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W. M. BLACK, Town Clerk.

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1.30 to 5.00 p. m.

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
St. JOHN'S PARISH CHURCH, OF HORTON.—Services: Holy Communion every Sunday, 8 a. m.; first and third Sundays at 11 a. m. Matins every Sunday 11 a. m. Evensong 7.00 p. m. Wednesday Evensong, 7.30 p. m. Special services in Advent, Lent, etc., by notice in church. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Superintendent and teacher of Bible Class, the Pastor. All seats free. Strangers heartily welcome.

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A. K. BARR, Secretary.

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ORPHEUS LODGE, No. 92, meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in their hall at Harris' Block. Visiting brethren always welcome.

H. M. WATSON, Secretary.

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POSTERS.

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WENTZELL'S LIMITED
Halifax, N. S.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

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Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that injure and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
In Use For Over 30 Years
THE CENTRAL COMPANY, 27 BURNAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

COAL!

During a summer sojourn in the mountains, a physician who is much interested in epilepsy in its different forms, heard of a woman with that disease who had lived to the age of seventy-nine years. Curious to know the details of so unusual a case, he interviewed the widower. Having inquired concerning different symptoms,

he proceeded: "Did she grind her teeth much at night?" The old man considered for a moment, and then replied: "Well, I dunno as she wore 'em at night."

A soft sleep is apt to be found to be having a great many people sticking to it.

Just Like Sunshine.

A laugh is just like sunshine. It refreshes all the day. It fits the peak of life with light. And drives the clouds away. The soul grows glad that bears it. And feels its courage strong—For cheering folks along. A laugh is just like music. It lingers in the heart. And when the melody is heard The life of life depart. And happy thoughts some crowding Its joyful notes to greet—A laugh is just like music. For making living sweet.

Assistance Rendered by the Dominion Department of Agriculture

TO ASSOCIATIONS IN THE PURCHASE OF HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP OR SWINE FOR BREEDING PURPOSES.

Owing to the heavy drain upon the live stock of the various warring countries of Europe, they have been forced to go abroad for supplies. The longer the war lasts the greater will be this demand. Moreover, when peace is restored, these countries will require large numbers of the various classes of animals to replenish their studs, herds and flocks. It should be borne in mind, however, that the buyers, who come to this country after the war, will require better animals than have been bought during war time, as they will be used largely for breeding purposes.

With this end in view the best of the females, and particularly the young stock, should be kept for breeding purposes. Breeders should not fail to raise all the live stock possible at this time, in order that the country may be able to supply a large number of the animals that are certain to be needed by the warring countries. At present, however, there is an unequal distribution of live stock in the country. In certain sections there is a heavy surplus, with a corresponding scarcity in other parts. During the past year hundreds of young cattle from one Prairie Province have gone to the United States as stockers and feeders. These should have been kept at home. The West are reported as being in need of good draft horses, particularly draft mares; while in sections of Ontario there is an over supply of this particular class.

In order to remedy these conditions the Minister of Agriculture, through the Live Stock Branch, has decided to grant liberal aid to breeders who wish to secure good breeding stock. The conditions under which aid will be given are as follows:

In the event of a number of farmers in any district of Canada wishing to co-operate for the purchase of breeding stock in carload lots from some distant section of the country, the Department will pay the travelling expenses of their duly appointed representative during the time required to effect the purchase and transport the shipment to its destination.

Should it be desired, the Live Stock Commissioner will nominate a suitable person who will be directed to accompany this representative and assist him as far as possible in buying and shipping the animals.

Persons wishing to take advantage of this offer should make full arrangements with the Live Stock Commissioner as to the place and time of purchase before sending out their representative.

Boom Predicted is Lumber Trade.

A great boom in the Canadian lumber business may be anticipated during the present year, declares an exchange. If shipping facilities can be furnished, the year 1916 is likely to witness a tremendous revival of the lumber business from ocean to ocean and the largest exports of sawn timber from Canada that the country has ever known.

In the era of economists, philosophers and prophets, during the early weeks of the war, much was heard of "the waste and destruction of wealth, accompanying warlike operations. We now know from experience that the loss of wealth which a great war entails is not so much from destruction as from lack of production. In at least one commodity, however, lumber—the European world is certain to come out of the great conflict much poorer than when it entered upon it. Lumber is being rushed by all the belligerents to every battlefield at an enormous rate, both for the building of huts for the troops and for the other countless demands of military operations. The forests of Norway, Sweden, and the other neutral countries, as well as those within the confines of all the belligerent nations, are being rapidly denuded of their forest wealth to meet the requirements of the world's greatest war.

