

## When are You Going on Your Vacation?

A trip on a yacht means a pair of Yachting Shoes. Down to the seashore means Bathing Shoes. A couple of weeks in the country means Canvas Shoes. At our stores we are showing an immense range of all kinds of suitable and seasonable Shoes that are priced to suit the requirements of all our customers.

**Waterbury & Rising, Ltd.**  
King Street Main Street Union Street

**COAL**  
A large and carefully selected stock of highest grade Hard and Soft Coals always on hand—Ask for low summer prices.  
**CONSUMERS' COAL CO., LIMITED**  
321 CHARLOTTE STREET  
Phone Main 2670

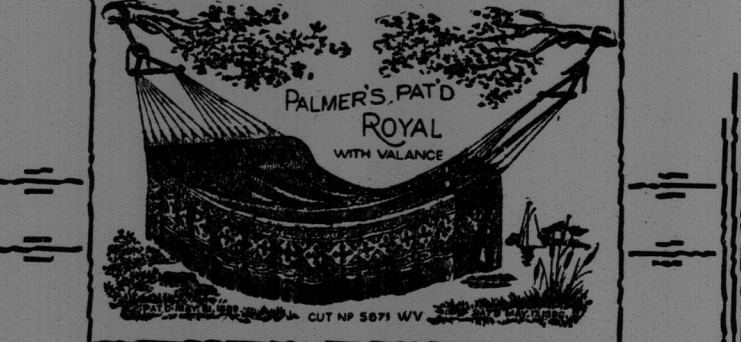
## Open Front Stoves For Summer Cottages

Fitted to burn either wood or coal, these heaters are well adapted for the Summer Home, where a little heat is required now and then. Sliding doors in front can be opened to give a cozy fireplace effect.

**Charles E. Leonard, Agt.**  
**Record Foundry & Machine Co.,**  
734 Main Street

**Don't Wait!**  
Only a Few Days More!  
**McMACKIN'S GREAT SALE**

**The Gift for the Bride**  
For a Gift of distinction and individuality, let us suggest a choice piece of Diamond Set Platinum Jewelry. It may be a Bracelet, Necklace, Lavalliere, Bar Pin, Brooch or Finger Ring. Our Platinum Jewelry has the latest "touch" in design, and our Diamond and Gem Values are supreme.  
**Ferguson & Page**  
Diamond Importers and Jewellers  
41 King St.



**Enjoy the Restful Comfort**  
of a PALMER HAMMOCK at your city home, in the country or at camp on these delightful summer days. Our display of PALMER HAMMOCKS embraces the latest, most popular designs and colorings, with every Palmer feature, including concealed spreaders, wood bars, durable material, stout hitch rings, etc.  
Style Shown here, with Valance.....\$1.15 to \$6.50  
Couch Hammocks.....\$1.10, \$1.00 and \$12.00  
Hammock Supports.....\$6.50  
Hammock Awnings in Gold, Red and Green.....\$5.50  
Chairs.....60c  
Hitch Hooks.....10c pair  
**W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd. MARKET SQUARE**  
AND KING STREET

## WEEK-END NOTES

### ALONG THE RIVER

**The First Deer—A Good Story—**  
Tragedy in Birdland—The Ancient Pine—Many Visitors—New Potatoes

The first deer of the season appeared at Public Landing on Saturday morning. A pair of them swam across the river and came ashore near Robert's house. About seven o'clock one of them was seen by Charles Parker running across his oats and potato fields to disappear in a wooded ravine. That night this deer or its mate was around H. W. Beidinger's cottage, but disappeared before dawn. It is a long swim across the St. John above Public Landing, but deer are famous swimmers.

**A Wonderful Horse.**  
The champion of the tribe, however, has nothing on the horse told about by an up-river man on the steamer Champlain on Saturday afternoon. He did not vouch for the truth of the story, but said the other up-river man who told it, declared it was good. This man said his forefathers were Loyalists and came to St. John with other Loyalists in a schooner from New York. They encountered a severe storm and were compelled to jettison considerable cargo. Among the things sent overboard was a valuable stallion, which immediately began to swim in a direct course. As the schooner was compelled to tack frequently and pursue a zigzag course the horse, swimming straight ahead, was able to keep up. He did this for two days and nights when the sea became calm and they located him on the shore again, and he traveled up and down the Bellefleur for years after.

