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## In the Municipal Council

SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION, 1909

(Continued from last issue.)  
Wednesday Morning.  
Council met at nine o'clock.  
All councillors present.  
Minutes read and approved.  
On motion the report of the Board of Revision and Appeal was adopted. Following is the report:

### REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVISION AND APPEAL.

In obedience to Chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1900, section 37, we, your Board of Revision and Appeal, met in the office of O. S. Miller, Clerk of this Municipality, for the hearing and determining of appeals.

We found that the Clerk had posted the following list:

Appellant Murray Elliott respecting Maud Elliott, over-assessed.  
Appellant Joseph I. Foster respecting N. E. Chute, not bona fide owner or occupant.  
Appellant Joseph I. Foster respecting Fred Stone, should be assessed to Oscar and Fred Stone as joint owners.  
Appellant Joseph I. Foster respecting Isaac Durling, not bona fide owner or occupant.  
Appellant Albert Morse respecting self, not bona fide owner or occupant.

We proceeded at once to take up the adjudication of these appeals in their regular order, and after hearing statements and evidence concerning each case we made the following adjudication:

Appellant Murray Elliott respecting Maud Elliott, over-assessed. Appeal granted. Property relieved of its assessment to the amount of \$500.00.

Appellant Joseph I. Foster respecting N. E. Chute, not bona fide owner or occupant. Property relieved to the amount of \$350.00.

Appellant Joseph I. Foster respecting Fred Stone, should be assessed to Oscar and Fred Stone as joint owners. Appeal allowed and property allowed to be assessed in the names of Oscar and Fred Stone.

Appellant Joseph I. Foster respecting Isaac Durling, not bona fide owner or occupant. Appeal allowed and Isaac Durling relieved of his assessment.

Appellant Albert Morse respecting self, not bona fide owner or occupant. Appeal allowed and property ordered to be assessed in the name of Alfred Phalen, the owner thereof.

We also relieved Israel Hall, of Port Lorne, of \$50.00 on his assessment, and the firm of Cropley & Anthony, of the same place, of \$50.00 on their assessment, and ordered the following names to be added to the assessment roll for Ward 12 in accordance with a letter of request from W. H. Oakes:

Kendall, Leander, Nictaux Falls, \$300 real estate at Nictaux Falls.  
Grant, John, Nictaux West, \$300 real estate at Nictaux West.

Canadian Saving Loan Society, non-resident, \$300 real estate at Nictaux.

Our panel being exhausted we adjourned our court sine die.  
Respectfully submitted, this 26th day of January, A. D. 1909.

ROBERT LONGLEY,  
TIMOTHY PHINNEY,  
JAMES MORRISON.

### Members of your Board of Revision and Appeal.

Upon reading the petition of W. B. Durling and upwards of twenty others, freeholders of the County of Annapolis, asking that a Committee be appointed to enquire into the necessity of a change in the west end of the Neaves Road, so called, by changing the said road so as to follow around the foot of the hill on the west end of said road.

On motion the prayer of said petition was granted and the following committee appointed: James McGowan, Gray Gillis, and John Todd.

Ordered: That J. H. Payne, of Granville, be paid the sum of twenty-five dollars to expend in the fixing up of a crossing on the Middleton & Victoria Beach Railway on a road leading to said Payne's house, across said railway.

The Warden reported verbally upon the Road Act, suggesting a number of changes which he had urged upon the government.

Ordered: That Norman Buckler and J. B. Gillis be assessors for Ward 15.

Ordered: That William H. Oakes and Miner C. Daniels be assessors for Ward 12.

The report of the Committee on Assessment was read and on motion received and adopted. Following is the report:

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENT.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Annapolis Co.

Your Committee on Assessment beg to report as follows:

Having carefully looked into the claims before us, we would recommend that the following persons be relieved of the sums set opposite their names:

Judson Balcom, Collector of Ward No. 1,	\$ 6.50
Judson Balcom, Collector of Ward No. 2,	11.66
Judson Balcom, Collector of Ward No. 3,	10.01
Elias Messenger, Collector of Ward No. 4,	7.56
Judson Balcom, Collector of Ward No. 12,	7.74
	\$43.47

JOHN H. CHARLTON,  
A. D. THOMAS,  
J. C. GRIMM,  
Committee.

Bridgetown, April 21, 1909.

Ordered: That Chipman Morse be District Clerk in the place of T. R. Charlton, ward 12, District 12.

Ordered: That Christopher Borden be District Clerk, Ward 11.

Ordered: That Wallace Crawford be road surveyor, Ward 12, Section 6, in place of Willard Morse.

Ordered: That George Heatley be road surveyor, Section No. 24, Ward No. 12, in place of H. H. Saunders.  
Ordered: That John H. Robinson be road surveyor in Section 25, Ward 12, in place of Whitfield Allen.  
Ordered: That Amon Rumsey and Albert Marshall be assessors, Ward 3.

Ordered: That J. P. Morse and Beriah Baker be assessors Ward 1.  
Ordered: That George Heatley be pound keeper, Ward 12.

Ordered: That John Nozler be lumber and log surveyor in Ward 12.

