

Advertisement for Five Roses Flour featuring an illustration of two boys, a list of flour benefits, and the brand name 'Five Roses Flour' in large stylized letters.

Not Yet

(Montreal Witness.) Sir Oliver Lodge, a scientist of the highest note, and one-time president of the British Association, said, in a speech last week, "We are not limited to the few years we live on the earth. I say it on definite grounds. I know that certain friends of mine still exist, because I have talked with them. They have given proof that they are real persons and not something emanating from myself." Later he went on to say, "I tell you with all the strength of conviction that people still take interest in things that are going on, that they still help us, and are able from time to time to communicate with us. I know that we are surrounded by other intelligences, beings working with us, co-operating, helping."



that somebody present knows a living Heczekiah, and the third, that somebody present is acquainted with a Heczekiah that "has gone over," as they call it. It is practically impossible that she could be wrong in one of these guesses. Having found somebody who will own up to acquaintance with a person named Heczekiah, whether in this world or the next matters not, she will begin to tell her message on this wise: "Heczekiah wants to tell you something; it is something very important, but he finds it very difficult to approach you. There is some change coming in your life; a decision that you will be called on to make is going to mean a great deal to you. He cannot make clear what it is about, but you will know. He wants you to be very careful, and all will come out right in the end." Though it might seem impossible, a great number of the messages conveyed by the medium from the spirits that come up during the course of the evening are even more non-committal than the above. Spiritualism, though it is practical as a religion, is often hard-pressed to believe, had they been postulated, that it is today to be likewise intercommunication between the dead and the living. That we should be able to measure the distances of stars that are billions of miles away from us, that we should be able to tell of what those stars are made, that we should be able to tell in what direction and at what rate those stars are moving, and that we should be able to make an approximate count of stars in the sky that are never visible, are achievements that learned men might well have been excused for setting down as impossibilities.

Relatives at home will not be harassed by newspaper reports of deaths and wounds of those at the front. The authorities at Ottawa will officially announce the casualties by letter before allowing the dispatches to be published.

Tenders for Bridges, Culverts, & TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon on THURSDAY, the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1914, for the construction of the following bridges and culverts in permanent materials:

- COUNTY OF ANNAPOLIS
1. Church Road-section from Bridgetown to town line to Clarence Road ... 1.36 4
2. Nichols Mt. Road-section from Leonard's Corn, Clarence to Port Lorne Breakwater ... 4.75 20
3. Gates Mt. Road-section from Middle town Town Line to Port George Breakwater 5 26
4. Spa Springs Cor. Victoria-va-le to Forest Gladie Cor. Strong's Mountain ... 5.4 46
5. Crocker's Cor. Head-of-vale to Annapolis Town ... 36.33 113
Plans, specifications, forms of tender and all other information may be seen at the office of the ROAD COMMISSIONER at Halifax, N. S., or upon application to the following parties in the County of Annapolis:
W. G. Parsons, Barrister, Middle-
O. S. Miller, Municipal Clerk, Bridgetown.
I. J. Whitman, Inspector, Tor-brook.
J. E. Shaffer, Lawrence town.
H. R. McKay, Annapolis.
All parties tendering should visit the sites of the various structures. Tenders should have the word "TENDER" and the designation of the particular lot of structures for which the tender is submitted marked plainly on the outside of the envelope containing name, and the printed form of tender properly filled in.
Contracts may be awarded for each lot separately or for the whole of the work as stated above.
The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
E. H. ARMSTRONG,
Commissioner of Public Works and Mines.
Halifax, N. S., Dec. 3rd, 1914-31