It is clear that the gentle art of story telling is not confined to the mountains of Donegal, and that it is not dying out along the St. John River.

**The Vandals.**  
The children came with the story that a dog had killed two young birds in a nest by the roadside. We went and sure enough, in the ravaged nest under the shadow of a great boulder, lay the mangled little forms of the young birds. The mother bird was sitting about, on a neighboring nest another sat and sang as joyously as if there were no deaths in birdland. In the nest the ants were already busy, and the tragedy drew to a close.

But there are other vandals. Close beside the road running over the hill and out through what are called the Backlands there stands an old pine, more than a century old, and a delight to the eye of the wayfarer. At its base decay had caused a large hollow, extending upward into the body of the tree, but not apparently affecting its vitality. Early Sunday evening some unknown persons thrust their hands into the hollow and set it on fire. Before Charles Parker learned of it and put the fire out, damage was done that may kill the tree. This old tree, had seen generations of men pass within its shadow, and had sheltered the birds and squirrels, and those who in their wanderings, and to serve no useful purpose, would seek to end its life. The vandals are not after the manner of their kind. There is no such excuse for the human vandals this side of Germany.

**The River Traffic.**  
The Champlain was crowded with people going up river on Saturday afternoon. The boats were also crowded later in the day. The river was dotted with motor boats. The Geneva took a large party to the river on Saturday evening, and brought them back to land at midnight. At nine o'clock in the evening there were nine motor boats, six canoes and a sailing yacht, all visitors, moored at the landing. Many motor boats were there on Sunday. Of course the chief attraction on Sunday was the opening of the camp meetings at Beulah.

Sunday was a delightful day on the river, with warm sunshine in the afternoon. The Times man was promised some new potatoes and perhaps of some green peas for next Sunday's dinner, which shows that the crops are coming along fairly well, despite the late season.

**How's This?**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any of Canada that comes to be used by Hall's Cough Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly capable in all business transactions, and fully able to carry out any obligations made by him.

National Bank of Commerce, Toledo, O.  
Hall's Cough Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous membranes of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**GLoucester Investigations**  
JULY 20.  
Commissioner Chandler has fixed July 20 for the opening of the investigation of charges made by P. J. Veniot in connection with the public services of Gloucester county. The investigation is to be held in Fredericton, notwithstanding Mr. Veniot's request that it be held in Gloucester where the witnesses live.

**BISULFATED MAGNESIA**

For dyspepsia, indigestion, souring of food, gas, and hyperacidity of the stomach (acid stomach). A teaspoonful in a fourth of a glass of hot water usually gives INSTANT RELIEF. Sold by all druggists in either powder or tablet form at 75 cents per bottle.

**An Unfailing Way To Banish Hairs**  
(Beauty Notes).

Ugly hairy growths can be removed in the privacy of your own home if you get a small original package of delicate and mix into a paste enough of the powder and water to cover the hairy surface. This should be left on the skin about 20 minutes, then removed and the skin washed and every trace of hair will have vanished. No burn or inconvenience can result from this treatment, but be sure you buy real delafone.

## AMUSEMENTS

### OPERA HOUSE CROWDED AND EVERYONE HAPPY

**Empire Musical Comedy Co. in New Bill, Issy as the Broadway Spendthrift**

From the orchestra pit to the highest seat in the upper gallery the Opera House was last night by a full seeking audience to see the opening of the second week by the Empire Musical Comedy Company. They had the full plenty of it, and with it brilliant stage pictures, spirited dancing, a very prettily costumed chorus and a well varied programme.

Mr. Sacks was Issy the Spendthrift who created laughter; he was well supported and withal it was a jolly, joyous evening. The stage was very prettily lit and the electric effects were used with excellent judgment. The costumes were decidedly attractive and the stage pictures brilliant and beautiful.

The cabaret scene gave opportunity for introducing specialty numbers and there was a good programme of solo duets, choruses, a well given recitation by Eugene Sweet and a quartette number by the Heart of the City, by the popular four singers, Messrs. Sacks, Frank and Marshall Murray and Dick Stead.

In this Miss Marie Genere assisted well in an acting part. She also won new favor in a clever doll act. There was a well sung solo by Mr. Stead and a duet by Mr. Stead and Frank Murray. Miss Miller, Miss Covey, and others also contributed solos.

