## HE DEATH RATE IN CITY IN AUGUST

igher Than in July But Lower Than in August, 1911

### MONTHLY BULLETIN

Melvin, Health Officer, Gives figures and Comparisons, and Adises the Housewife in the Serious

e August health bulletin, issued by G. G. Melvin, health officer, is as fol reported from the city during the h. The figures for last month and

From Notifiable Diseases.

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d so forth constantly keep up a succession of drafts consequently, dust more or less is everywhere, except, perhaps, in e air over the open sea, in the heart of me kinds of forests and over some uninbitated mountain heights. If dust be examined under the microppe, that is, dust ordinarily found in our useholds, it will be seen to be composed a wide but rather constant variety of aterial. Minute hairs, or parts of hair, rticles of wool, cotton, linen, silk; very all scales from the human skin and that animals, little fragments of wood and al and clay, parts of the leaves and seeds d flowers of plants, dried particles of mure help to make up this substance ich is so common, and yet is so often urious to health. In fact, it is hard believe that dust is not more hurtful an it is, when we realize the unsavory ture of many of the things which com-

de, in a way, to dust, so that we do not fer from it in anything like the degree it might be expected. But, in order to tain this partial immunity, two things necessary, usage to dust and good

To the careful housewife dust is chiefly ectionable because it is a species of it?" and soils everything it comes in cont with. It is, therefore, her special deto get rid of it, and as specify as posite. Frequently, indeed, generally, this is empted in two ways—by the broom and "duster." Both are efficient, for the ment, in causing a disappearance of the ending material, but too often it is mereto disperse it from one situation, set it set in the air, only to settle again in same or in an equally objectionable ce.

dusting should be abolished. It is not, lly, a cleanly practice and often results making a "bad matter worse." Most estally care should be taken in sweeping I dusting kitchens and dining rooms, re, even when the dry method is not ployed, all cooking and eating utensils, of course, all food should be carefully ered before the process begins. It is y satisfactory to know that the feather ter, so popular with our mothers, has in largely relegated to the limbo of disded things.

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ever dry a colored wash dress in the unless you wish it to fade.

## INTERESTING AGRICULTURAL FEATURES FOR OUR COUNTRY READERS

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## FROM ST. JOHN TO FREDERICTON

Like a great gull, floating with grey pinions at rest, our car wept through the streets, dipping like the sea-bird into cool hollows where tattered remnants of mist still dallied with the sunbeams.

Crossing the great bridge under which the waters seethed and fretted their way ocean-ward, we turned to look at the city we were soon to leave so far behind us.

thousands in masses of brick and mortar, by all means let them road choose so fair a spot to build upon.

In the dawn of that Greater St. John in which we are even now standing the problem of the housing of the poorer working classes should not be overlooked. If the city of the future—which is to stretch tens of thousands—is to be a city that we shall be proud to name as ours, then let a few breathing places be left in the tenement districts. Fresh air has been called, "Nature's vast antidote for stain and sin." And yet,

"God of the open!-look and see The millions of thy creatures pent within Close places that are foul for one clean breath Thrilling with health and life and purity.'

tonly a charitable but a necessary precaution for the city to withda few acres at least, of meadow and woodland from the ongoing the sum of pick and axe, those fatal fore-runners of brick walls that out forever from the dwellers in their shadow the "largess of sky." Parks are cheaper than prisons. St. John will indeed be model city of the East in that day when her people can look with the progressive of the p e upon the homes of her citizens of every class.

Dotted for miles along the banks of the stream are summer service.

boats are starting on their daily trips up stream. Drowsy sails flap to a conqueror. on the calm water. The calls of children playing on the beach echo through the still air.

across the road into shelter of a small wood.

river on our sight, a broad hilltop presently afforded us our first ture of these two forest lovers stands out with thrilling effect. view of Woodman's Point and the Long Reach. Surely nowhere on the St. John River is there a more beautiful spot than this. Gently sleping downward from a tree-capped summit, the soft green banks of this world of trees. If in this region Man played but a small part of the Point stretch placidly into the river, which taking a sharp in comparison to Nature's, there were yet not lacking evidences of The masts and rigging in the harbor cut sharply into the morning sky; and fading into the background, where green hills fringed the horizon, the greys of spire and tower and soft, dull red of the houses blended harmoniously into irregular outlines. Surely the city was fair to look upon! If men must horde themselves together by thousands in masses of brick, and mortar by all means lat them to the right opens up a new, long vista of white beaches high, are first opens up a new, long vista of white beaches high, his presence, as we sped turn to the right opens up a new, long vista of white beaches high, his presence, as we sped the horizon, the greys of spire and tower and soft, dull red of the houses blended harmoniously into irregular outlines. Surely the city was fair to look upon! If men must horde themselves together by thousands in masses of brick, and mortar by all means lat them are first opensure. The river, which taking a sharp turn to the right opens up a new, long vista of white beaches high, is presence, as we sped the city of the shall sharp the city was fair to look upon! If men must horde themselves together by thousands in masses of brick, and mortar by all means lat them are constant to the right opens up a new, long vista of white beaches high, his presence, as we sped the city of the shall sharp the city of the shall sharp the city of the shall sharp the city of the state of the right opens up a new, long vista of white beaches high, his presence, as we sped the city of the shall sharp the city of the sharp the city of

It was here, at the most enchanting spot, we left with natural regret the gleam of guiding waters we had followed from St. John. Lost in admiration of the wonderful natural beauty on every regret the gleam of guiding waters we had followed from St. John.