The European supply is already running low, and the British Government is taking steps to obtain inventories of the timber resources of the Empire; for if the war lasts any length of time, the lumber question promises

to become as vital as the munitions problem has been during the last six or eight months. It is said that British experts will shortly be commissioned to visit Canada to take a census of the cut and the uncut timber in the Dominion. It is known that the Dominion Government anticipated the present situation almost a year ago, and that the Dominion Forestry Department has for months been directing an investigation into the timber resources of the different provinces, and that reports are now in process of preparation, containing a very complete record of the timber wealth of the Dominion, its distribution, character and extent.

The European demand for lumber is already making itself felt in British Columbia, and winter cutting is now in progress in many parts of the province where there has been no lumbering done for several years. British Columbia papers hail the movement as implying a great improvement of economic conditions on the coast such as the bumper harvest of 1915 created in the prairie provinces. It is highly probable that Canadian exports of the forest in 1916 will surpass in volume those of 1915 by an even larger proportionate margin than the products of the soil. It may also be regarded as certain that abnormally high prices will rule in the world's lumber markets, both during the remainder of the war, and for a considerable period after peace has been restored.

Health Wrecked Through La Grippe.

IT GENERALLY LEAVES THE PATIENT DEBILITATED AND AN EASY VICTIM TO OTHER DISEASES.

One of the foremost medical writers says: "It is astonishing the number of people who have been crippled in health for years after an attack of la grippe or influenza." The real danger from this disease, which sweeps over Canada every winter, is during convalescence, when the characteristic symptoms, the fever, the catarrh, the headache and the depression of spirits pass away. Grip leaves behind it weakened vital powers, this blood, impaired digestion and over-sensitive nerves—a condition that makes the patient easy prey to pneumonia, bronchitis, rheumatism, nervous prostration and even consumption. It is a condition that calls most emphatically for a tonic for the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a tonic especially adapted to meet this need; they purify and enrich the blood. They tone up the nerves and give vigor, strength and health to the debilitated system. Mrs. Howard D. Chafler, Indian Island, N. B., says: "For several winters in succession I was attacked by a grippé which left me weak and badly run down. In each case I used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with the most beneficial results. Last winter when the trouble was again prevalent I took the precaution of fortifying my system with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and escaped the trouble, while many of my neighbors were down with it. In fact I enjoyed the best of health all spring and feel sure this medicine will so fortify the system as to prevent the trouble."

Indians Great Jokers.

The Crow Indians are divided into thirteen clans; in former times the number was probably greater. These groups are called by nicknames of designation such as Whistling Waters. They bring game without having killed it. Kicked in their stomach, and so forth. Every individual belongs to his mother's clan and it is considered highly improper to marry a person of one's own clan, since all the marriageable women of that group are reckoned as belonging to the status of either a mother or a sister.

Those individuals whose fathers belong to the same clan stand to each other in a very special relation, which for want of a better name may be called the "joking relationship." They are privileged to play pranks and practical jokes on each other without giving offence. More particularly it is the fun of one of them to administer a stinging rebuke when the other has transgressed some rule or tribal morality or etiquette.

In such a case the "joker" will hide his face until some public occasion arises. Then he will boldly come forward and twist the culprit with his misdeeds in the face of the assembled throng and to his utter discomfiture. Against this punishment there is no redress, for nothing said by a joking relative can be resented. The one thing a man can do is to wait for an offence on the part of his denouncer and then treat him to a dose of his own medicine.

Another social custom of the Crow, which is often encountered among Indian tribes, and also among the natives of Australia and Africa, is the mother-in-law taboo. A man and his wife's mother never talk with each other, not from any motive of hostility, but rather as a token of mutual respect.

The Governor of Maine was at the school, and was telling the pupils what the people of different States were called.

"Now," he said, "the people from Indiana are called 'Hoosiers'; the people from South Carolina 'Tar Heels'; the people from Michigan we know as 'Michigans'; Now what little boy or girl can tell me what the people of Maine are called?"

"I know," said a little girl.