Miss Covey received a beautiful bouquet. Dave Harris, Frank Murray, and others well assisted Mr. Sacks in the comedy work. Mr. Sacks was at his best and he had the audience in almost continual laughter. Recalls were the order of the evening and the players all must have been greatly pleased with the marked cordiality of the reception accorded them. They were quick to respond to this well-coming approbation and the vim with which they did this renewed their appreciation. The company certainly has become very popular.

Tonight and tomorrow the same bill as last night will be the attraction.

**THE LYRIC PRESENTS ATTRACTIVE VAUDEVILLE**

**Kaufmann Sisters in Excellent, Dainty Act—Good Picture Features**

New, novel and different are three adjectives much abused in the world of amusement and it is seldom that a vaudeville attraction merits the honor of being called new, novel and different.

The Kaufmann Sisters who opened a three-days' engagement at the Lyric Theatre last night, are surely deserving of such a compliment, however, as their act is one of grace, refinement and clever dancing.

What really drew the attention of their performance is the lightning like rapidity in which their costumes and character changes are made. A rather new novelty is introduced in this connection when they discard the costume of the Holands and assume beautiful costumes of gowns selected from a large basket of robes that grace the center of the stage.

Every change of costume has a tendency to make the fair sex at least gasp for breath as they represent the very acme of the stage costumes art and are hand-made creations. For the merits of the act itself one can only say that it is excellent. The dancing is particularly pleasing and both ladies are gifted with personalities that catch across the footlights and makes the audience feel right at home in the enjoyment of the performance.

The feature place on the picture programme is given over to the Broncho Co. who present a real and a hand-made human nature ungarbed. A Spark from the Embers, and the comedy number a comic change of costume has a tendency to make the fair sex at least gasp for breath as they represent the very acme of the stage costumes art and are hand-made creations. For the merits of the act itself one can only say that it is excellent. The dancing is particularly pleasing and both ladies are gifted with personalities that catch across the footlights and makes the audience feel right at home in the enjoyment of the performance.

**UNIQUE BILL HAS 'EM ALL LAUGHING**

**Chaplin as a Piano Mover is Seen in One of His Best—Other Fine Features**

Always funny, never tiring seems to be the popular verdict of the different comedies seen at the Lyric Theatre every Monday and Tuesday.

Yesterday's subject, His Musical Career, is no exception to the above, if anything it claims more amusing features than most of the Chaplin comedies, and that's saying something.

The imitable Charlie portrays the character of an eccentric piano mover and no more funny a sight has been pictured in some time than the antics of the comedian in his attempts to juggle a piano through the streets and his climb up stairs with the piano on his back until he reaches the upper story of the sky scraper.

In presenting the Broncho Co. in the gripping drama of old Holland, The Mills of the Gods, H. E. Atkins offers a triumph in the art of picture-making. The Mills of the Gods vibrates with incidents of the most sensational nature is played and picturesque and novel surroundings by a cast especially selected for its presentation and the story itself is one of interest from start to finish. The Gaumont Graphic with its special war views rounds out an exceptionally fine programme. The wonderful dramatic masterpiece, Monsieur Nicola Dupree, is booked for Wednesday and Thursday.

**MR. HOLMAN'S LECTURE WAS OF GREAT INTEREST.**

Louis A. Holman, formerly of St. John, gave an intensely interesting lecture, illustrated with lantern slides, on Making Movies in the Far East, in St. David's church last evening. Among other matters he dealt with the progress of missions and showed by contrast some of the vast amount of good accomplished by the missionaries. The proceeds will be devoted to the Girls' Club of the Playgrounds Association. A. M. Beidinger occupied the chair.

When sweeping a room which has a heavy old-fashioned dresser in it, it is as to give them steady work, but that these come only in fits and starts. There is an apparent lack of national organization such as the new coalition government of Britain is successfully creating.

The situation is grave, partly because of conditions purely Canadian. The greatest feature of this grave situation is the oppressive silence and apparent inaction at Ottawa.

It may be that this silence and inaction is more apparent than real. It may be that the government is doing its best to make the most of the situation, which the war has created. It may be that the Borden cabinet is doing everything it can to expedite recruiting, the making of war supplies, the shipping of goods and foodstuffs to Great Britain, France and Russia—but if so the public does not know it.

