Hartland, N. B., Mar. 3.—At East Florenceville, Tuesday evening, Jew and Christian joined farces in an effort to do their share for the relief of the Jews in war stricken Etrope. The occasion was an entertainment in Smith's Hall and on the speakers' platform were Rev. W. H. Manuel, Rev. George A. Ross, Rabbi Barenhaltz and Benjami Fine. Practically all the Jews from Woodstock to Grand Falls were there, as well as a large gathering of Christians. The Jewish people brought Knowles's orchestra from Fort Fairfield at their own expense. There were strring speeches, the affair winding up with a basket social. The sum of \$180 was the result.

Mr. Fred Robinson, a mative of Lower Brighton, but for thirty-five years a resident of Nelson, B. C., has been here visiting his aged mother and other relatives, it being sixteen years since he's last visit. He is in the lumber manufacturing business in the west, but says his mills have not turned a wheel since the outbreak of the war and that in the west times are much depressed because of the conflict,.

The lumbering outlook in the vicinity of Windsor is very bright. Eighteen teams are hauling logs to Beecher Stockford's steam saw mill and the prospects are that the mill will be kept running all summer.

The function of Mrs. Lester McKenzie took place at the Armand church Feb.

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CENTREVILLE

Grade H.—(a)—1st, And Stranger, Ind, Zella Carpenter. Grade H. (b)—1st, Norman Hamm; 2nd, Evelyn Black. Grade I.—1st, Earle Wilson; 2nd, Amos Straight. Centreville, March 4.—One of Tracey Mills most respected young ladies passed away Tuesday last in the person of Miss Ruby Sinnet. She had been ailing for a considerable time, having taken her bed about eight weeks ago. She leaves one sister, Frances, and a large circle of friends. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon, the service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. Hurlow, and interment being made in the cemetery of the Baptist church, Tracey Mills.

Miss Hilda Buchanan, Royalton, spent Sunday as the guest of her cough, Mrs. Harry Simonson.

A. P. Silles, B. A., spent the week end at the home of Col. Kennedy, Tracey Mills.

William Charleton of Blaine. Mewas in the village.

Pie. Ernest Powell and James Muray of the 104th. Woodstock, spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Miss Harold Reld of Knoxford, who has been drilling with the 104th at Woodstock, returned to his bed.

Pie. Harold Reld of Knoxford, who has been drilling with the 104th at Woodstock, returned to his home Saturday to spend two weeks, and then join Col. Kennedy's battailon at St. John to which he has been transferred.

Eidon Estey, Greenfield, who has been employed at Easton in the saw mill there, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Estey.

Seven candidates received the ordinance of baptism, as a result of a series of several services held in the Centreville Baptist church, beginning the week of prayer.

Miss Mary Gallagher spent Sunday as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Rose Clarke.

The Carleton County annuel seed fair is to be held March 14th at Florenceville.

Hillsborough, March 1.—The annual Sunday School Convention for the Parish of Hillsborough was held at Weldon on Friday afternoon and evening. Feb. 25. There were a good attendance of delegates from the different schools of the parish, and the reports as a whole were very encouraging. Rev. F. B. Seelye of Dawson gave a very interesting and instructive paper on "Teaching the Lesson in the Spirit of the Word," after which Rev. W. A. Ross, general secretary, led a round table conference. The evening session was largely attended. Rev. S. W. Schurman conducted a round table talk; Rev. F. B. Seelye read another interesting paper on "Sunday School Evangelization," followed by a helpful and inspiring address by Rev. W. A. Ross. The following officers for the ensuing year were appointed:

President, G. P. Steeves; vice-press. G. Bunyan Steeves; sec.-treas, Mrs. C. W. Dobson.

Department superintendents as follows: Elementary, Miss Jennie Steeves (Weldon); sec., and adult, Mrs. W. H. Duffy, (Hillsboro); home dept., Mrs. G. E. Steeves (Salem); teachers' training, Rev. S. W. Schurman (Hillsboro); temperance, M. P. Steeves (Salem); mission, Rev. F. B. Seelye (Dawson); J. B. R. A., Miss Gertrude Simmons, (Weldon.)

WEST END SOLDIERS COMFORT.

