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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1913.

The town of Medford, in the Car-  
rot River Valley, Sask., claims to be  
the metropolis of the district where  
the first farming in the West was  
done. The story is that Chevalier  
De La Corne, in the year 1753, built  
the fort on the Saskatchewan which  
is still called by his name, explored  
in the same year the Carrot River  
Valley, and in the following spring  
seeded a few acres of ground; and  
that he is, therefore, deserving of  
recognition as the first agriculturist  
of the Canadian West.

It is proposed to celebrate in the  
town of Medford, during the first week  
of August, 1914, the one hundred  
and sixtieth anniversary of this important  
event.

A mammoth pageant will be pre-  
pared, depicting scenes illustrative of  
events which have occurred in the  
district from the pioneer days to the  
present. Fully two thousand Indians,  
are expected to take part and to ex-  
hibit relics preserved from the days  
of their forefathers. Modern sports  
and other entertainments will also be  
provided.

The Chevalier De La Corne was a  
French soldier who was present in  
the battle, or, rather, the rout on the  
Plains of Abraham, and also fought  
at St. Foy. He subsequently became  
a British subject, took part under  
General Burgoyne in the War of In-  
dependence, was made a member of  
the Legislative Assembly of Quebec,  
and died in his eighty-first year.

—Vice President Marshall of the  
United States was the preacher not  
long since at a Methodist Camp Meet-  
ing in Virginia. If the motor car  
costume in which he appeared in the  
pulpit made some of his hearers open  
their eyes, no less did some of his  
timely remarks.

E.g.—"There is no freedom any-  
where where there is not a clear con-  
science, free from fear of God and  
man."

"There is too much tendency for  
men to consult with sharp lawyers as  
to what they can do and still keep  
out of jail."

Insisting that while the sins of par-  
ents are visited upon their children,  
it is equally true that the sins of  
children are visited upon their par-  
ents, he added.

"Children are sent to Sunday  
school for a part of Sunday; to regu-  
lar schools for a part of five days a  
week, and the rest of the time they  
are forgotten, and they do as they  
please. It is high time for American  
fathers and mothers to have opinions  
on religion. You wonder why the  
turkey trot, the tango and the slit  
skirt exist. I say it is because the  
mothers of the country are not inter-  
ested in training their children."

If those who listened to these say-  
ings did not allow them merely to en-  
ter at one ear and pass out at the  
other; and if those who read the  
printed report of them do but stop a  
moment to think them over, they  
must acknowledge them to be words  
fitly spoken. And, "A word fitly  
spoken is like apples of gold in bas-  
kets of silver."

There are few writers who have the  
skill and thought to express the es-  
sential spirit of a scene as well as  
does Vernon Lee. Her "English  
Writer's Notes on England" in the  
November Scribner are vivid realiza-  
tions of both the outward and inward  
aspects of "The Things of the Pres-  
ent,"—full of little touches of quiet  
humor, of penetrating and sympa-  
thetic observations. Howard Giles's  
illustrations are happy adjuncts of  
the text.

## This Week Forty Years Ago

(From Monitor file of Oct. 22, 1873.)

Providence Church in this town was  
filled on Thursday morning last (Oct.  
16th) to witness the marriage cere-  
mony performed between L. S. Morse,  
Esq., barrister, of Bridgetown, and  
Miss Cordelia V. Tupper, third  
daughter of Minor Tupper, Esq.

Our plucky citizen Mr. James Hillis  
has succeeded in forming a company  
for the purpose of building a vessel  
in this town.

Mrs. McKay, wife of Capt. Peter  
McKay, passed away on Saturday  
morning, the 18th inst., and was  
buried on Sunday. She was much  
loved by a large circle of friends and  
acquaintances and her funeral was  
largely attended. Rev. Mr. Huestis  
conducted the services.

The Schr. "Merlin," Capt. Holmes,  
from Lower Graville, went ashore in  
the gale on the 17th on Templeman's  
Point, Hampton, and was badly  
stranded. The crew were all saved by  
much exertion on the part of the in-  
habitants. Her cargo consisted of dry  
fish for Boston.

Mr. Wm. McNeal of Melvern Square,  
writes a letter on Cranberry Culture,  
and the great opportunity offered in  
the useless bog lands of this County  
for this industry. Mr. McNeal had  
the honor of being the first man in  
Nova Scotia to raise cranberries by  
artificial cultivation.