Sir Robert Borden is silent. He has made no move to call the service of Canada's biggest industrial, commercial, and financial leaders as Mr. Asquith has done in Britain. Sir George Foster is silent also, and if he is taking active steps to promote Canada's trade and commerce, he is not talking about it.

Hon. Robert Rogers has had no message for the Canadian people, although he is reported to have personally investigated contract conditions in New York. Hon. Mr. White has made one speech on one important interview, but he has nothing constructive to offer. His address is incoherent and given out one important interview, but he has nothing constructive to offer.

Durham was largely a partisan utterance. Hon. Mr. Cochrane is busily engaged in trying to organize the National Transcontinental, and is the one minister who is dealing constructively and definitely with one of our acute commercial situations. Hon. Sam Hughes in the militia department has done better work in recent months, and while not in accord in certain respects, has accomplished a great deal. Hon. Mr. Kemp is attempting to bring order out of chaos in the purchasing department, but it is questionable whether he is radical enough to make the necessary improvement. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his lieutenants are apparently loitering in their arm-chairs and allowing national affairs to drift.

There appears to be the situation of discussion of public affairs of great moment, a lack of spectacular action, and a lack of impressive appeal to the people to help the government meet the national and imperial crisis.

Canada will have a great crop this year, and there will be a demand in England for our apples, wheat and flour. What is the government doing to provide the shipping necessary to transport this produce cheaply and quickly across the Atlantic? Will the apples rot under the trees and the wheat glut the elevators when September comes, because there is a lack of ships in the harbors of Montreal and Quebec and St. John and Halifax? Will the few ships available charge such high freight rates that the farmers will get a small net price for their apples and wheat and cheese? These are questions which the people would like answers.

Hon. Lloyd George has called in some of the best men of the empire to help organize the industries of Great Britain. France is doing the same. Why is there not a Minister of Munitions in Canada? Lord Curzon says Canadian deliveries of munitions are slow. Why? Is it because of a lack of transport motor cars and wagons for the second contingent which arrived in England weeks ago? Are the munitions stored on this side of the Atlantic? Manufacturers complain that they cannot get orders in such a way as to give them steady work, but that these come only in fits and starts. There is an apparent lack of national organization such as the new coalition government of Britain is successfully creating.

Stores Open 8.30 Close 6 O'clock; Fridays 10 p. m., Saturdays 1 p. m.

## Remarkable Sale of Whitewear

**A Prompt Disposal Offering of Manufacturers' Samples and Odd Garments at Downright Bargain Prices**

**Commencing Wednesday Morning**

This is another of those money-saving opportunities in White Underwear that almost every woman in the city knows about from past experience at these events. A great accumulation of oddments and manufacturers' samples to be cleared at surprising reductions. Some of the garments have become a trifle mussed, but the majority are in perfect condition.

Of course, lively crowds will come and you should be early in anticipation of the rush.

**NIGHT DRESSES**—High, round and square necks, button front and slip-over styles, short, three-quarter and long sleeves, lace embroidery and ribbon trimmed.  
Sale prices.....40c, 50c, 75c, 95c, \$1.25

**DRAWERS**—Tucks, lace, Hamburg and ribbon effects in wide variety.  
Sale prices 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 50c, 65c.

**CORSET COVERS**—Immense range of styles in the season's most popular effects,  
V and square necks, lace, Hamburg, allover and ribbon trimmed.  
Sale prices, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c.

**SKIRTS**—Variety of lace and embroidery trimmed flounces; also ribbon effects.  
Sale prices.....35c, 50c, 75c, 95c, \$1.25

**PRINCESS SLIPS AND COMBINATIONS**—Lace and embroidery trimmings and edgings, ribbons, dainty effects.  
Sale prices.....50c, 75c, \$1.10

**WHITE LAWN APRONS**—With and without bibs, plain and embroidery trimmed; also a few dainty Ties, Aprons, waists, ties.  
Sale prices, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c.

**Infants' and Children's Whitewear**  
**NIGHT DRESSES**—Sale prices 30c, 40c, 50c.  
**DRAWERS**—Sale prices 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c.  
**SKIRTS**—Sale prices.....35c, 45c.  
SALE WILL START PROMPTLY AT 8.30 IN WHITEWEAR DEPT.