Lawrencetown

Dec. 14th. Miss Carrie Hall is visiting her sister Mrs. Jones at Bridgetown. Mrs. Wm. Morse, of Niagara, is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morse. Mrs. Wm. Morse and Mrs. Israel Daniels were guests of Mrs. D. M. Balcom on Saturday. Mrs. Albert Phinney, of Paradise, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Helen Phinney on Sunday. Mrs. A. F. Pollard is contemplating purchasing a residence this winter or in the early Spring. Services for Sunday, Dec. 20th: Baptist 11 a. m.; Methodist 11 a. m.; Episcopal 11 a. m.; Baptist 7.30 p. m. Mrs. Ernest Whitman entertained a number of relatives and friends on Friday to celebrate her mother's natal day. Rev. Mr. Ritcey, of Middleton will lecture in the Methodist Church on Friday evening under the auspices of the Epworth League. Mrs. (Dr.) F. W. Young arrived home from Baltimore last week and report says Dr. Young will return from Halifax today (Monday) much improved in health. Mrs. L. W. Darling received the sad news on Saturday of the death of her mother Mrs. Joseph Anderson, of Dalhousie. The funeral service took place on Sunday at 3 p. m. in the Episcopal Church. Miss Robb is doing a grand work teaching music in the public school. The pupils are being well trained, and the good work does not end there, but is being felt in a large degree in the Sunday Schools. All who attend the concert given by Miss Robb and her pupils on Tuesday evening will no doubt enjoy a rare treat. The Baptist Sunday School gave up their picnic to Port Lorne in August in order that the money always expended, might be given to the destitute Belgians. A new library much needed was given up for the present, and \$35.00 was contributed toward the first Belgian Relief Ship. Also their annual Christmas tree was cancelled and \$15.00 contributed toward the Monitor Belgian Fund. The Mission Band "Willing Workers" met on Sunday afternoon. An excellent programme was given consisting of recitations and exercises by the children. The senior lesson on the Life of Judson was conducted by Mrs. Bancroft, and the lesson on India for the juniors was taught by Mrs. Freeman. Miss Muriel Phinney gave a sketch of the life of Adoniram Judson. The programme was interspersed with solos and duets. A large number of ladies of the W. M. A. S. gathered at the home of Mrs. I. Newcomb on Monday afternoon the 7th to welcome Miss E. E. Gaunce, returned missionary. The meeting was opened with music "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" followed by prayer. A song of welcome was sung by Mrs. P. H. Saunders which was much appreciated. A very interesting letter from the president Mrs. L. R. Morse was read. Among other things she described an address given in the church of which Rev. L. F. Wallace is pastor, by Miss Bella Crawford who was missionary among the Hopi Indians. Miss Crawford dressed in Indian costume given to her by the Indians valued at \$580. Miss Gaunce spoke in a very pleasing manner of her work among the Savages and sang some hymns in the native language. A solo "Coming, Coming From

Paradise

Dec. 14th. Miss Merna Marshall, of Clarence, has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Balcom. Mr. Charles Phinney, of Middleton, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. C. Morse. Rev. I. L. Nowlan will give an address in the Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 20th. A supper was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Freeman. Proceeds were for the Belgian Relief Fund. Rev. Geo. Beck, of Kentville, Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, will give an address in the Baptist Church on Wednesday evening, Dec. 16th. The Paradise Athletic and Dramatic Club held its regular meeting in Longley's Hall, Monday evening. After the business was disposed of the following programme was presented: Music-Male Quartette Ewart Morse, K. M. Brooks Dr. Sims, Edson Burke. Reading-Miss Annie Jackson Music-Quartette Reading-Avard Longley The programme was interspersed with music on Victrola.

Mt. Hanley

Dec. 15th. Preaching service December 20th at 7.30 o'clock; Sunday School at 10 a. m. Mrs. James Andrews, of North Range, was calling on friends in this place quite recently. Mrs. Frank Brown who has been visiting her friends at Springfield, returned home last week. Mr. W. B. Wilkins from Middleton, spent the past week with his many friends at Mt. Hanley. Mrs. Stanley Barteaux, who has been visiting her friends at Springfield returned home last week. Miss Helen Hines of this place attended the Birthday Party of Miss Susie Bent last Friday evening at Mt. Rose. Mrs. L. W. Pike from Somerville, Mass., and Mr. William Reigh from Spa Springs were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fritz on Sunday, December 6, 1914. Mr. Israel Fritz of this place killed two pigs 7 1/2 months old that weighed one 294 lbs. and the other 252 lbs. If any one can beat these we would like to hear from them. There will be a Christmas concert at the Baptist Church at Mt. Hanley on December 22nd, 1914 at 8 o'clock. There will be exercises, dialogues, recitations, solos, duets, trios, quartettes, music and other entertainments. Proceeds for the Belgian Relief Fund. Cordial invitation to all. Silver collection at the door.

