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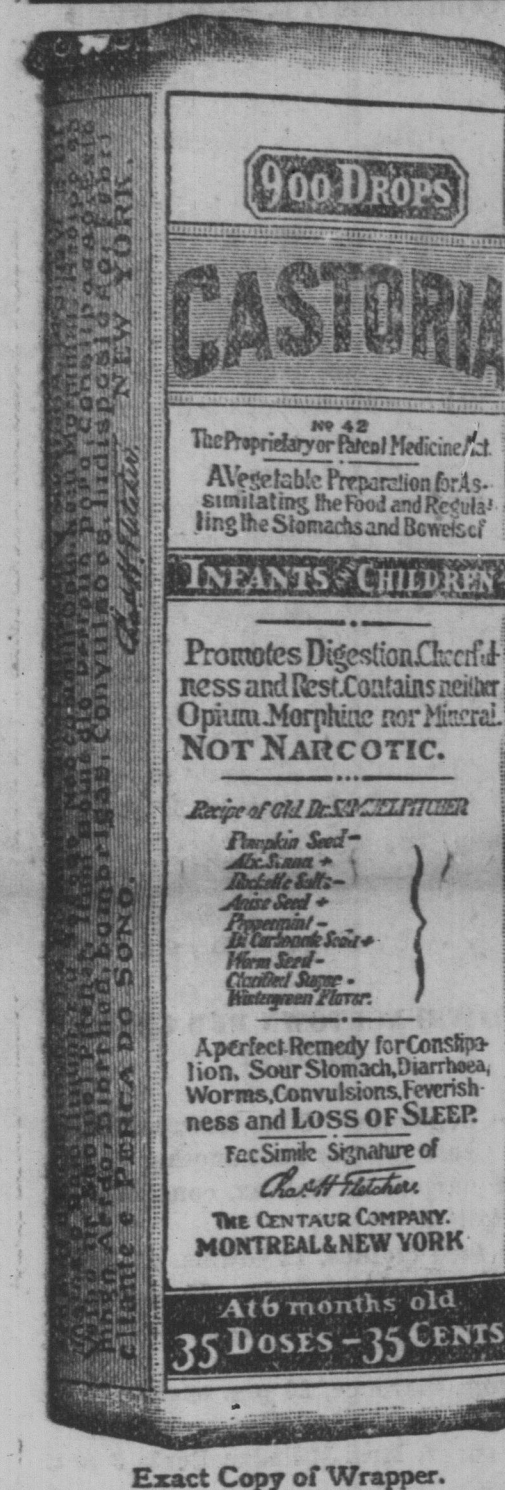
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Middleton

Sept. 10

Miss Ruth left last week for Mt. St. Vincent Academy.

Mrs. G. W. Silver was the guest of Mrs. Reed on Thursday.

S. N. Moffatt, formerly of Middleton, spent a few days in town recently.

Mrs. W. G. Parsons was the guest of Judge and Mrs. Longley last week.

Miss Muriel Hatt of Annapolis Royal spent a few days with Miss Evangeline Young.

Mr. W. A. Ryan of the Commerce Bank, Halifax, and sister Eileen, spent a few days in town with friends.

W. K. Phillips, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Montreal, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Phillips, Main St.

H. McD. Henry, of the Canadian Bank staff, at Middleton, has responded to the call for men and has resigned his position in the Bank to volunteer for overseas service. He is taking a military course in Halifax.

Quite a number took in the Exhibition at Halifax. Mr. W. G. Parsons and son Herbert, Mr. G. W. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pineo and daughter Francis, Mrs. C. A. Young and daughter Marguerite, Mrs. P. H. Reed and daughter Mary, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Buckler, Mrs. J. H. Potter, Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Miller.

MELVERN SQUARE

Sept. 13.

Miss Sadie Phinney made a business trip to Middleton one day last week.

Mrs. Jennie Goucher is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mimer Spowll for a few weeks.

Miss Mildred McNeil of Buckler's Hospital, is spending her vacation at her home here.

A cool wave has followed the sultry days of last week, which is more in keeping with September.

Mrs. Elijah Demmons and daughter Emma, are visiting friends in Queens County for a few days.

Mrs. R. G. Provost of Taunton, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank East, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Williams and little daughter of Kingston, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McNeil.