The West End Soldiers' Comfort Association will meet at the drill hall, Winslow street, Tuesday, March 7th at 8 p. m. Business of importance to come before the meeting. Members requested to attend, by order of Mrs. W. A. Fraser, president.

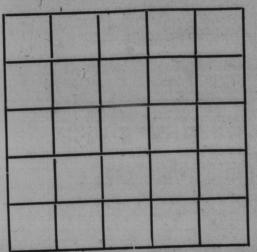
Fifteen Prizes In This Puzzle Contest

And There Is Still as Good a Chance as Ever For Anyone Who Wants to Enter

THE WINNER IN THE COMPETITION MAY SECURE \$150

Contest Will Close on Wednesday, March 15

This is not a trick or catch, but a straight problem, requiring some ingenuity and thought. The puzzle can be solved in many different ways, and any one of these will be accepted as correct, if the required result is reached -namely, that the totals of the columns, up and down and side to side, shall be the same.



Use your brains and try for one of these prizesyour chances are just as good as any other persons. Solve the puzzle, send in your solution with the coupon and a payment on subscription account, and see if you can win the cash. Remember, the contest will close March 15th.

ARRANGE THE NUMBERS

From one to twenty-five, in these blank spaces, so that the totals of each column, up and down, and from left to right, will be the same.

Amount of the prize you win will depend on the amount sent with your solution

HOW TO ENTER

The contest is open to any person residing in the Maritime Provinces. The payment on subscription to The Standard (daily or semi-weekly) of from \$1.00 to \$6.00 entitles the contestant to submit a solution of the puzzle and the amount of money so paid will be credited in full according to the scale given elsewhere in this announcement. As many different solutions may be submitted as the contestant desires. It is necessary to make an additional payment with each one, but no amount higher than \$6.00 will be accepted with any one solution. It is not necessary to pay the same amount with each solution if more than one is submitted. Remit by cheque, money order, postal note, express order, or if cash is enclosed be sure to register the letter. Solutions not accompanied by cash will not be considered. This contest is open to both old and new subscribers, and will close on Wednesday, March 15th. If a second puzzle is necessary, it will appear immediately thereafter.

USE THE COUPON.

Always use the solution coupon and read it carefully before filling out. Write your name and address plainly. The payment of from \$1.00 to \$6.00 on your subscription allows you one solution. Remember the larger the amount you pay on your subscription the larger will be your dividends should you win one of the prizes. You can for \$6.00 have six solutions at \$1.00 each if you wish, but one solution with \$6.00 paid on it will mean a much larger prize should you win.

THE PRIZE LIST

For the correct solution of this puzzle The Standard offers the ollowing prizes: First Prize—Twenty-five times the amount of money sent in by the winner. Second Prize—Fifteen times the amount of money sent in by the

winner.
Third Prize—Ten times the amount of money sent in by the winner.
Fourth Prize—Five times the amount of money sent in by the winner.
The first prize can thus be \$150.00, the second \$90.00, the third
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given eleven prizes of \$5.00 each, irrespective of the amounts sent in
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Get Busy Today and Send in Your Answer as Early as Possible

THE PUZZLE

The problem is to arrange the numbers from one to twenty-five in the above equares in such a manner that the figures will total the same in each column up and down and in each row from left to right. No number may be used twice, but every number from one to twenty-five must be used. Here with is shown the numbers from one to nine arranged in a smaller square in the manner desired. It will be seen that these figures add up to fifteen in each column up and down and in each row from left to right. The larger puzzle must be solved after the same style. The "one to nine" is shown merely as an explanation of what is required. There is no trick or catch in the matter.