Ordered: that the Finance Committee's report as read be received and adopted. Following is the report:—

### REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Annapolis Co.

Your Finance Committee beg to report that they have carefully examined a number of bills and recommend the following to be paid:—  
W. R. Calder, repairs to road machine and storing same, \$3.50  
W. C. Healy, services in connection with Shipton Road, 3.00  
Making arrangements for pauper 2.00  
E. F. McNeil Hall, for Revisors Court, 2 years, 4.00  
E. Barteaux's bill, Randall's Brook road, 3.00  
W. D. Long's bill, road, Deep Brook, 6.00  
C. V. Henshaw, storing road machine, 1.00  
Israel F. Brown, services Trout Lake Road, 2.00  
Heber Boland, services Trout Lake Road, 2.00  
B. C. Clarke, rent Hall, Revisors 1.00

W. G. Clarke's bill, delegation to Halifax re Road Act, 27.50  
Postages, 2.50  
Membership Fee, Union of Municipalities, 10.00  
Winslow Jefferson, by-election expenses, Ward 11, 15.00  
Frederic L. Jones, laying out road No. 8, 2.00  
Stillman Purdy, Board of Health 1.50  
E. Barteaux, laying out road near Clementsport, 9.50  
O. S. Miller, 15.38  
J. B. Whitman, road, Trout Lake, 5.00  
James F. Morrison, Junior, Revising Assessor, 10.00  
R. V. Dittmars, road, Deep Brook 4.00  
Samuel Legge, rent Revisors' Hall, 2.00  
Services as Stipendiary, 2.25  
Isaac C. Whitman's bill, road, Round Hill, 3.00  
Rufus G. Whitman's bill, road, Round Hill, 3.00  
John McLeod's bill, road, Round Hill, 3.00  
J. Howe Ray, road, Ward 5, 3.00  
Byron Phinney, road, Ward 5, 3.00  
Andrew Walker, road, Ward 5, 3.00  
Dr. L. J. Lovett, Sanitary Work, 5.00  
J. B. Whitman, services on roads 16.75  
J. W. Jefferson, services on fences 1.50  
J. R. Hart, 1909, 105.00  
Frank B. Troop's bill, 3.00  
Wallace Berry, road, in Ward 5, 2.00  
\$284.88

Respectfully submitted,  
E. H. PORTER,  
WM. C. HEALY,  
T. G. BISHOP,  
Committee.

Bridgetown, April 20th, 1909.

Ordered: That J. Howe Ray be assessor in place of Archibald F. Troop in Ward 5.

Ordered: That Daily Saulnier be road surveyor in place of John Taylor, Ward 4, Section 11.

Upon reading the petition of N. H. Parsons and upwards of thirty others, freeholders of the County of Annapolis, praying that the lane leading from Main Street, Middleton, to the Middleton Driving Park be widened and become a public street, the report of the Committee, Frank R. Elliott, James Balsor, and Isaac Young, appointed to inquire into the necessity of widening said street and it appearing that said report was not complete.

It was ordered that the same be referred back to said Committee for completion.

Upon reading the petition of Chas. F. Fisher and upwards of twenty others, ratepayers of the County of Annapolis, resident in and about Middleton, asking for the widening of a street (Gates Avenue, so called) running due north from Main street (continued on page 4.)

### Sweeping Changes in British Tariff.

London, April 29.—Accumulated wealth and "the trade" which the liquor business is popularly called, is the Liberal Government's Budget which David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, presented to the House of Commons last night. The budget, which totals £117,000,000, shows a deficit of £73,810,000 for the fiscal year incurred by the old pensions and the race with Germany for Dreadnoughts.

"Socialism and socialism" the wealthy classes are already crying, and a few are clutching at the hope that the House of Lords, which represents these classes, may throw out the Budget entirely, but this is improbable. Increased income taxes, death estate and legacy duties, a tax of 20 per cent. on future increases in the value of lands due to the enterprise of the community, taxes on motors, to be devoted to keeping up the roads, and stamp taxes on sales of property are the principal levies upon wealth.

The Government gets its revenge for the rejection recently by the House of Lords of its Licensing Bill, by increasing the taxes on some classes of public houses, and the Customs excise duties on spirits. A tax of three per cent. in the pound on sales of liquors is also imposed, and this is likely to antagonize both the liquor interests and the working men.

On the other hand, the latter are placated by provisions made for labor exchanges for the unemployed, expenditures for afforestation and the promise of an industrial insurance scheme, as well as the satisfaction of knowing that the rich are to carry the greater share of the load.

The new taxation bears heavily on corporations. The only features affecting the United States are the increase in the tobacco tax, a tax of three pence per gallon on petrol, and heavier stamp duties on stock transactions.

The first comments of the members of both parties indicated astonishment at the number and the sweeping nature of the changes in the country's financial system.

### Deadly Cyclones Sweep the South

Atlanta, Ga., April 30.—An epidemic of cyclones and tornadoes, the like of which have not been known for years, swept through the south last night and today, leaving in their wake a hundred of dead and mangled bodies, and the dismantled wrecks of property worth many millions.

An exact list of the dead and an accurate estimate of the monetary loss may not be completed for days, but from all along the path of the storm come tales of fearful loss of life and descriptions of whole towns and villages completely wiped out. The storm wave seems to have had its origin in the north, and swept from the lake region south in irregular fashion, now moderating its force as it spent, now growing more turbulent.

The State of Tennessee was especially heavily suffered. At ten o'clock to-night careful estimates indicate that at least 50 people were killed in the volunteer state alone, while the loss in dollars and cents will not fall short of a million. The hurricane followed the Cumberland Valley, wrecking small towns and destroying farm houses.

### Horse Show

(Kentville Advertiser.)

The heavy fall of snow on Sunday night had pretty well disappeared on Wednesday, but the roads were somewhat muddy. A great crowd of people gathered in Kentville Wednesday morning to witness the show of horse flesh and we believe none were disappointed. At eleven o'clock the street parade started. It consisted of several mounted horsemen and horsewomen, then came the Kentville Band, and following along in an imposing parade was a great number of stallions, carriage, roadster and draft horses in single and double

teams. The parade marched all around the principal thoroughfares of the town.

In the afternoon a large ring was staked off at the foot of Chapel Hill and there the horses were exhibited for the awarding of prizes. The Judges were Messrs. R. S. Starr, Port Williams; Dr. Saunders, Middleton; and F. E. Palmer, Kingston.

The following prizes were awarded: Class 1—1st, Sableton, Owen Wheelock; 2nd, Regal Pander, T. B. Messenger; 3rd, Long John, George Blanchard.

In this class Mr. Allen Brown, of Waterville, exhibited a fine black stallion, which was standard bred, but had not been registered in American Trotting Association and was not allowed to compete.