CHIPMAN.—At Tupperville, 21st inst.

Mr. Jacob Chipman, aged 86 years.

WILLIAMS.—At Clarence, Oct. 20th.

Alice, daughter of Samuel Williams,  
aged 11 years.

## Methodist Church Circuit Notes

### BRIDGETOWN.

Thanksgiving Prayer and Praise ser-  
vice in lecture room of church this  
(Wednesday) evening. All are invited.  
At the Epworth League service Fri-  
day evening, Mr. Malcolm B. Davis,  
who has lately been appointed as as-  
sistant in Pomology to the Dominion  
Horticulturist, will give an address  
upon the subject of "Orcharding." Opportunity will be given at the close  
of the lecture for debate and discus-  
sion. The public generally, and fruit  
growers particularly, are invited to  
attend this meeting. An offering will  
be taken for League purposes. Meet-  
ing will begin at 7.30 o'clock.

The pastor will preach in this  
church at the morning and evening  
service next Sunday.

### BENTVILLE.

Service here next Sunday morning  
at 11 o'clock. Dr. Jost will preach.

### GRANVILLE.

The pastor will preach here Sunday  
afternoon at three o'clock.

## Church Notes—Parish of St. James

In keeping with the Anglican Com-  
munion throughout the Dominion  
"Children's Day" was observed in  
this church last Sunday by an  
Eucharistic Intercession at 8 a.m. and  
a special children's service at 11  
o'clock. This latter service was  
especially interesting, both on ac-  
count of the presence of so many chil-  
dren and the delightful way in which  
they took part. A blackboard lesson  
was given on Prayer and the Stan-  
dard of Christ's Army.

At the evening service the sermon  
was appropriate to the "Day of Gen-  
eral Thanksgiving" being based on  
Psalm 107, 15, "O that men would  
therefore praise the Lord for His  
goodness, and declare the wonders  
that He doeth for the children of men."

Following the usual service a prayer  
meeting was held for intercession on  
behalf of the Mission to be held in  
the Deaneries of Cape Breton and  
Halifax during the month of Novem-  
ber.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, BELLEFLE  
The afternoon service at St. Mary's  
was a combined Harvest and General  
Thanksgiving. The church was very  
tastefully decorated with flowers, au-  
tumn leaves, fruits and vegetables.  
The music was hearty and appro-  
priate and the sermon on the duty  
and the benefits of true thanksgiving.

## Quoit Match

A very interesting Quoit match was  
played on Thanksgiving Day between  
the Riverside Club and the Bridge-  
town Tennis and Quoit Club on the  
grounds of the latter Club, the River-  
side Club winning out by 25 points.  
The following is the score:—

RIVERSIDE CLUB.  
G. Gill ..... 21, 21  
J. McLean ..... 18, 7  
E. A. Hicks ..... 21, 17  
A. F. Little ..... 22, 21

Total number of points ..... 148

BRIDGETOWN TENNIS AND  
QUOIT CLUB  
H. B. Hicks ..... 19, 15  
A. Little ..... 21, 22  
F. R. Fay ..... 13, 22  
A. F. Little ..... 6, 5

Total number of points ..... 123

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## HYMENEAL

### FOSTER—SHAW.

A very pretty home wedding took  
place last Saturday morning at the  
residence of Mr. Sydney W. Foster,  
Bridgetown East, when his eldest  
daughter Florence Sangster, was  
united in marriage to Harris Monson  
Shaw of Windsor Forks.

About fifty guests were assembled  
to witness the impressive ceremony,  
which was performed by the Rev.  
N. A. MacNeill, the single ring ser-  
vice being used. Messrs Ernest Fos-  
ter, brother of the bride, Percy Slo-  
comb and Eugene Saunders acted as  
ushers.

The house was beautifully decorat-  
ed for the occasion. In the parlor an  
arch of evergreen with white decora-  
tions had been erected by young  
friends of the bride, and under this  
arch the couple stood while the  
nuptial vows were taken. The bride  
looked charming in white silk  
with lace and pearl garniture, wear-  
ing a veil caught up with orange  
blossoms, and carrying a shower bou-  
quet of sweet peas. She was attended  
by her sister, Miss Gladys, who wore  
a pretty gown of white, the groom  
being supported by his brother, Jud-  
son Shaw of Windsor. The father of  
the bride escorted her to the arch,  
while Lohengrin's Wedding March was  
beautifully rendered by Mrs. Stewart  
Trenholm of Grand Pre, a relative of  
the groom.