Mrs. Katherine Darragh of Wilmot, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Outhit. Mrs. Ada Nichols is also a guest at the same home.

We hail September as the most beautiful month of the year, in our fair province, at least, and we are only awaiting the "Frost King's touch" to make our world still more beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tanch are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. W. C. Spurr during this week. Mr. and Mrs. Tanch leave soon for New Haven, Conn., where Mr. Tanch will take up a course in higher mathematics.

Messrs. McNeil and Chute have been making good use of their cars during the past week in conveying parties to Halifax to attend the Provincial Exhibition. We understand there are others to attend this week if weather permits.

Grain is being harvested, and some varieties of early apples gathered, the fine weather of last week proving a great help to the farmers in their work. The cranberry season will soon be on and some are gathering their fruit now, which, owing to the favorable weather throughout the summer, is quite plentiful.

SEPTEMBER ROD AND GUN

Rod and Gun for September is out and is a special duck shooting number. Bonycastle Dale the naturalist writer contributes the opening article, a readable one, on "Live Decoy Ducks and Shooting over them." "Duck Shooting in the Cariboo" is an amusing story of the experiences of two duck hunters who saw plenty of ducks but failed to shoot any. "After the Black Ducks," "Two Hundred Acres of Geese," "Duck Breeding in the Park Country, Alberta," are other stories that give a wild duck flavor to this number, and in addition there are other interesting stories of outdoor life besides the regular departments devoted to gunning and fishing. W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont., are publishers of this magazine of outdoor life.

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Lawrencetown

Sept. 10

Mrs. George Neily of Brooklyn is a guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Fritz.

Edward Freeman is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morse are spending a few days at Bedford and Halifax.

Messrs K. Dickie and L. Crowe, spent the week-end at Lawrencetown.

Horace Crandall of Malden, Mass., visited his aunt, Mrs. Kenneth Bishop, last week.

Miss Grace Foster of Bridgetown is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Foster.

Mrs. Arthur H. Banks of Meadow Vale is spending a few days with her sister, Miss Nettie Balcom.

Miss Mabel Phinney of Kingston and Mrs. Vernon Beals of Inisville, are guests of Mrs. Israel Brown.

Services for Sunday, Sept. 13th: Baptist 11 a. m.; Episcopal 11 a. m.; Mission Band 3 p. m.; Methodist 7.30.

Mrs. E. T. Phinney and little daughter are spending a few days in Halifax guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Phinney.

Mr. J. B. Jefferson and bride returned from their wedding trip last Tuesday and were serenaded by the young people.

Mr. Evans Jefferson is going to Mt. Allison as instructor in Physics, and Ben Prince is to attend the same institution as student.

Rev. Mr. Boyce will begin a series of sermons next Sunday evening. The subject of the first sermon is, "Should a Man Forgive."

The Misses Grace and Kate Todd of Bridgetown visited their aunt and cousin, Mrs. Annie Buckler and Mrs. Arthur Duncan quite recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Saville Moore and Mrs. Dunbrack of Somerville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whitman and Mrs. E. A. Phinney last week.

Miss Alma Sweet of Antigonish spent a day with friends on her way to the Rhode Island hospital where she goes in training for a nurse.

Prof. and Mrs. R. G. D. Richardson who spent a few weeks with Mrs. R. Richardson, have returned to Providence. Prof. Richardson is at the head of the Mathematical Dept. in Brown University.

Miss Marie Durling is spending her vacation at home. Miss Bessie Durling, a teacher in the West for several years, accompanied Miss Marie, on her return, to go into training for a hospital nurse.

Mr. B. Messenger and Mrs. E. Piggett of Bridgetown, came to Lawrencetown by auto one day last week and were guests of Mrs. Piggett's mother and sister, Mrs. M. Elliott and Mrs. E. Whitman.

Prof. Birkhoff and family, who have been at W. E. McPherson's for a few months, are leaving for Cambridge, Mass., on Tuesday. Prof. Birkhoff is in the Mathematical Department at Harvard University.

A public meeting will be held in the Baptist Church on the evening of the 26th, to welcome Miss Ida Newcombe, missionary on furlough. An interesting program will be rendered and a silver collection taken for missions.