Class 2, roadster, 11 entries.—1st, J. R. Blanchard, Upper Dyke; 2nd, L. E. Baxter, Canning; 3rd, Walter Moore.

Class 3, Single Carriage, 13 entries.—1st, W. M. Carruthers, Kentville; 2nd, John Harrington, Junior, Kentville; 3rd, Edward K. Clarke, Woodville.

### District Division

Although the roads were very bad a large number of representatives of the Sons of Temperance met with Glencoe Division, Central Clarence, on Thursday, April 29th. Members were present from Torbrook to Clementsport. Encouraging reports were received from nearly all the Divisions and efforts will be made to assist dormant or inactive ones. A resolution was adopted endorsing the action of the Temperance Alliance in its efforts to secure prohibition for the Province and further Federal Legislation preventing the manufacturing and importation of liquor. A series of fraternal exchanges was proposed.

It was proposed to have the next meeting at Hampton, together with a grand temperance picnic.

A very interesting public meeting was held in the evening. D. W. P. W. E. Bent presiding. An address of welcome was given by T. E. Smith, to which L. W. Elliott responded.

Following is the program:—  
Prayer—A. Wilson.  
Recitation—Mrs. R. Williams.  
Address—E. J. Elliott.  
Music—Mr. Parks and Miss Parks.  
Recitation—F. F. Johnson.  
Address—Captain Rawling.  
Address—E. H. Armstrong.  
Recitation—Gladys Bezanon.  
Speech—E. W. Rice.  
Recitation—Myrtle Foster.  
Speech—Brother Johnson, Sr.  
Recitation—Miss McLaughlin.  
Recitation—F. E. Smith.  
Speech—H. G. Parker.

L. W. ELLIOTT,  
Scribe.

### The Maritime Bible and Literary College

A new undenominational Bible and literary college is about to make its bow to friends of education in the maritime provinces. The citizens of West Gore, Hants County, who, in years past, have paid many thousands of dollars to educate their boys and girls away from home, have decided to invest some of their cash in a fine college building at home, which will be opened October 25th, 1909. This we believe will be the only college of its kind in the maritime provinces where the Bible will be taught simply as a text-book to boys and girls of all denominations. Besides the regular college course arrangements have been made for teaching the work of grades B. and A. O. H. Tallman, B. A., a graduate of the Potter Bible College, Bowling Green, Ky., will be in charge and will be assisted by other competent teachers. O. E. Tallman, B. A., who is now professor of science in the Western Literary and Bible College, Odessa, Mo., will also have a chair in the West Gore College this coming year.

There are over 220 cups of "Salada" Tea to the pound; consequently, at 40 cents per pound, the consumer receives tea at the low cost of one-fifth of a cent a cup. There are few other beverages so economical and so healthful as "Salada" Tea.

### MORE ABOUT ELECTRIC LIGHTING

#### Bridgetown Electric Light, Heat and Power Company Willing to Sell Out to the Town

I deem it incumbent upon me, as chairman of the Electric Light Company of the town council to place before the citizens of the town in this issue of your valuable paper an impartial statement and a full report of the negotiations between the Committee I represent and the Electric Light, Heat and Power Co., Ltd., relative to the contract for lighting the streets and buildings of the town and the present position of the parties. I do this now because some of the citizens may not fully understand why the street lights are not on and why a large number of residential and commercial lights will be turned off on the 8th instant unless the Company adopt the reduced schedule submitted.

As your readers will remember, the report of our Committee was published in this paper at the time, which report showed that in July, 1908, the council, at the request of a number of citizens, had submitted to Mr. Beckwith a notice for six additional street lights to be located in different parts of the town as indicated in said notice, and also stating to him that the council would pay for the whole system of street lighting, including the six additional lights asked for, at the same rate that they were then paying, viz: \$740, and at the same time the council submitted to Mr. Beckwith a new schedule for residential and commercial lights, which they asked him to adopt. No reply was received to this communication for some time and then Mr. Beckwith replied that he would not adopt the proposed terms. The Clerk was then instructed by the council to notify Mr. Beckwith that unless he gave us the additional street lights asked for by September 30th at the rate submitted he was to turn off all street lights. Mr. Beckwith did not turn off the street lights on September 30th nor did he give us the additional lights asked for notwithstanding our explicit notice but continued to light the streets, thinking, as he has said, that he could hold the town for another five years under the old contract made in 1901, although he had lost the original contract and could not have then known that it was for five years only and expired in 1906. A copy of the original contract has been found by the Clerk and is on file in his office and speaks for itself.

Notwithstanding the notice to shut off the street lights above referred to when Mr. Beckwith rendered his bill in January last for the quarter's lighting to the old council, they agreed to pay the same less the additional lights asked for but not installed, because they said they had the use of his lights and were willing to pay for them at the rate submitted. Mr. Beckwith refused to take the cheque although notified by the Clerk that he held it for him.

On the 10th day of April, at a meeting of the town council, it was resolved that as the citizens had endorsed the action taken by the council in ordering the street lights turned off last September, and as Mr. Beckwith had refused to accept the money under the January resolution, that the council rescind the January resolution and repudiate all liability for lights since September 30th, 1908. A copy of this resolution was served on Mr. Beckwith on Tuesday, the 13th of April, and that night all street lights were turned off and have since been off. At the same time Mr. Beckwith turned off the lights in the fire engine house and council room, although he had no notice to do so and had no authority for doing so. If a fire had occurred in the town about that time serious consequences might have been the result to the town. The Clerk at once notified Mr. Beckwith that unless the lights were turned on forthwith an action for damages would be brought against him and we already hold him liable for damages for the time they were off.