Following the ceremony and con-  
gratulations a dainty luncheon was  
served.

The couple were recipients of a  
great many handsome gifts, including  
silver, cut glass, china, linen, furni-  
ture and a number of substantial  
cheques. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw were  
conveyed by auto to the depot where  
they took the train for a trip to St.  
John, Boston and Niagara, followed  
by hearty good wishes of all their  
friends for a happy future. On their  
return they will reside at Windsor  
Forks.

Among the guests from a distance  
were:—Mr. and Mrs. Judson Shaw,  
Sr., Misses Sophia and Myrtle Shaw,  
Windsor Forks; Mrs. N. Davidson,  
Windsor; Mrs. Eliza Cox, Hantsport;  
Mrs. Louisa Duncan, Mrs. Stewart  
Trenholm, Grand Pre; Misses Blanche  
Fullerton, Florence Morse, Wolfville,  
and Miss Mary Bishop, Annapolis.

Employment will be scarce in Win-  
nipeg this winter, and a certain  
amount of hardship is likely to be  
felt, according to Frank Kerr, of the  
Winnipeg City Employment Bureau.

## OBITUARY

### JAMES J. ARMSTRONG

The death occurred in Boston of  
Bright's disease on Oct. 14, of James  
J. Armstrong at the age of sixty-six  
years.

The deceased was a son of Whitman  
Armstrong of Granville Ferry, but  
spent most of his life in Boston.  
After the death of his first wife he  
removed to North Dakota where his  
sister was then living. For several  
years past he found the climate of  
his home in Dakota too severe for  
him. He tried Texas, British Colum-  
bia and Boston without any improve-  
ment.

The deceased is survived by a wid-  
ow, Rebecca Smith, formerly of North  
Kingston; one son by his first wife,  
Ira Bryant of Bottineau, now Dakota  
one sister, Agnes Rice of New West-  
minster, B. C.; two brothers, El-  
wood H. Armstrong of Banff, Alta.,  
and C. F. Armstrong, land surveyor  
of Middleton.

## Prize Winners

Mr. C. H. Strong of this town, and  
Mr. F. G. Palfrey of Lawrence town,  
took prizes at the recent Windsor ex-  
hibition in the Poultry Class, as  
follows:—

Barred Plymouth Rock—Cock, 1st,  
F. G. Palfrey; Hen, 1st, F. G. Pal-  
frey; Cockerel—1st and 2nd, F. G.  
Palfrey; Pullet—1st and 2nd, F. G.  
Palfrey.

White Wyandott—Cock, 2nd, C. H.  
Strong; Hen, 1st, F. G. Palfrey; Hen,  
2nd, C. H. Strong; Cockerel—1st  
and 2nd, C. H. Strong; Pullet—1st  
and 2nd, C. H. Strong.

Buff Orpington—Cock—2nd, F. G.  
Palfrey; Cockerel—1st and 2nd, F. G.  
Palfrey.

Ontario has found a new market for  
her apples. The first shipment was  
made yesterday from St. Catharines  
to Cape Town, South Africa. The  
shipment comprised three thousand  
bushels of King apples, the chief rival  
of the famous Northern Spies. The  
fruit was packed in special boxes in  
compliance with the fruit shipment  
act.

The Berwick Board of Trade is con-  
sidering a proposal to apply for the  
government grant for the Valley Ex-  
hibition in 1914. This annual exhibi-  
tion is a splendid thing for the Val-  
ley and Berwick with its central sit-  
uation and ample warehouse space is  
well conditioned for holding the next  
fair.

Yarmouth Times says: Live lob-  
sters in any quantity at this season  
of the year are unusual here, but the  
schooner J. R. Atwood, Capt. Belli-  
veau, entered at the customs yester-  
day from Woods Harbor with 6,800  
on board, destined for the United  
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SALMON 2 cans 25c.  
BONELESS COD 2 lbs. 25c.  
TOMATOES can 15c.  
SWEET CIDER gallon 25c.  
SUGAR 20 lbs. \$1.00  
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