Mr. Chester Banks and Miss Blanche West were united in marriage on Wednesday the 8th at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Laura West. They went to Middleton by auto, thence to Halifax by train for a short wedding trip, returning on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallet Durling of Somerville, Mass., who have spent several weeks with relatives and friends in Paradise and Lawrencetown and Dalhousie, went to their home on Wednesday last, accompanied by Mrs. Durling's sister, Miss Leta McPherson.

The W. M. A. S. met with their president, Mrs. L. R. Morse on Wednesday afternoon of last week. A large number were present with the addition of two new members. Officers were elected for the ensuing year, after which a certificate of life-membership was presented to Mrs. C. S. Balcom by the president, Mrs. H. G. Mellick read a very interesting letter from Mrs. Robie Longley, missionary in China. At the close of the meeting ice cream and cake was served.

FLOUR PRICES DROP

The St. John Telegraph says: It is interesting and satisfactory that the flour prices are at the present time as low as they have been for the last two years. Yesterday the wholesale quotations were: Ontario, full patents, \$5.85; Manitoba, high grade, \$6.60. Merchants, too, were confident that the bottom had not been reached and indications give them the opinion that \$5 and \$5.75 may yet be reached. Dealers do not think flour will ever again reach last Spring's high point.

The C. P. R. has not killed a single passenger in a train accident during the past two years.



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PREPAREDNESS—GERMAN BRAND

(Brooklyn Eagle.)

Light is thrown on the thoroughness of the German preparations for the present war, and upon the expectation in Germany as to the time it might occur, by the story of Charles B. Pray, an American machinist, who has escaped to England after several months in a German jail, his confinement being in disregard of his passports as an American citizen, as to which his examiner said, "we can buy them anywhere."

Pray was working in a Michigan automobile factory, but in November, 1913, went to Germany to do the same kind of work in government shops, six other American machinists working with him part of the time. The German Government conducted periodical examinations of private automobiles, and while machines were undergoing this test Pray was employed in reinforcing the chassis of cars with iron plates, heavy enough to support machine guns. The work was done without the knowledge of the owners of the cars and Pray did not suspect the reason for it, but when the war broke out in August and he saw these cars commandeered and brought into the shops, and saw guns mounted on the iron plates which he had put in place.

The Germans continued his employment until October, although his flippant American tongue had brought to him threats of arrest for leze majesty. He was really arrested when he refused to work on government ammunition. His captors refused to recognize his photographs or his passports as an American, and a chance to communicate with American officials was denied to him. He finally escaped from a prison at Gutenberg, where he was confined with Russian and French prisoners, made his way to Switzerland and ultimately to London, where his story is being investigated.

The Germans have boasted of their thoroughness of their preparation for attack, but preparation which includes reinforcing the vehicles of private owners without the knowledge of those owners seems to Americans to be going a considerable way in the invasion of private rights. Even more interesting is the element of timeliness in Pray's story. An automobile lasts but a few years at most. Why should the German Government have begun secretly equipping those of its citizens as gun carriages in 1913 if it regarded war as a contingency depending upon attack from the outside.

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PLOT TO DESTROY CANADIAN CORPS

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INCREASE IN OUTPUT OF NOVA SCOTIA CREAMERIES

Another year of big increases in the number of patrons and in the output of the Nova Scotia creameries is the record for 1915. To date the increase in output is about 36 per cent. over that of last year. The number of patrons for 1915 is estimated at 2,800 as against 2,079 in 1914. The output of butter for 1915 is estimated at 1,250,000 lbs., as against 912,273 lbs. in 1914. Ten of the older established creameries are showing decided increases this year; such as, for instance, the Stellarton Creamery, with 265 patrons and a butter output of 125,000 lbs. for 1915, compared with 130 patrons and a butter output of 28,000 lbs. in 1914, and the Bridgewater Creamery, with 300 patrons and a butter output of 125,000 lbs. for 1915 compared with 140 patrons and a butter output of 37,000 lbs. in 1914. The re-opened creamery at Seima, Hants County, is producing about 6,000 lbs. of butter per month, and the new creamery at Millburn, Antigonish County, is producing about 11,000 lbs. per month. Certainly a banner year.

It is believed that Great Britain has borrowed for a short time \$100,000,000 in New York to correct the exchange rate on sterling money, until the Financial Commission from England and France arrives in New York to probably arrange for a loan of \$500,000,000.