The whistle of a locomotive re-echoing through the hills, reside, one forgets for a moment, the crowded alleys and blistering. The River Road lies across the Nerepis Bridge and follows mile after minded us that not far away the busy traffic of the railroad was the company to take the direct and showter carried on Haymakers were busy in the long fields near the compavements; the weary tenders of clanking machines; the little child- mile in the wake of the tide. We were to take the direct and shorter carried on. Haymakers were busy in the long fields near the comten playing in the fetid air of flowerless courts. All the dreary and route running through a less open district. Somewhere behind the unlovely days which go to make up the sum of city life for the very hills to the north the little city of Fredericton lay hidden. It was

hide and seek in Nature's own playground. A sudden bend in the road and we caught our last glimpse of and cloudless, mid-summer sky. upper reaches of the stream and the city on it's bank.

In a moment we had exchanged the charm of sunlit distances: fit sentinels of a highway cut through the heart of a forest. The monkey trees one sees so often in England growing in grotesque A publicity agent has, it is understood, dark waters of the Nerepis glided slowly along, in striking contrast shapes, to the rollicking waves of the St. John. We had entered another Mi

In a moment, shooting down the steep hillside, we were caught to organize this publicity campaign during the country roads of New Brunswick is the wooden trimming of the gables. It is seen in many different designs. Some with scalloped woodland road, stretching like a long cilence between the comming month.

homes—bungalows of every size and description set in daisy starred prince along the road are found magnificent specimens of train for moderate distances, it is well that we should look with seemendows, clustering at the most picturesque points into little villapine and oak trees. They saw their brethren fall around them half ing eyes upon the unrivalled splendours of our own beautiful provers.

M. E. E.

enchanting view. The white cottages climbing up hillsides embow- has knotted their limbs and bent their branches into grotesque ered in trees, are reflected in the calm, dark waters below. River shapes; but their giant trunks, erect, defiant, have never yet bowed

At the feet of these rugged patriarchs has sprung up a new generation. One striking group by the roadside suggests a romance in treeland. In the shadow of a sturdy fir has grown a tall, slender The green fields on either side of the road; the groves of birch birch tree. The two stand completely apart from their neighbors. and maple, give a park-like effect to the landscape that is more The birch looks like a fair lady in silver and green sheltered in the keenly felt as a deer breaks nervously through a hedge and bounds arms of her stalwart knight. So striking in the contrast between the delicate branches of the one, with their tremulous, tender-green Cutting through clover-scented air, always with the blue, sunlit leaves and the grave, protecting attitude of the other, that the pic-

> Joyously our car glided down hillsides and bounded up the opposite slopes as if eager as we to explore further into the wonders

> > 'By sunny pastures where cattle were lowing By the hayfields glad and green for the mowing. Past the pine-woods, wet and fragrant, and then Out of the shadows, away and away, Into the daffodil depths of the day.

to be ours on that happy mid-summer morning, to play a game of The homely sounds of domestic life broke pleasantly on the silence of that great expanse of wooded hills, flashing lakes, winding streams Lloyd George Unionist M. P.'s who are

should not be overlooked. If the city of the future—which is to stretch out throbbing arms in every direction, and to call its thousands, up hill again," zig-zagging through five counties we should find the we were once more gathered into a tree-bound silence where the fluence from Canada to help the Unionist wild, lovely, solitary spirit of Nature found sanctuary. With the campaign in Great Britain, are evidently exception of the road itself flowing before us in brown undulations, not quite satisfied with the comparatively blue water and summer villages, for the mystery of silent, fir-clad no work of man met our eyes again for many a mile. A young forest small attention given to their public utter-hills, a quiet roadway, solitary homesteads and rugged, mighty trees of pines passing through the "awkward age" reminded us of the ances in the Canadian press.

Miles and miles of woodland. Fredericton could not be far ments are now being made by some of the Thrilling with health and life and purity."

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With bright visions of the future in our minds, we sped through gables. It is seen in many different designs. Some with scallop d woodland road, stretching like a long silence between two cadences. with bright visions of the future in our minds, we sped through divide on our way to the open country.

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