"Well, what are we called?" asked the Governor.

"Mainers."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Pay Up.

One of the great difficulties in life by which the average man is confronted is that of "paying up." It may be extremely simple to contract a debt; but not always so easy to discharge the same. Nevertheless, the debt we contract in life must be paid—by someone.

The pity is that we so often postpone—what we term the evil day—"pay-up day." We should endeavour to avoid this mistake; for in most cases, the older the debt the harder to pay.

Then again, the business transactions of the world are so intricately interwoven that one delinquent payer, sometimes, makes several debtors. The consumer neglects to pay the retailer for his provisions, thereby causing the retailer to postpone payment to the wholesale dealer, who defers payment to the producer. Many are put to confusion by the sin of few.

We have just crossed the threshold of 1916. Many of us, no doubt, as in former years—have made good resolutions. Among the suggestions, for this new year (which is Leap Year—giving to February one day more), is that this extra day, Feb. 29th, be celebrated as "Prosperity Day." This is a fine idea. It is proposed by keen business men that on this day everybody in Canada be made to feel the real prosperity of our vast country;—a land flowing with milk and honey.

Would it not be well to make it "Pay-up Day," too? if we are prosperous why not pay our debts?—Imagine the booming laud of the storekeeper when on Prosperity Day, twenty or thirty delinquent payers arrive at his establishment and plank down their good money on his counter. Depend upon it the next purchase made at that establishment will be a real bargain.

Perhaps, we might be pardoned for introducing a personal element into this moralizing. There are many people who fail to realize that new paper publishers require money to carry on their business (even though it be feeding the mind and not the body). Sometimes, a polite request for payment of a subscription brings only a rebuff. No doubt, the subscriber intends to pay up some day, but he fails to apprehend the scene of a disconsolate editor waiting for the smallittance with which to pay for paper and ink.

We are living in a fine country—truly, a land flowing with milk and honey. The observance of Prosperity Day is very appropriate; but, let us not forget also to make it—"Pay-up Day."

The Prestige of the United States.

Neutrality means something more than keeping out of the war. It carries rights with it—rights not dependent upon the grace or convenience of the belligerent States, but upon treaties and conventions and well established doctrines of international law. If a non-belligerent power finds its rights as a neutral challenged or encroached upon it must either assert them with spirit or succumb to overbearing with the will of its armed neighbors. A power that cannot keep out of the war without foregoing its rights or without sacrifice of prestige occupies a position of lesser dignity than that of neutrality. The United States Government must rouse itself if it is not to be backed into a position of that kind.

No Medicine to Equal Baby's Own Tablets.

Mrs. E. Cutler, St. Lazare, Mass., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the past ten years for my five children and can truthfully say there is no medicine to equal them." The Tablets regulate the bowels and stomach, cure constipation and indigestion, expel worms and make teething easy. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

It all averages up pretty well. The one who joy rides the most goes pinched the oftenest.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

At the Top
The
PURITY FLOUR
standard of quality is so high
that you get
More Bread and Better Bread
—Better Pastry Too.
Buy it and see for yourself.

Municipal Council.

The Municipal Council of Kings County met in annual session in the Court House at Kentville on Tuesday, January 11, 1916.

The Minutes of April Term and of Special Term, held Nov. 17, 1915, were read and approved.

The Special Committee, appointed at April Term to consider the matter of damages for new road along waterfront in Canning, report recommending payment of damages as awarded by the original Board of Appraisers. The report was adopted.

Report of C. A. Patriquin, Inspector under N. S. Temperance Act was read. It showed expenses (including salary, \$500) of \$1432.36 and receipts from fines of \$513, leaving deficit, \$1119.36.

Coun. Campbell thought this a bill which should not be considered along financial lines. Mr. Patriquin had done excellent work; had closed up the worst run down in the County. He had secured conviction in every case he had undertaken. He moved the adoption of the Report.

Coun. Wood stated that a man of property against whom convictions amounting to \$400 had been obtained had elected to go to jail rather than to pay his fines. On motion of Coun. Meek, the Council on the Amended motion was asked to consider the advisability of so amending the Act as to deprive persons possessed of property, who were guilty of offences against the Act, of the privilege of going to jail in lieu of paying fines. This Committee later reported verbally that they thought best to take no action in the direction suggested. Mr. Wickwicke stated that in his opinion the law already contained provisions for the collection of fines by distress of property.