Hearing that there was some misunderstanding among those who had

convened in March. As your readers will remember as it was a very large and representative meeting. The matter of lighting was fully discussed and all correspondence between Mr. Beckwith and the town was read to the meeting by the mayor. Valuations were given of the plant, carefully prepared, and a detailed estimate of revenue submitted. No one appeared on behalf of Mr. Beckwith or the Company and no information was obtained from that quarter. After full discussion it was admitted by those present that we were paying too much for the light service we were receiving and a resolution was passed that the Electric Light Committee interview Mr. Beckwith and try to find out what price he put on his plant and whether he would adopt the reduced schedule submitted in July. The Committee finally obtained an interview with Mr. Beckwith but he said he could not then give them a value but wanted to sell and would give them a value later. He absolutely refused to discuss reduced rates with the Committee. The Committee reported as above at an adjourned meeting of the citizens and at that meeting a resolution was passed, signed by sixty-five consumers of electric light in town, notifying Mr. Beckwith that unless he adopted the reduced schedule submitted by May 8th—one month from date—he was to cut off all lights used by them, as they would not pay for them at the present rate after May 8th. This resolve was published in your paper at the time and was served on Mr. Beckwith by Mr. Milner, your solicitor, who was appointed attorney for those signing the resolution.

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## Union Bank of Halifax

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### Fish

Salmon, Lobster, Clams, Scallops,  
Kippered Herring, Finnan Haddies,  
Smelts, Sardines, Halibut, etc.

### Fruit

Peaches, Pears, Plums, Pine-apples,  
Strawberries, Raspberries, Cherries,  
Blueberries, etc.

### Vege- tables

Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, String Beans,  
Baked Beans, Squash, Pumpkin,  
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## GREAT REDUCTION

We are selling at a great reduction in  
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### Millinery Department

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Toppan on the evening of his return  
from a visit to his nephew without  
knowing that he had enjoyed the  
week. 'I've got a little something to  
tell you about my new niece,' he  
said to Captain Saunders and Capt.  
Bolles, when his wife had thought-  
fully departed to a neighbor's house,  
and left him with his two friends.  
'Tell on,' said the two captains.  
promptly. 'You let us light up, and  
then you needn't look for anything in  
the line of interruptions,' added  
Captain Bolles. 'We will nod if we  
see occasion.'

'You know I've always had some  
doubts what kind of a wife a feller  
like Henry, with his head way up in  
the clouds, would pick him out,'  
said Mr. Toppan, and the captains  
nodded.

'Well, I guess Providence had a  
hand in the choosing of Emily,' con-  
tinued the host. 'She's as neat a lit-  
tle craft as ever I set eyes on, and  
she's got a first-class head-piece,  
what's more. They're living about  
ten miles out of the city, in a  
mighty pretty little suburb, and  
they've got the corner lot in a good  
neighborhood—nice houses on both  
streets.'

'I said to Henry: "Doesn't it cost  
you pretty steep?" For I knew his  
writing didn't bring him in any great  
of an income yet, though he's com-  
ing on. And he said: "It don't cost  
what you'd think 't would. In fact,  
this wasn't considered a very desir-  
able lot till Emily got to work on  
it."

'Well, of course, I wanted to know  
the meaning of that. So he told me  
just what happened. Seems they  
wanted to be about that far from  
town, and they met the agent for a  
lot of new houses somewhere, and he  
told 'em of this place. Said he and  
his wife had lived there for a few  
months and then moved to town, and  
'twas a pretty place. So they

went right along out to see it. The  
rent was reasonable, so reasonable  
that Emily got kind of thoughtful.  
Henry was for taking it, same as he  
always does good things, as if the  
ravens had fetched it to him. But  
Emily's built different.

'She looked the agent right in the  
eye, and said she, "What's the out-  
about it?" And he saw 'twasn't any  
use to make up any pretty stories or  
beat round the bush, so he told the  
truth.

'You see that big house down  
there?' he said. 'Well, that man  
pays rent for three of these houses,  
his own and two married sons', and  
he keeps 'em.'

'Henry said Emily began to smile  
and nod.

'And every afternoon when they  
set out they make right for this  
corner lot,' says the agent. 'I don't  
know what 'tis 'pects them so, but  
whether it's the slope, or the grass  
is greener, or what, but here's where  
they land, and scratch and dig till  
they're called home for supper. And  
he says he can't help it—small fowl  
have got to have their liberty. And  
my wife likes a flower-garden and  
smooth grass.'

'I see," Emily said, when he  
stopped. "So do I like a garden and  
I shall have a pretty one here." And  
that very day Henry signed a five  
years' lease, with a couple of port-  
able hen-houses thrown in.

'Going to keep hens?' the agent  
asked her, when she bartered for the  
hen-houses, and Emily smiled, and  
said, "For a while, maybe."

'Henry was kind of uneasy till she  
explained her plans to him, for he's  
no farmer, nor he never took to  
hens. But he saw the light after she'd  
talked to him a while. They did their  
work and moving mornings till the  
day they moved. At was their first  
afternoon—Emily took a rest after  
dinner, and when she got up and  
looked on the lawn, there, sure

enough, was a whole posse o' hens  
and some chickens! Henry set their  
portable hen-houses up that night,  
and next morning a farmer brought  
them some hens and put 'em in the  
houses, likewise chickens. Henry  
superintended the job. Emily never  
went near 'em, nor asked a question.

'That afternoon Henry let out their  
live stock while Emily was taking  
her rest. Then he sat down and wrote  
for an hour or so in a complete lit-  
tle place they call his 'study' at the  
back o' the house. When Emily  
waked up she went in there and  
rumbled up his hair and told him  
he'd written long enough, and to lay  
off and take a snooze before tea time  
same as was their usual arrange-  
ment.

'I'll call the hens and feed 'em,  
and get 'em under cover," says  
Emily. "That'll be my part of the  
work."

'Well, Henry said he stretched out  
on the lounge she has all fixed up  
for him, and fell off into a doze.  
When he waked up 'twas most dark,  
and he lay there listening to voices.  
Emily's and a man's. Emily's was  
cool and pleasant, but the man's had  
a pretty mad sound.

'I should like to know what  
you've done with my hens!' he was  
saying.

'Your hens!' Emily repeats after  
him, in a real surprised tone. 'Why,  
where were they?'

