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## HANTSPORT

A particularly impressive New Year's service was held in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening. The Pastor, Rev. A. B. Higgins, gave an eloquent address suitable to the occasion. The choir was ably assisted by Mrs. Harvey of Stellarton and Mr. Cyril Dalton of Boston, who were heard to great advantage in the duet, "Drifting away from God." A mixed quartette, "Master the Tempest is Raging," was impressively rendered by Mrs. Oulton, Mrs. Masters, Messrs. W. Whitman and C. Harvey.

Mrs. Keddy, of Windsor, was a recent guest of Mrs. (Dr.) Shankel.

Mrs. A. McDonald spent the New Year with her niece, Mrs. Neal Walker, Bridgetown.

Miss Margaret Hewitt is suffering from blood poisoning in the hand.

An enjoyable New Year's dance was held in the Empire Theatre on Tuesday evening. The music was furnished by the Hantsport Orchestra.

Mr. Fred Kennedy has severed his connection with the Avon Craftshops Limited.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatfield and two children spent the holidays at Mrs. Hatfield's former home in Matland.

Messrs. F. W. and W. Porter were in Aylesford the first part of the week attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Joshua Porter.

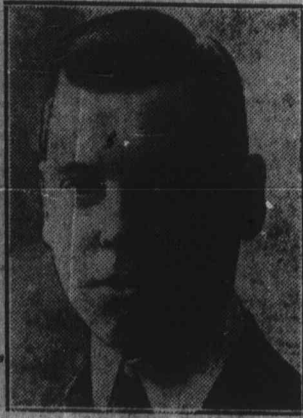
Mrs. W. Shaw, of Windsor, was the Christmas guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilson.

Beals, of Toronto, who is spending the vacation with his parents.

## HANTSPORT IN 1924.

The Hantsport ACADIAN wishes all its readers and patrons, and the community generally a very happy and prosperous new year. It will be our endeavor during 1924 to serve the various interests of this section to the very best of our ability. Our desire is to co-operate with the town authorities and institutions in every project calculated to promote the prosperity and well being of the town and its citizens. We are convinced that Hantsport possesses many advantages and it will be our pleasant duty to reveal these, not only to the outside public but to the citizens as well. The fact that legitimate industries, which have had their origin here, have grown and prospered indicates that the conditions which exist are not unfavorable for undertakings along that line. Our favorable location, splendid shipping facilities and excellent fruit-growing and agricultural capabilities make not only possible but highly probable a greater prosperity than the town has heretofore known. The halcyon days of wooden shipbuilding will not likely be duplicated in our history but bigger and better things are possible. A proper loyalty to our own institutions and a well warranted faith in ourselves and our fellows will do much to make the new year the best we have known.

## FIRST CANADIAN PRINCESS



A delightful romance has recently culminated in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Lois Booth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Booth of Ottawa, and granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. B. Booth, and Prince Erik of Denmark, a nephew of the King of Denmark, a distant relative of Queen-Mother Alexandra. Prince Erik is a successful Alberta rancher, and first met Miss Booth at Banff seven years ago. The Prince of Wales is said to have had a hand in making the match, and in smoothing the way to securing royal consent for the wedding.

## SOAK MEAT IN VINEGAR

ly lamented gas and electric light bills of today's gay white ways. The price of gasoline did not once disturb us, but the cost of horse feed and stable hire was diabolically inflated. Those good old times had their troubles and their joys, and it is but human to remember best the joys. But remember, also, that in a comparatively brief span of time, the present trying times will, in turn, be come those same good old times we love so well to fondle. Judging present problems by the measure of past performances is a thankless and a discouraging task. The past is gone, better or worse, we cannot live in it. We must live in the present. And the quicker you denude yourself of memory's backward bending periscope, the happier you will be in that present.

To keep meat fresh for a short time, and free from flies, the following method is suggested by an English correspondent. Make a muslin bag big enough to hold a fair-sized joint of meat, and before the meat is placed in it soak it in vinegar. Hang the bag with its contents in a cool place and the meat will keep fresh even when the weather is sultry, and flies will not attempt to settle on the vinegar-soaked muslin. The muslin bag should be washed occasionally and soaked in vinegar. Whether or not this would apply in our heated summers is uncertain. The most economical women otherwise are extravagant with their language.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff.

## A SERMON IN VERSE

Is not the life more than meat, and the body than raiment?—Matt. 6:25.

The little cares that fretted me, I lost them yesterday, Among the fields above the sea, Among the winds at play, Among the lowing of the herds, Among the rustling of the trees, Among the singing of the birds, The humming of the bees.

The foolish fears of what might happen I cast them all away, Among the clover-scented grass, Among the new-mown hay, Among the husking of the corn, Where drowsy poppies nod, Where ill thoughts die, and good are born, Out in the fields with God.

## A CALENDAR

"Let me see," said the bill collector, his pen hovering over the receipt, he was about to date, and his eye vainly glancing about the office for a calendar.

"Let me see, this is Thursday, is it not?"

Mr. Brown cast a swift glance at his stenographer's hair.

"No; this is Friday."