In reference to the bill of Messrs. Roscoe & Koslow, Mr. Patriquin drew attention to the fact that a great part of that bill was for the preparation of papers necessary under the New Act. The costs and expenses of Solicitor's attendance at court had averaged seven dollars for each conviction.

The Overseers of Poor for Cornwallis rendered report and asked for an assessment of \$2000, which was granted.

Coun. Bill moved, seconded by Coun. Nichols, that the Overseers of Poor for Cornwallis be asked to submit a fully itemized statement of receipts and expenditures and that such statement be published in the Register. After some discussion the motion was lost.

At the afternoon session the report of Commissioner appointed to lay out road from Welsford Street past Grafton Railway Station to Pleasant Valley road was read. Damages John A. Kinsman for apple trees destroyed, \$35. On motion the Report was adopted, proceeding confirmed and road established.

On motion of Coun. Wood, the Report was adopted and ordered that claims be paid.

Coun. Wood spoke in regard to grades and culverts at crossings along North Mountain Railway. The grades were often too steep and the culverts were so constructed as to cause the gullying of the highway. On his motion, the Clerk was instructed to ask the attention of the manager of the Railway to this matter.

On motion of Coun. Kinsman, it was resolved that Messrs. W. E. Newcombe and Wylie West be allowed to

erect poles along the highway in Medford for telephone purposes, the right of taxation of the privilege of franchise thus granted being reserved to the Municipality.

Coun. Wood moved that copies of the bounds of school sections in the county be printed and supplied to Assessors. The motion was carried.

On motion of Coun. Nichols, delegates from Kings County Temperance Alliance were heard.

Mr. E. B. Newcombe, President of the Alliance, briefly stated their desire that an Inspector be appointed for the western section of the county, and that Mr. Selden V. Sanford be such Inspector.

Coun. Campbell moved, seconded by Coun. Bill, that the Council accede to the request of the Alliance on condition that the amount of salary paid during the past year be not increased. On motion of Coun. Meek the further consideration of the matter was deferred.

BAD RATES STRUCK OFF
Ward County Poor Dogs War Tax Ry.
1 \$53.70 \$16.30
2 13.11 7.78 \$11.00
3 1.38 2.00
4 10.39 7.59 26.00 \$1.33
5 10.92 8.58 26.00 60.36
6 36.20 12.43 28.00 4.45 \$2.01

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Yours truly,
Dartmouth, J. G. LINDLE.

Enclosed, Lost.
County, Ward and Township officers were appointed for the ensuing year, Assessors being as follows:
Ward
1 J. E. Kennedy, F. A. McBride,
Lester Baxter
2 Leander Woodworth, Aubrey Borden,
3 Byron Newcomb, Sherman Belcher,
4 Kempton W. Congdon, Harry Clarke,
5 T. R. Lyons, E. C. Bishop,
6 W. E. Jordan, Eugene Xoy (for Cornwallis), Avery Ward,
7 Jas. Gettridge, Fred Ellis,
8 F. A. Bowser, Geo. Bishop,
9 F. G. Curv, Walter Hutchisson,
10 Stanley Banks, Spurgeon Bowline,
11 Elton H. Saunders, Charles Gaul,
12 Frank W. Foster, Wm. C. West
13 R. Harlow, Geo. E. Robinson,
14 J. Forman White, Fred Saunders.

When Blood is Poison.
The blood must be filtered, otherwise you are poisoned. If the kidneys fail the liver is over-worked, and becomes torpid. By using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills you get both these filtering organs working right, and also ensure healthful action of the bowels. For this reason these pills are an ideal family medicine. They cure biliousness, constipation, chronic indigestion and kidney disease.

AN IDEAL TONIC

When your head is dull and heavy, your tongue furred, and you feel done-up and good for nothing, without knowing what is really the matter with you, probably all that is needed to restore you to health and vigour is a few doses of a reliable digestive tonic and stomachic remedy such as Mother Seigel's Syrup. Take it after each meal for a few days and note how beneficial is its action upon the stomach, liver and bowels—how it restores tone and healthy activity to these important organs, and by so doing enables you to gain new stores of vigour, vitality and health.

MOTHER
SEIGEL'S SYRUP
The new 1.00 size contains three times as much as the trial size sold at 50c per bottle.