'Well—'hem'—says the man.  
'they—why, I suppose they were on  
your lawn.'

'Oh,' says Emily, 'how unfor-  
tunate! You see, we've just moved,  
and our hens only came this morn-  
ing. I haven't even asked my hus-  
band how many he bought. I've been  
so busy getting settled, you know.

He let them out while I was taking  
my nap and now he's getting a little  
rest, after his writing. I told him  
I'd call the hens in, feed them, and  
get them under cover every after-  
noon. I had some meal for them, and  
they came running to me just as  
fast. And you think your hens were  
all here, too? Now we'll take my lit-  
tle electric lantern and go right out  
to the hen houses, and you've only  
to pick yours out and take them  
right away. Of course, I wouldn't  
keep them. I don't know much about  
hens, but they will follow you, won't  
they? Won't they know your voice?'

'Henry said he held his breath, ex-  
pecting maybe the man would say  
something that would oblige him to  
get right up off'n the lounge and go  
in and deal with him; but instead of  
that, he said the man bust right out  
into a roar.

'See here,' he said, 'you've got  
the best of me, and I'll wager you  
know it, whether you know much  
about hens or not. You keep 'em  
overnight and let 'em out to-morrow  
at the usual time, and I'll see that  
they're sorted out by my man and  
taken home, and kept home. I'll have  
a little place made back of the house  
where they will get room enough.  
And any eggs you get from their  
visit,' says he, 'you're welcome to.  
And look here, when you get settled  
I'll have my folks call on you,' he  
said. "And now I'll bid you good-  
night."

'Good night!' says Emily, sweet  
as ever. 'We'd love to have them  
come. And, oh, Mr. Brown, when it's  
later in the season, I hope you'll ac-  
cept a couple of broilers for this  
trouble I've put you to. I think per-  
haps we shan't keep hens so very  
long.'

'I knew that' before you told  
me," says the man. And Henry said  
that as he passed by the side window  
on his way home the window was  
open, and Henry could hear him  
chuckling good and hearty.

## SUNLIGHT SOAP



### MEMORIAL ALTAR AND PULPIT.

Mrs. Binney, widow of the Right  
Reverend Hibern Binney, fourth  
bishop of the diocese of Halifax, left  
by will the sum of £400 sterling to  
provide an altar and pulpit for the  
cathedral if erected within ten years  
of her death. The architects have  
been asked to prepare plans in keep-  
ing with the rest of the building,  
and thus the cathedral will have  
splendid memorial altar and pulpit  
in memory of the bishop who began  
the cathedral building movement.—  
Church Work.

Marshalltown, Digby Co., N. S.  
January 4th, 1909.  
Empire Liniment Co., Limited,  
Bridgetown, N. S.

Dear Sirs:—  
Last winter while working my  
horses in the woods, one fell, strain-  
ing the cords of the fetlock so badly  
it laid him up. I used all the differ-  
ent liniments including horse lin-  
iments without the slightest benefit.

My son bought your  
EMPIRE LINIMENT  
and a few bottles made a complete  
cure, so that I was able to put him  
back to work in the woods.

I will cheerfully furnish any further  
information to anyone and will say  
without hesitation your liniment  
cannot be excelled.

Yours very truly,  
J. F. TRASK.

### TUBERCULOSIS CURED IN A NEW WAY.

A remarkable series of cures effect-  
ed in advanced cases of tuberculosis  
is attracting the attention of medi-  
cal men. One case has been under the  
supervision of a distinguished physi-  
cian for five months, and the patient  
who was suffering from consumption  
of both lungs and throat, has been  
pronounced virtually well. A report  
from the physician on the medical  
aspects of the case will probably be  
published soon. Arrangements have  
been made for subjecting the treat-  
ment to a decisive test by applying  
it to six or eight hospital cases and  
securing a scientific demonstration.

The treatment is described as a  
thermochemical attraction, the germs  
of the disease being drawn by chemi-  
cal heat through a ray of inflamma-  
tion from the lung or throat to the  
surface of the skin, and expelled when  
the wound is washed. It has been  
practised by a scientific investigator,  
William Doig, for several years at  
his private dispensary, and medical  
men are astonished by the results in  
cases of tuberculosis which they have  
considered hopeless.

DO IT NOW.  
Now is the time to get rid of your  
rheumatism. You can do so by apply-  
ing Chamberlain's Liniment. Nine  
cases out of ten are simply muscular  
rheumatism due to cold or damp, or  
chronic rheumatism, and yield to the  
vigorous application of this liniment.  
Try it. You are certain to be de-  
lighted with the quick relief which it  
affords. Sold by  
W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN; A.  
E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL,  
and BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

INTERNATIONAL MARATHON.  
pleted last week for the biggest profes-  
sional today for the biggest profes-  
sional Marathon yet held in this  
country—the great International  
Marathon for a purse of \$10,000 in  
which a score of the leading profes-  
sional long distance runners from all  
over the world has been invited to  
compete over the course at the Polo  
Grounds on the afternoon of May  
8th. The event is open to the world  
and will finally determine the world's  
championship at the classic distance  
of 26 miles, 385 yards.

The purse will be divided as fol-  
lows:  
\$5,000 to the winner; \$2,000 to the  
second man; \$1,200 to third; \$500 to  
the fourth; \$500 to the fifth; \$300 to  
the sixth, and \$200 to the seventh  
man.

Some of the leading runners invited  
to compete are:  
St. Yves, Longboat, Dorando,  
Shrubb, Hayes, Maloney, Svanberg,  
White, Simpson, and Carajal.

## Carnegie Urges Taft to Avert War

New York, April 21.—The hope that  
President Taft may find a way open  
to invite the leading naval powers  
of the world to consider if some  
agreement should not be reached to  
avert the danger of war between  
England and Germany, which  
"threatens to convulse the world,"  
was expressed by Andrew Carnegie  
in his address as president at the  
annual meeting of the Peace Society  
of the City of New York.