Port Wade

Dec. 14th. Captain Ansel Casey had the misfortune to lose a cow last week. Messrs. R. H. Martell, of Halifax, and George R. Snow, of Hampton, visited this section last week. Mr. Fred Adams, of Bay View, Digby County, spent the week-end with Captain and Mrs. J. W. Snow. We have been favored the last three days with a flurry of the beautiful snow making nice slipping in the fields. Mr. Harry White has taken the schooner Venus with men for three dories for the season's haddocking in the Bay. Mr. White has an experienced crew and no doubt will make good. W. H. Anthony has had two calves on the mountain till the 10th of this month. They came in looking well having made an eight months' grazing season. Not too bad for old Nova Scotia! A short time since we had a visit from Mr. Todd of the Monitor Staff. Now we find a number of our people well booked up in prices of all commodities in the markets of our country. They have been reading the Monitor ads. Mrs. Robert Thompson died suddenly after a brief illness of heart failure at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Westaver on Thursday morning the 10th inst. Mrs. John S. Hayden, her daughter, of Lynn, having been wired the sad news came home Saturday and attended the funeral, which was held Sunday afternoon; Rev. T. F. MacWilliam, officiating. The remains were interred in the Baptist Cemetery. The deceased leaves a husband and three daughters, Mrs. J. S. Hayden, Mrs. Wm. Westaver and Mrs. Truman McGrath to mourn the loss of a kind wife and mother.

Parker's Cove

Dec. 14th. Mr. Alfred Gauthier has gone to Washington, D. C., to remain the winter. Mr. Lloyd Longmire, of Hillsburn, was the guest of his sister Mrs. Austen Weir on Saturday. Miss Minnie Weir who has been staying at Granville, for several months, has returned home. Miss Abbie Longmire of Hillsburn, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Milner, quite recently. There was no meeting on Sunday on account of the illness of the Pastor, Rev. Mr. Indoe. We hope to see him out soon. Fire was discovered in Mr. Thomas Milner's house on Wednesday at 12 o'clock. The interior of the kitchen was all ablaze when one of the neighbors was passing by and gave the alarm. The men of the neighborhood were quickly on hand and soon had the fire under control. Mr. Milner's loss is quite heavy. He lost everything in the kitchen and a greater part of his furniture was damaged by removing it. The origin of the fire is not known. Mr. Milner at the time was calling at a near neighbor's. Spa Springs Miss Cora Bowby spent the week-end at home. Mrs. Mary Harris has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Coulston at Port Williams. Mrs. James G. Keach is on the sick list but we hope she will be better in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Longley who have had charge of the Elliott farm during the Summer have moved to Paradise. We are sorry to lose such good citizens.

Englisville

Dec. 14th. Miss Emma Daniels has been visiting friends here recently. Miss Vida Veinot, of Albany, visited her friend Mrs. Vernon D. Beals recently. Mrs. Cunningham, of Bridgetown, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Asa Whitman. Mr. Ira Wile, of Liverpool, will remain with his niece Mrs. Rowter during the winter months. Miss May Naugler and pupils will give a concert Dec. 17th. A collection will be taken for repairs. The W. M. A. S. met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Beals. An important feature was the organizing of a "Baby Roll." Miss Gaunce, the returned missionary gave an address last Sunday evening. She spoke chiefly of the hill tribe, "The Souris." Upper Granville Dec. 15th. Master Clifford Bath is the guest of his uncle Mr. Frank Bath. Captain Charles Salter and wife are expected by relatives for a brief visit at or near Christmas. Miss Kilecup, of Bridgetown, is spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Clark, Elmlo Farm. The weather has been clear and cold during the past two weeks with little snow. The winter solstice is at hand and our shortest days remind us that Autumn is at an end and winter fairly upon us. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Phinney whose son Gordon is now suffering from a painful and serious shooting accident. All trust his recovery will be rapid and that shortly he may enjoy the comfort of home life with his devoted parents.

Hillsburn

Dec. 14th. Mr. Alfred Troop, of Granville Ferry called on friends here on Saturday. Miss Gertrude Longmire spent Sunday with Miss Edna Everett, of Ditchfield. Captain A. W. Longmire and crew of the Schooner Quikstep spent the week-end here. Mrs. Clarence Everett and son Floyd spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Longmire. Mrs. Frank McCaulle, of Dezap Cove is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Longmire. Miss Luella Longmire spent the week-end with her cousin Miss Ruth McCaulle of Delap's Cove. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson, of Litchfield, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Longmire. During the past week the fishermen have been successful in catching a good quantity of fish. We hope the weather will continue to be favorable for them. CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co. The lesson of Sir Frederick Stur-dew's victory, says the Boston Transcript, lies in its demonstration of Great Britain's ability to send powerful fleets to great distances without weakening its holdings in the North Sea.

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