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**

## Is The Ottawa Government Alive?

(Canadian Courier.)  
Everywhere people are discussing the grave position of affairs in this country. Great Britain, Canada and the United States are all in a state of grave concern.

The situation is grave, partly because of conditions purely Canadian. The greatest feature of this grave situation is the oppressive silence and apparent inaction at Ottawa.

It may be that this silence and inaction is more apparent than real. It may be that the government is doing its best to make the most of the situation, which the war has created. It may be that the Borden cabinet is doing everything it can to expedite recruiting, the making of war supplies, the shipping of goods and foodstuffs to Great Britain, France and Russia—but if so the public does not know it.

Sir Robert Borden is silent. He has made no move to call the service of Canada's biggest industrial, commercial, and financial leaders as Mr. Asquith has done in Britain. Sir George Foster is silent also, and if he is taking active steps to promote Canada's trade and commerce, he is not talking about it.

Hon. Robert Rogers has had no message for the Canadian people, although he is reported to have personally investigated contract conditions in New York. Hon. Mr. White has made one speech on one important interview, but he has nothing constructive to offer. His address is incoherent and given out one important interview, but he has nothing constructive to offer.

Durham was largely a partisan utterance. Hon. Mr. Cochrane is busily engaged in trying to organize the National Transcontinental, and is the one minister who is dealing constructively and definitely with one of our acute commercial situations. Hon. Sam Hughes in the militia department has done better work in recent months, and while not in accord in certain respects, has accomplished a great deal. Hon. Mr. Kemp is attempting to bring order out of chaos in the purchasing department, but it is questionable whether he is radical enough to make the necessary improvement. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his lieutenants are apparently loitering in their arm-chairs and allowing national affairs to drift.

There appears to be the situation of discussion of public affairs of great moment, a lack of spectacular action, and a lack of impressive appeal to the people to help the government meet the national and imperial crisis.

Canada will have a great crop this year, and there will be a demand in England for our apples, wheat and flour. What is the government doing to provide the shipping necessary to transport this produce cheaply and quickly across the Atlantic? Will the apples rot under the trees and the wheat glut the elevators when September comes, because there is a lack of ships in the harbors of Montreal and Quebec and St. John and Halifax? Will the few ships available charge such high freight rates that the farmers will get a small net price for their apples and wheat and cheese? These are questions which the people would like answers.

Hon. Lloyd George has called in some of the best men of the empire to help organize the industries of Great Britain. France is doing the same. Why is there not a Minister of Munitions in Canada? Lord Curzon says Canadian deliveries of munitions are slow. Why? Is it because of a lack of transport motor cars and wagons for the second contingent which arrived in England weeks ago? Are the munitions stored on this side of the Atlantic? Manufacturers complain that they cannot get orders in such a way as to give them steady work, but that these come only in fits and starts. There is an apparent lack of national organization such as the new coalition government of Britain is successfully creating.

The situation is grave, partly because of conditions purely Canadian. The greatest feature of this grave situation is the oppressive silence and apparent inaction at Ottawa.

It may be that this silence and inaction is more apparent than real. It may be that the government is doing its best to make the most of the situation, which the war has created. It may be that the Borden cabinet is doing everything it can to expedite recruiting, the making of war supplies, the shipping of goods and foodstuffs to Great Britain, France and Russia—but if so the public does not know it.

Sir Robert Borden is silent. He has made no move to call the service of Canada's biggest industrial, commercial, and financial leaders as Mr. Asquith has done in Britain. Sir George Foster is silent also, and if he is taking active steps to promote Canada's trade and commerce, he is not talking about it.

Hon. Robert Rogers has had no message for the Canadian people, although he is reported to have personally investigated contract conditions in New York. Hon. Mr. White has made one speech on one important interview, but he has nothing constructive to offer. His address is incoherent and given out one important interview, but he has nothing constructive to offer.

Durham was largely a partisan utterance. Hon. Mr. Cochrane is busily engaged in trying to organize the National Transcontinental, and is the one minister who is dealing constructively and definitely with one of our acute commercial situations. Hon. Sam Hughes in the militia department has done better work in recent months, and while not in accord in certain respects, has accomplished a great deal. Hon. Mr. Kemp is attempting to bring order out of chaos in the purchasing department, but it is questionable whether he is radical enough to make the necessary improvement. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his lieutenants are apparently loitering in their arm-chairs and allowing national affairs to drift.