Mr. Carnegie's subject was "The  
Wrong Path." He said, in part:  
'We have been assured that "an  
overpowering army and navy is the  
cheap insurance of nations."  
'None are more secure from attack  
than before; on the contrary, the  
danger of war has increased. Britain  
spent upon army and navy last year  
\$345,000,000, most of this upon her  
navy; Germany, \$233,000,000; about  
half upon the navy; our peaceful re-  
public expended upon army, navy and  
war pensions no less than \$470,000,  
000.

'Britain has just discovered in  
Germany a menace to her existence.  
Germany, having equal rights upon  
the sea, fails to recognize the right  
of Britain to remain a menace to  
her, which she long has been, claim-  
ing to be "Mistress of the Seas."  
The United States, no longer free  
from naval conditions, is in no mood  
to remain menaced by any power.

'It seems pre-eminently the mis-  
sion of our peaceful industrial repub-  
lic to lead the world to the reign of  
peace under law. She it was who led  
The Hague conference in urging an  
international supreme court. She  
covets no new territory. On the con-  
trary she has relinquished control of  
Cuba, and is preparing the Filipinos,  
for independence and is at heart the  
friend of all nations.

'One cannot but indulge the hope  
that our president in due time may  
find a way open, without being in-  
trusive, to exert his vast influence  
in favor of peace; to call the atten-  
tion of the two disturbing powers to  
the fact that our country has a right  
to speak, if not to protest, in behalf  
of its own imperilled interests, and  
perhaps to invite the leading naval  
power to consider whether some  
kind of agreement could not be now  
reached which would avert the ap-  
proaching danger of war has increased,  
to convulse the world in the not dis-  
tant future.'

BILIOUSNESS  
AND CONSTIPATION.  
For years I was troubled with bili-  
ousness and constipation, which  
made life miserable for me. My ap-  
petite failed me. I lost my usual force  
and vitality. Pepsin preparations  
and cathartics only made matters  
worse. I do not know where I should  
have been to-day had I not tried  
Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver  
Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill  
feeling at once, strengthen the diges-  
tive functions, purify the stomach,  
liver and blood, helping the system  
to do its work naturally.—Mrs. Royce  
Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These table-  
ts are for sale by  
W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN; A.  
E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL,  
and BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

"PAYS TO ADVERTISE!"

London, April 26.—The Prince of  
Wales paid a remarkable tribute to  
the value and necessity of advertis-  
ing in presiding over the meeting of  
the Royal Commission for the Brus-  
sels, Rome and Turin Exhibitions at  
Marlborough House.

"Experience has shown," his Royal  
Highness said, "that even in the  
case of firms having an established  
reputation and world-wide connec-  
tions attempts to discontinue adver-  
tising have usually been followed by  
a diminution in the sales effected."

"The neglect by Great Britain of  
one of the most important forms of  
national advertising would be equal-  
ly detrimental to her interests as a  
manufacturing country."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo,  
Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that  
he is senior partner of the firm of F.  
J. Cheney & Co., doing business in  
the City of Toledo, County and State  
aforesaid, and that said firm will  
pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED  
DOLLARS for each and every case of  
Catarrh that cannot be cured by the  
use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

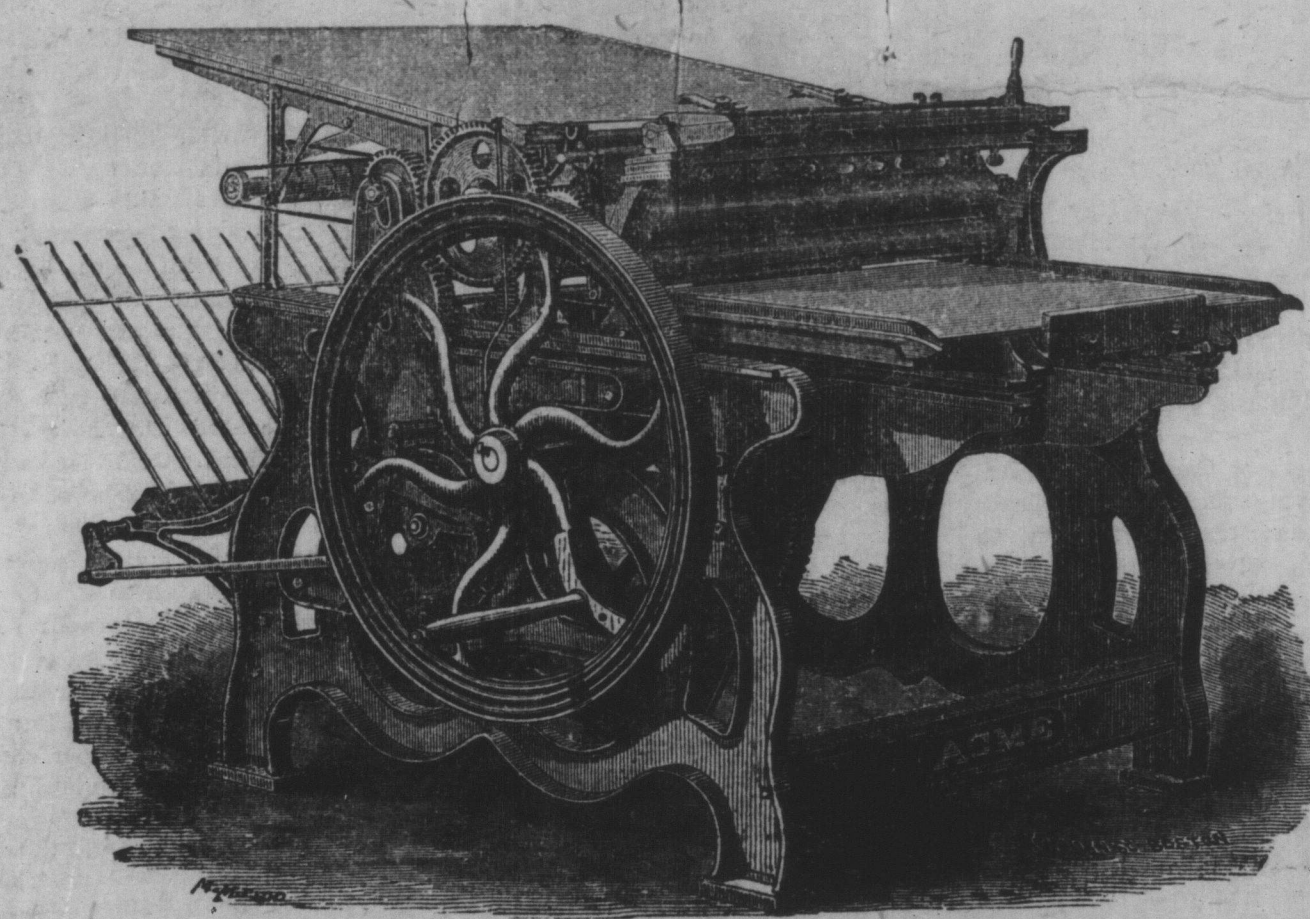
FRANK J. CHENEY.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed  
in my presence, this 6th day of De-  
cember, A. D. 1886.  
(Seal) A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken inter-  
nally, and acts directly on the blood  
and mucous surfaces of the system.  
Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for con-  
stipation.