The bill collector was puzzled. Brown laughed.

"I tell the day of the week by my stenographer's hair," he said. "Suppose it is Saturday. My stenographer has a date that afternoon with her young man. She appears at the office, her hair clustering round her head in a luxurious garland of curly golden ringlets. I never see her on Sunday, so I do not know how well the curls survive Saturday night, but by Monday they are perceptibly slacker."

"On Tuesday you would no longer call them curls, but her hair is still beautifully wavy. Wednesday makes the ravages of time still more apparent. You can't really expect the sort of 'permanent' wave my stenographer gets to last the whole week."

"By Thursday there are still traces of ripples or waves here and there, but by Friday these have entirely disappeared, and her hair hangs straight and smooth with never a hint of a curl. Tomorrow she will appear with it all done up again and I shall have an infallible calendar for another week."

## WHAT ONE DRINK COST

In New York City there is a man who once paid six thousand dollars for a cocktail. He did not know it then, and he never will know it unless he happens to read this story.

A certain prosperous manufacturing company needed a new departmental manager. The salary was six thousand dollars a year. The officers of the company considered a great many candidates, and at last decided to offer the position to a clever young man of unusual business ability. He seemed to be exactly the man for the particular place. The president and general manager invited the young man to lunch with them at a down town club, ostensibly to talk over a less important business matter. They wanted to "look him over" just once more.

The man met them at the appointed hour, and the president, anxious to make the occasion a pleasant one, ordered an elaborate luncheon. The waiter was a long time in bringing the first course, and the guest began to appear ill at ease. He seemed absent-

## LIVING

(By Henry Gillen)

I live in a tiny house, Upon a winding lane, Red-tiled roof, an inglenook And cretonne-curtained pane; Friendly books for reading, A fragrant humidifier— And a big brass knocker On the green front door.

When the winter snowed us in, And all the world was white, Neighbors seldom came and called To talk away the night; Dreaming of the city, The lights and gayer times— And our only comfort Was the granddaddy chimes.

Now it is a busy house, With ground wires on the spout, Visitors come thronging in— You cannot keep them out; Twisting round a little dial, We twiddle and we fuss— And the grand old other Brings the world to us.

## TRYING TIMES

(By George Brinton Peabody)

One of the greatest impediments in the way of present enjoyment is the fond memory of those good old times. Then prices were lower, winters less severe, the sun shone brighter and human ills in general were minimized. We can all remember the glorious days of five cent bread; it is more difficult to recall just how proportionately hard it was to achieve the necessary five cents. In the unremembered days of tallow dips as a medium of illumination, the purchase price of tallow and wicking came just as hard as the loud-

## ROBINSON CRUSOE

One of the most persistent advertisers in the history of success was Robinson Crusoe. He knew what he wanted—a ship—so he put up an ad. for one. He flung up a shirt on a pole, at the top of his island. That, in the language of the sea, was plain to every seafaring man.

The circulation was small, there was no other medium, but Crusoe kept it up, despite the fact that he got no enquiries for a long time. He changed his copy, as one garment after another was frayed out, and in the end got what he wanted.

Some men would never amount to anything anyway—and others marry illustrious women.

## New Lamp Burns 94% Air

Beats Electric or Gas

A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple clean, safe. Burns 94% air and 6% common kerosene (coal oil).

The inventor, J. M. Johnson, 246 Craig St. W., Montreal, is offering to send a lamp on 10 days FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make \$250 to \$500 per month.

## YEATON'S CHOCOLATES

To meet the demand for pre-war conditions we offer our High-Grade Goods at 50c. per lb.

This appears to be about the price that the people want to pay and they are all well satisfied with what their money buys when they get Yeaton's

Geo. H. Yeaton & Son LIMITED HANTSPORT, Nova Scotia

## W. K. STERLING'S Sale Still Continues

Although my sale has been more than successful and people have come from all parts of Hants and Kings Counties and have taken advantage of the exceptionally low prices, as I have been and am selling them much below the wholesale, I desire to sell the entire stock as well as the large and well equipped store and dwelling. I have still on hand a quantity of the latest style Ladies' Dresses and Coats, and Dress Goods as advertised in last issue. Also Men's Suits, Overcoats, Sweaters, Overalls, heavy and light weight Pants, Shirts, etc. We are also slaughtering our ladies' furs. These are genuine goods and must be sold.

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## L. B. HARVIE MEATS and GROCERIES

Our Specialties: Hamburger Steak, Our own make of Sausage, We grind our own Coffee, Choice Fruit always in Stock

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Jar Honey	30c.
Banquet Sauce	25c.

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Heavy Flannel Shirts—gray or khaki	\$2.25		
Hand knit wool mitts mens	75c. Boys 50c.		
Lined Leather Mitts big variety	60c. to \$2.00		
Strong Horseshide Pull-overs	\$1.20		
Heavy wool Pants—dk. gray	\$4.00		
Genuine A. P. H. Pants	\$6.00		
Khaki Freize Breeches	\$5.00		
Sweaters	\$2.00 up.		

H. A. HART "CLOTHES OF QUALITY" HANTSPORT