty tower can be obtained a splendid view of the wide stretch of breezy moorlands round about, bounded in the distance by the hills of Derbyshire. It has a remarkable peal of 21 bells on each of which is engraved a line from part of Tennyson's "In Memoriam."
The cathedral is really not deserving of the name at all, for in architecture it resembles a parish church—of a large scale, of course. The stone of which it is built is so soft that frequent repairs are necessary, and it has been patched so much that the money spent upon it would have almost built a new cathedral.
The first free library that was established was Chetham's Library in Manchester. This one was attached to the hospital of the same name, founded in 1653, and is still in existence in the city now remarkably well supplied with free libraries.

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PORT GEORGE
Rev Mr Lindsay will hold service in the Baptist Church, Sunday, June 13th, at 3 p.m.
Mr E A Kinley left last Thursday for Bathurst, N.B. We wish him success in his new field of labor.
Rev Mr Armitage will preach his farewell sermon in the Methodist Church, Sunday 13th at 7.30 p.m.
Mrs C A Elliott returned last week from New Hampshire, where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs Jas Tingley. She was accompanied home by Miss Odessa Elliott.
Recent visitors at the Bay Side House were: Mr W R Whiten, Boston; Earl Kinley, Wolfville; Ross Miller, Mt Hanley; Vivian Miller, Middleton, Mr Wm Hall and daughter, Lawrencetown.
Mrs John Gates from East Boston, who recently purchased the Wm Hunt place, has moved here and is occupying the same. Her daughter, Mrs Hobbs and her grandson, W R Whiten, will spend the summer here.

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Middleton

W H Wilson, wife and daughter left for Boston on the 29th of May.
Mr T H Buckler and Mrs G W Crowe were at Annapolis Royal last week.
Miss Hannah Huestis, of Yarmouth, is spending the summer with Miss Effie Cox.
Mrs Wharton and son spent a few days in Greenwood, the guest of Mrs. Spiny.
The many friends of Mrs Joe Edwards of Annapolis Royal are pleased to hear that she is better.
Mrs V L Roop, of Springfield is spending a few weeks in Boston, the guest of her aunt, Mrs Frank Stout.
Mrs Rippey, of Annapolis Royal, has joined the Middleton Telephone staff and is stopping with Mrs T H Buckler.
Mrs J N Ritsey spent last week in Lunenburg, a delegate to the N. S. Branch meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.
Their many friends in Middleton were sorry to lose the Dr and Mrs A P Reid who intend moving away. They have sold their beautiful farm at Redville to S S Stevens of Kingston.
Miss Margaret Mathews, who has been attending the Normal School in Winnipeg, passed through Middleton on Thursday last, being called home on account of the serious illness of her father.
Mrs. H A Tate, who has been for several weeks at Calgary with his son, Everett, expects to start in a few days for Lumsden, Sask. to spend a month with her son Harry who is manager of the Royal Bank at the latter town.

MELVERN SQUARE

Miss Mabel Brown recently visited friends in Lawrencetown.
The Misses Harriett and Hortense Spur arrived on Wednesday of last week from Boston.
We understand that Mr Vernon Palmer, who has been quite ill of late, is now convalescent.
Mr William Patterson is visiting at the home of his brother, Mr Avery Patterson for a few weeks.
Miss Myrtle Morse, who recently graduated from Acadia Seminary is spending the summer at her home here.
Mr and Mrs Ralph Flett and two children, of Bridgetown, were the guests of Mrs Mary W Gates during last week.
Divine Worship was held in the Presbyterian church of this place on Sabbath afternoon last, the service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. Collins of Middleton, who preached to a large and appreciative congregation.
Mrs I C Banks and little daughter of Bedford are spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Lt-Col and Mrs MacNeil. The many friends of Mrs Banks are always glad to welcome her back again in Melvern, if only for a brief visit.

Owing to the wet, cold weather during the past month, farming has been somewhat retarded, but seems to be progressing quite favorably just at present, with spraying, ploughing, seeding, etc, well under way, while the apple trees are budding in full bloom.
One of our most popular young men, Mr. Kenneth Chute, was united in marriage on Friday evening last to Miss Hilda Stoddart of South Farmington. The ceremony was performed at Auburn by the Rev Wm Brown. On Saturday evening the young couple were serenaded in the usual manner at their new home on Bridge Street.