Peters & Co., Kingston, Ont., were  
convicted and fined fifty dollars and  
costs for selling the well known  
"brandy chocolates" recently.

## For Sale at this Office



Acme Press, bed 33 x 42, 8 column folio, with  
chases, roller corers, etc. This is a snap for a small  
newspaper office, or for poster work. Will be sold very  
low to make room. Apply at once.

M. K. PIPER



## SCRAPING THE STOMACH

Dangerous and Painful Operation  
Avoided by Taking "Fruit-a-tives."

Guelph, Ont., Aug. 6, 1908.

I suffered for many months with dreadful Stomach Trouble, with vomiting and constant pain, and I could retain practically nothing.



My doctor stated that I must go to the hospital and undergo an operation of scraping the stomach and be fed by the bowels for weeks. All the medicine the doctor gave me I vomited at once. I was dreadfully alarmed, but I decided an operation and had refused.

I had heard of "Fruit-a-tives" and the great success they were having in all Stomach Troubles, and I decided to try them. To my surprise, the "Fruit-a-tives" not only remained on the stomach, but they also checked the vomiting. I immediately began to improve, and in three days the pain was easier and I was decidedly better. I continued to take "Fruit-a-tives" and they completely cured me.

Mrs. Austin Hainstock.

"Fruit-a-tives" are 50c a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50, trial box 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

### REVEILLE.

I heard a robin singing in the rain. Its bird-song pealing low. Again, again.

It called to those sore-spent with "Life's dull sting."

To open their soul-windows to the Spring.

Surely it seemed those vibrant notes might lend

Fresh courage; my tired heart defend 'Gainst utter numbness. Yet all sound

First touched my senses, sorrow-bound, in vain.

'E'en as the tranquil cadence of the rain

Upon a home deserted, lone, remote. And then there fell one, low, pulsating note,

That jarred a slumbering hurt and freshly smote

My soul, awoke the old, insistent pain;

New consciousness and heart to fight again.

—Mary Baldwin in the Outlook.

For a burn or scald apply Chamberlain's Salve. It will allay the pain almost instantly and quickly heal the injured parts. For sale by

W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, and BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

QUIET NOW REIGNS AT ADANA.

Rev. William Chambers, resident missionary of the American Board of Foreign Missions at Adana, telegraphs under yesterday's date, stating that the attacks of the Moslems upon the Armenian Christians began on April 14th. The town, he says, was quieter by evening of the 16th, and peace still continues.

The town is under martial law. Many persons were killed and much damage was done by looting and fires. The market was almost totally wrecked.

## Local Government Appropriations

It has been enacted that the following sums shall be appropriated to defray expenses of local government for the fiscal year as follows:—

\$65,000, for the encouragement of Agriculture;

\$8,000, to defray the expenses of Criminal Prosecutions;

\$316,000, for Educational purposes;

\$11,000, to defray the current expenses of the Crown Land Department;

\$69,000, to provide for the pay of members and officers and the contingent expenses of the Legislature;

\$24,100, to defray the expenses of the Department of Public Works;

\$46,000, to defray the expenses of the Mines Department;

\$212,250, for certain Public Charities;

\$21,000, towards defraying the expenses of Public Printing;

\$45,000, to provide for certain Miscellaneous expenses;

\$71,099, in aid of Steamboats, Packets and Ferries;

\$34,812.50, for the payment of Salaries;

\$10,000, to defray the expenses of the Provincial Engineer's Office;

\$1,250, towards defraying the expenses of the Legislative Library;

\$306,476.82, to provide for the payment of interest on Nova Scotia Debentures;

\$58,416.66, to provide for a Sinking Fund in connection with Nova Scotia Debentures;

\$1,200, in aid of Halifax Medical College;

\$20,000, in aid of Miners' Relief Funds;

\$400, to provide for the expenses of Sheriffs' Courts in connection with the Electoral Lists;

\$30,000, to provide for interest on current bank accounts in Nova Scotia;

\$41,000, in connection with Royalty Refund;

\$5,000, to provide for certain expenses in connection with Succession Duties;

\$175,000, to provide for Roads;

\$10,000, to provide for Road Commissioner's Office;

\$15,000, in connection with the Department of Industries and Immigration;

\$35,000, in connection with Nova Scotia Technical College;

\$2,000, in connection with Vital Statistics;

\$72,117.66, to provide for Road Expenditure;

\$248,364.40, chargeable to Capital for certain Public Works.