There appears to be the situation of discussion of public affairs of great moment, a lack of spectacular action, and a lack of impressive appeal to the people to help the government meet the national and imperial crisis.

Canada will have a great crop this year, and there will be a demand in England for our apples, wheat and flour. What is the government doing to provide the shipping necessary to transport this produce cheaply and quickly across the Atlantic? Will the apples rot under the trees and the wheat glut the elevators when September comes, because there is a lack of ships in the harbors of Montreal and Quebec and St. John and Halifax? Will the few ships available charge such high freight rates that the farmers will get a small net price for their apples and wheat and cheese? These are questions which the people would like answers.

Hon. Lloyd George has called in some of the best men of the empire to help organize the industries of Great Britain. France is doing the same. Why is there not a Minister of Munitions in Canada? Lord Curzon says Canadian deliveries of munitions are slow. Why? Is it because of a lack of transport motor cars and wagons for the second contingent which arrived in England weeks ago? Are the munitions stored on this side of the Atlantic? Manufacturers complain that they cannot get orders in such a way as to give them steady work, but that these come only in fits and starts. There is an apparent lack of national organization such as the new coalition government of Britain is successfully creating.

## RECENT DEATHS

**Joseph W. Hetherington.**  
The death of Joseph W. Hetherington occurred at his residence, Washademoak on July 1, in the 82nd year of his age. He is survived by his widow, daughter of the late A. D. Starkey, seven children, twenty grandchildren and two sisters. The children are H. B. Hetherington of New York, L. R. Hetherington, Mrs. H. R. White, St. John, Mrs. W. E. Briggs, McDonald's Corner; Mrs. G. W. Mason, Halifax; Mrs. T. W. Fanjoy and J. B. Hetherington, Washademoak. The sisters are Mrs. Sarah T. Small, Highfield, and Mrs. Cornelia Chamberlain, of Colville, Ontario. He was a son of the late Richard Hetherington of High Hasket, England, who in 1818 came to St. John and established the first tailoring business in the town. His mother, Edith Hetherington (nee Thorne), was a descendant of Richard Thorne, founder of the Thorne estate at Little Neck, Long Island, U. S. A. Mr. Hetherington was an active member of the Baptist church, an aggressive temperance worker and a member of the I. O. E. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon.

**Charles W. Neve.**  
The death occurred yesterday after a lingering illness of Charles W. Neve, at his residence, Lancaster avenue, at the age of 88. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Ada Hornbrook, his father, E. J. Neve, Dufferin town, and three brothers, William E. Clarence W. and Dr. F. H. Neve, well-known West End residents with whom much sympathy will be expressed. The late Mr. Neve was a member of St. Jude's church and was a member of the carpenter's union.

**Hon. John E. Corbett,** a prominent business man and a member of the legislative council of Nova Scotia since 1885, died yesterday at the age of sixty-five at his home in Harbor-Au-Bouche, Antigonish.

**At Oromocto, West,** on Sunday night, Sydney Cogswell died, aged sixty-eight years. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Bertha Pearson, of Newburyport, Mass.

**Vegetables are always wholesome** dietary all the year round, but perhaps more especially during the spring, when the stomach and digestive organs are less strong than in more settled weather, and when the cleansing as well as nutritive properties of vegetables are peculiarly welcome.

Very often a difficulty is found in removing rust from knives, but here is a simple and effective method by which to overcome this. Thrust the blade into onions and leave for about an hour, then polish them with ordinary powder or bathbrush.

**Corns Applied in 5 Seconds Cured Quick**  
Rore, blistering foot from corn-pinchings, can be cured by Peppermint Extract in 5 hours. "Peppermint" soothes away that drawing pain, eases instantly, makes the foot good at once. Get a 25c bottle of "Peppermint" today.

**SUMMER GUESTS**  
Ferncliff House - Duck Cove St. John, N. B.  
Good table and service, sheltered sea-bathing beach; 15 minutes' walk from city. For terms, phone W. 219-12. J. A. Newlands, Duck Cove, St. John.