On Saturday afternoon, May 30th, the Sunshine Mission Band met at the home of the President, Miss May Phinney, when the "mite boxes" were opened, and the money collected during the past year by each member, together with the proceeds of fancy sale, concert, etc, handed in to the Treasurer, Miss Hazel MacNeil, the whole amounting to something over forty-two dollars. This is quite an increase on the amount raised last year, for Mission purposes, in connection with the Methodist Church and reflects very creditably upon the energetic President and her band of willing workers.

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Lawrencetown

Mrs Ernest Bauchman was a guest of Mrs C S Balcom on Wednesday of last week.
Miss Josie Banks is spending the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs B S Banks.
Revs. Mr Armitage and Mr McLeod of Paradise exchanged pulpits on Sunday last.
Mrs Benjamin Prince is very low at time of writing. Dr. Morse is in attendance.
Mr and Mrs Clifford Duncan of Annapolis Royal, are spending a week at their home here.
Mrs Oscar Whitman and child, of Wolfville, are visiting Mr and Mrs Burpee Whitman.
Mrs Raymond Ritchie spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs McLeod, at Mochele.
Mrs Israel Daniels spent a few days last week at Nictaux, the guest of Mr and Mrs Wm Morse.
Mr and Mrs Arthur Quigley of Ottawa, are visiting Mrs Quigley's parents and brother, R J Ritchie.
Mr and Mrs Albert Oakes of Albany and Miss Saunders of East Dalhousie were recent guests of Mrs D M Balcom.
Services for Sunday, 13th: Baptist, 11 a.m.; Methodist, 11 a.m.; Episcopal, 3 p.m.; Mission Band 3 p.m.; Baptist, 7.30.
A bean supper under Auspices of the Red Cross Society will be held in the vestry of the Baptist church on Tuesday, the 15th inst.

Mr and Mrs J A Balcom, and daughter Miss Georgie, also Mr and Mrs C E Balcom, and little daughter Elizabeth of Margaretville, were guests of Mr and Mrs C S Balcom on Sunday.
The W M A S will meet at the home of Mrs I Newcombe on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs Churchill and her daughter Miss Bessie returned missionaries well and present and address the meeting.
C W Hanley and Leslie Beals of Aylesford, made an auto trip on Sunday and were guests of Mr and Mrs L W Durling. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs Hanley and little daughter Ardis.

We are pleased to note a general spirit of improvement in our town. Dr. Shaffner is making great improvements on his place recently purchased. He has made several repairs on the house, added new buildings, removed the road fence, made a cement walk and has begun a side walk along the street. H T James and Mr Fitch have improved their place with a coat of paint. Mr James has a model lawn worthy of any one of his houses. Mr W W Bert and Chas Lowell are improving their houses and grounds. Several plank bridges are being replaced by piping. The removal of the hose house from the main street will add to the beauty of the centre of the town. Other and greater improvements are coming.

MARGARETVILLE

Deacon J H Cook is very ill at time of writing.
Capt. C D Baker took a party in his car to Granville recently.
Mr J H Stronach, who has been in Boston a few months, returned home last week.
Rev. G H Gate is away on his vacation. Dr Hutchins is filling his appointments.
Quite a number from this place attended Miss Watsons examination on Friday at Forest Glade.
Miss Alice Patterson of Charlestown, Mass, is spending her vacation with her parents Mr and Mrs E W Patterson.
The Red Cross Society will meet in the Methodist Ice Cream Parlor on Monday evening, all are invited to assist in this good work.
Miss Evelyn Neily, Miss Margaret Reade, Mr Bowby of Aylesford, and Miss Lena Downie of Evergreen, visited Miss Georgie Balcom on Thursday.
Mr and Mrs C E Balcom and little daughter Elizabeth, Mr and Mrs J A Balcom and Miss Georgie enjoyed an auto trip to Paradise and Lawrencetown this week, visiting Mr Balcom's old home.

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