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This contest is conducted by The Standard merely for the purpose of securing new subscriptions and making collections on renewals. At the same time it offers to new and old subscribers an opportunity by which through exercising a little patience they may earn generous sums of money. There will no doubt be a number of correct answers—perhaps a large number. If it should happen that more persons reach a correct answer than there are prizes offered, a second puzzle will be given for the purpose of deciding ties. No one who fails to solve this first puzzle will be permitted to enter such second puzzle if it becomes necessary to put a second one on. In the event of there being fewer correct solutions of the first puzzle than there are prizes offered, then the prizes will be awarded in the order in which these correct solutions reach The Standard office.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Whatever amount of money is sent in will be credited on one continuous subscription to The Standard according to the scale given below, unless otherwise requested by the competitor. Competitors must enclose with their solutions, one, two, three, four, five or six dollars, whatever amount they please up to six dollars, but not less than one dolfar and will receive credit as follows:

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No solutions will be accepted unless accompanied by payment on account of new or renewal subscriptions. Nor will any solu-tions be accepted unless the coupon, which must accompany the solution, is filled in as required. Contestants who send in the solu-tion and forget to enclose the money must repeat their solution in the later letter in which the money is enclosed.

SOLUTION COUPON

Cut out this coupon smoothly around the border and send it in as soon as possible with solution and money attached, to,

St. John Standard. Amount enclosed Are you at present a subscriber to the Daily Standard?

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The Broad

Arme At "The Chequers" Inn.

In due season I came anto Tonbridge town, and following the High Street, presently observed a fine inn upon the right-hand side of the way, which, as I remember, is called "The Chequers." And here were divers loiterers, lounging round the door, or seated upon the benches; but the eyes of all were turned the one way.

And presently, as I paused before the inn, to look up at its snow-white plaster, and massive cross-beams, there issued from the stable yard one in a striped waistcoat, with top-boots and a red-face, who took a straw from behind his ear, and began to chew it meditatively; to whom I now addressed myself.

"Good afternoon!" said I.
"Arternoon!" he answered.
"A fine day!" said I.
"Is it?" said he.
"Why—to be sure it is," said I, somewhat taken aback by his manner; "to be sure it is."
"Oh!" said he, and shifted the straw very dexterously from one corner of his manner to the other, by some un-

"II," said he.
"And why do you look at the hill?"
"Mail," said he.
"Oh!" said I.
"Ah!" said he.
"Is it the London coach?"
"Ah!" said he.
"Does it stop here?"
"Ah!" said he.

"Ah!" said he.

"Do you ever say anything much beside 'ah'?" I inquired.

He stopped chewing the straw, and with his eyes on the distance, seemed to turn this question over in his mind; having done which he began to chew again.

"Ah!" said he.

"Why, then you can, perhaps, tell me how many miles it is —" myself thir.

"Five," said he.

"I was about to ask how far it was to —" and the outside to the country of the country o

"You've never heard of Rabelais, or Panurge, of course," said I. The Ost ler took out his straw, eyed it thought fully, and put it back again.

"No," said he.

"More's the pity!" said I, and was about to turn away, when he drew the nearest fist abruptly from his pocket, and extended it towards me.

"Look at that!" he commanded.

"Rather dirty,"I commented, "but otherwise a good, useful member, I make no doubt."

"It's a-goin," said he, alternately drawing in and shooting out the fist in question, "it's a-goin' to fill your eye up."

"Is it?" said I.

"Ah!" said he.

"But what for?"

"I aren't a Semmy, nor yet a Quarer, an' as for Friers," said he, very deliberately, "why—Frier yourself, says I."

"Newartheless" said I. "you are tall man were of I were should be supported by the said of the says I."

"Joe!" he called out suddenly over his shoulder. "Mail, Joe!"

Lifting my eyes to the brow of the hill, I could see nothing save a faint haze, which, however, gradually grew denser and theker; and out from this gathering cloud, soft, and faint with distance, stole the silvery notes of a horn. Now I saw the coach itself, and as I watched it rapidly descending the hill, I longed to be upon it, with the run above, the smooth road below, and the wind rushing through my hair. On it came at a galloy, rocking and swaying, a good fifteen miles an hour; on it came, plunging into the green shade of trees, and out into the sun again, with ever the gathering dust cloud behind; while clear and high raig the cheery note of the horn. And now, from the cool shadows of the nn yard, there rose a prodigious tamping of hoofs, rattling of chains, and swearing of oaths, and out came our fresh horses, led by two men, and of whom wore top-boots, a striptwaistcoat, and chewed upon straws. And now the coach swung round the bend, and came thundering down on "The Chequers," chains jingling, heels rumbling, horn thaying and, the a stamp and ring of hoof, pulled before the inn.

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