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She is not  
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That comes  
yours!  
Yet they are  
are only—  
Where is the  
house?  
She cannot  
sleeping,  
Doubtless a  
above!  
Why do they  
with we  
Where is the  
house?  
The picture  
covers,  
The dust is  
Upon the  
Within the  
gloom.  
Cold, dark,  
without  
Wanting  
The BO  
Where is the  
house?  
The curtain  
slight fin  
Behind the  
mouse,  
Her treasure  
still she  
Where is the  
house?  
Alas! they  
whisper,  
Threading,  
The young  
Can falter  
stays.  
Why care  
and since  
Have failed  
fair dear  
Why she has  
For there is  
dead."  
Throw with  
gloomy  
Where her  
falling at  
They bear  
immortal  
She comes  
Oh empty  
prison!  
Cold, white  
From such  
Christ as  
For such as  
But in the  
sorrow,  
In the shad  
breath,  
In the dark  
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**DEATH OF QUEEN VICTORIA**

The British nation is now in deep mourning for the death of a Queen most beloved. In our news columns will be found some of the particulars of her last days. The grandest reign of this or former centuries has closed and on all the continents and isles of the sea British hearts will express sorrow for the passing of such a noble life.

Her Majesty was born in 1819 and was called to the throne in 1837. She had thus passed her 81st year and had been over 63 years a Queen. No longer from royal throats will go forth the song "God Save the Queen." Her life was a most important one of the 19th century and she lived but to catch a glimpse of the 20th century.

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**KENTVILLE BOARD OF TRADE**  
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**TRANSPORTATION OF APPLE EXPORTS**

The truth of what I have just said is strikingly brought home to us at the present time in view of the restricted money circulation arising from the serious losses which our farmers have sustained in connection with their recent apple shipments. From the information before us I think there can be no reasonable doubt that the great bulk of the loss is immediately and directly attributable to the inefficient and unsuitable class of vessels engaged in the ocean transport business during this season. The firms owing or furnishing these vessels are in receipt of subsidies from the government, but the government, but the government apparently exercises no control to insure that the vessel shall be of a class character and equipment suitable for safely and expeditiously carrying our delicate and perishable products to market. The subsidies granted, in so far as the apple export business is concerned, have only had the effect hitherto of maintaining high freight charges, killing off competition, and providing, notably during the present season, slow and unsuitable vessels. Our board has more than once passed resolutions and made representations bearing on this subject but our efforts have been quite unavailing. In view of the serious character of the disaster which has overtaken and further menaces our most important industry, and to guard, if possible, against a recurrence of similar disasters, it seems to be desirable, and I accordingly recommend, that our Board should, at this time, pass a resolution to the same effect as that which has recently passed by the Municipal Council of the County and by the Kings County Board of Trade, asking the government to appoint a Commission to inquire into all the circumstances connected with the transportation and marketing of the apple crop of the Annapolis Valley. Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

with a view to the adoption of such measures as will remedy the grievances complained of and enable the producers and shippers to market this commodity in sound condition and on equal terms with their competitors.

**MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES**

The Nova Scotia Carriage Company in the organization of which our Board took an active interest, and whose large and handsome factory is a creditable addition to the institutions of the town, is now fairly under way and doing an extensive business.

It finds a ready market for all the vehicles it can manufacture, when working at its full capacity, and it may be of interest to mention that its monthly pay roll exceeds two thousand dollars. A fact which is of considerable important and advantage to the town.

You will recollect that at this time a year ago the Lloyd Manufacturing Company's works were burned to the ground. With characteristic promptitude and energy Mr. Lloyd set about re-erecting his establishment on enlarged and improved plans, with the result that within two months the work was in full operation again, with but comparatively little interruption to the business of this enterprising and successful company. The Cornwallis Valley Packing Company although but just entering upon business have had a busy year, and this enterprise will no doubt develop into a large and important undertaking. The Kerr Evaporating Company has also been doing a good business and our minor establishments have been well employed during the year. The progress and growth of the town, its central location commanding a wide extent of populous territory, and the success which has attended existing enterprises, should be inducements towards the establishment of new industries. To all such of a bona fide character, the Board is ready to offer all the information and assistance in its power.

**TOURIST BUSINESS.**

Nova Scotia continues to be, year by year, increasingly attractive to the tourist and the summer boarder, and last year probably saw a larger influx of this class than ever before. The manifold attractions of our town and the surrounding country, rich alike in natural and cultivated beauties and traditional and historic associations, together with the undoubted excellence of our hotel and boarding house accommodation and conveniences coupled with moderate charges, induce increasing numbers to visit us, each of who carries away we have reason to hope pleasant souvenirs and reminiscences. Alie to the fact that this class of business, transient though it be, is nevertheless of considerable benefit to the town, both directly and indirectly, the Board has had twenty thousand copies of a booklet descriptive of the town and neighborhood widely distributed by the kind assistance of the officials of the Dominion Atlantic Railway. The Board was also instrumental in having a beautifully illustrated article descriptive of the attractions and institutions of the town published in the Canadian Trade Review. These publications have no doubt helped in some degree to make the town better and more widely known.

**THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.**

The Board placed on record its appreciation of the public spirit and patriotism which animated our volunteers who, to defend British interests and to sustain and assert the rights and privileges of fellow subjects of the British Crown, went seven thousand miles from home and took a foremost part in the hardships, dangers and victories of an arduous and glorious campaign. The Board also took part in the public demonstrations with which our citizens welcomed home our gallant sons from the scenes and fields where they won so much honor and glory both for themselves and for their country. Their deeds and their glory,—as well as those of whose

safe return we rejoice as of those whose lamented death on the field of honor and duty we proudly mourn,—shall live forever in the history of Canada, and be an everlasting example and incentive to her people through the coming ages. The echo of Canadian cheers at Farrisberg and the thunder of Canadian guns at Mafeking, have vindicated Canada's claim to take her place at the right hand of the motherland as the crown princess of the "mighty mother of nations."

**CONCLUDING REMARKS.**

I have already occupied so much time that I cannot now refer to numerous other matters which have engaged the attention of the Board and the Executive Council during the past year. It must be remembered that it was not only at the quarterly meetings that the business of the Board was transacted, but that there have been many formal as well as informal meetings of the executive council, and of a standing committee, at which various matters connected with the trade and industries of the town, and with the well being and prosperity of the community, have been considered, discussed and dealt with. In view of the usefulness and importance of many of the questions under consideration, and of the large field over which its influence may be beneficially exerted, I venture to suggest that members should make it a point to attend the regular meetings and take part in the proceedings of the Board. It was said of old "in the multitude of councillors there is wisdom" and a thoroughly representative attendance at our meetings, will not merely bring about a fair average consensus of opinion on any subject, but will materially strengthen the hands and assist and stimulate the efforts of the executive.

As already said, I have endeavored to the best of my ability, faithfully to perform the duties of the office to which you did me the honor to elect me, and I now desire publicly to acknowledge my obligations to the executive council, to our ever active and energetic secretary and ex-president DeWolfe, for the valuable assistance which they have at all times invariably accorded me. All of which is respectfully submitted.

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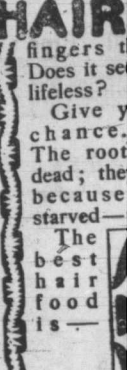
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