### DANGER IN THE CUP.

The Boards of Health of certain of the States of the Union are joining in a movement to abolish the public train drinking cup. Authorities declare that there are few dangers within reach of the travelling public today, so grave, in a health sense, as that same cup. Dr. Darlington, Commissioner of Health of the City of New York, is at the bottom of the movement, and he advocates a small individual paper drinking-cup. This he has had adopted on the Delaware and Lackawanna Railroad for a test, and it works so well that he anticipates its general introduction if he can get the Boards of Health to enter into the arrangement. These cups which are exactly in the shape of a drinking glass, are of paper, and stiffened by a coating of paraffine. Being manufactured and packed automatically, they are untouched by hands until they reach those of the drinker. Carried in the car, near the water cooler, in nests, as the drinker takes one out he cannot return it, and either discards it or carries it away. The Intercolonial should follow suit and set the example for Canada.

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Dora—I'm sorry to hear that.

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Graddma—Ah, my dear, the men now are not what they were fifty years ago.

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MILARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

## Joker's Corner.

### WHEN HE OBJECTED.

An eastern college graduate applied for work in a Michigan lumber camp. He was told to get busy on one end of a cross-saw, the other end being in charge of an old and experienced lumberman.

At first all went well, but at the end of the second day the young man's strength began to wane. Suddenly the old man stopped the saw and spat.

"Sonny," he said, not unkindly. "I don't mind yer ridin' on this saw, but if it's jest the same to you, I wish you'd keep your feet off the ground."

### NO OCCASION FOR ALARM.

While passing through a village a tourist saw an old man seated at a cottage door devouring huge hunks of bread and bacon in a ravenous manner. He remarked: "Look here, my good man, you shouldn't eat so rapidly at your time of life! Think of your digestion!" "My digestion be alright, and oi bean old. Oi be on'y seventy-foive." "Then you consider that old?" the tourist asked. "What age was your father when he died?" "Feyther beand dede: he oop-stairs putten gran'feyther to bed!"—The "Scottish-American."

### IT STUCK.

The cat was being pursued by Patrick around and around the kitchen. A sudden turn in the chase landed it "kerplunk" into the crock containing the pancake batter. It scrambled out barely in time to escape a blow from the poker wielded by Patrick, and shot out into the yard.

"Lave the poor baste go," berzed Biddy, seeking to make peace. "The batter ain't hurt in the laste. Every place he touched it has stuck to him."

### TOO DEAD.

Billy Martin, aged four, came to his mother and in great ecstasy exclaimed:—"Oh, mother! Louise and Carberry found such a nice dead cat, and they are going to have a funeral and can I go?" Permission was given and when Billy returned he was questioned as to the outcome of the funeral. "They did not have it at all." "And why not?" "Mother," was the answer, "the cat was too dead."

### MOTHER GOOSE UP-TO-DATE.

The king was in his counting room, counting all his cash at hand. For the queen was in the parlor playing bridge to beat the band.

While the maid was in the garden, hanging out clothes,

Down dropped an airship and chipped off her nose.

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## Sable Island as a Sanitarium

The New York Shipping Illustrated of late date has an interesting article on the proposal to establish health resorts upon Sable Island. The article in part is as follows:

It will be a curious transformation scene if the long-dreaded "graveyard of the Atlantic," the place of innumerable shipwrecks, shall be transformed into a resort for the restoration of life and energy to the diseased, yet such seems entirely possible, for it has been discovered that no one has a cold there and people going thither from the mainland with a cough very soon get rid of it. The cause is pure air, a mild, equable climate, and freedom from dust and contaminating influence.

Physicians state that despite the popular belief that dry air is necessary for the cure of lung tuberculosis, yet persons with such diseases in its early stages, who have gone to Sable Island have become absolutely cured. There may be something, too, in the absorbent nature of the sandy soil, but "the sea as a purifier," as set forth in an article in Shipping Illustrated of March 18th, is the great thing. At all events the great good health of those who reside upon the Island has recently attracted the attention of men who would make it a health resort, and it is understood that such may soon be established either by the Canadian Government or by some company acting under permission from the government.

Sable Island is within fifty miles of the Gulf Stream, and one hundred miles off the coast of Nova Scotia. To illustrate its equable temperature it may be stated that on February 1st last, while the maximum in New York was twenty-six degrees and the minimum six degrees, the thermometer on Sable Island showed a maximum of twenty-eight degrees and a minimum of twenty degrees. The temperature on the same day varied from a minimum of four degrees to a maximum of sixteen degrees in Boston, twelve degrees to fourteen degrees in Halifax, four degrees to twenty-two degrees in St. John, thirteen degrees to thirty-two degrees in Sydney, C. B., and twelve degrees below zero to fourteen degrees above in Montreal.

### WHOOPIING COUGH.

This is a more dangerous disease than is generally presumed. It will be a surprise to many to learn that more deaths result from it than from scarlet fever. Pneumonia often results from it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, and always with the best results. Delbert McKel, of Harlan, Iowa, says of it: "My boy took whooping cough when nine months old. He had it in the winter. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which proved good. I cannot recommend it too highly." For sale by

W. A. WARREN BRIDGETOWN, A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, and BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

### SPREAD OUT.

The man was working on the side of a sleepy-sloping roof. All of a sudden his foot slipped on a patch of ice, and with a groan he began to slide down slowly toward the edge.

As he slid, he clutched with tense fingers at the tin. But it was smooth and offered him no hold. And his speed gradually but surely increased.

As, in a sitting posture, like a tobogganer, the man continued his deadly slide, he began to pray in a loud, anguished voice.

Memory, as if in answer to his prayer, flashed across his brain the words:

"Spread out."

The man instantly lay flat on his back, spreading arms and legs to their widest angle, making himself as much as possible like a starfish. And his speed at once decreased. The additional friction surface acted like a brake. A few feet from the edge of the roof he came to anchor.

"Help!" And again he slid a little.

But this time help came, a rope was thrown, and the man climbed back to safety.

He wiped the dew of terror from his brow.

"My boss in my apprentice days," he said, "told me if I ever started sliding down a roof slope to spread out and it would stop me. I didn't believe him, but, by jingo, he was right."

The man smiled and sighed, musing on his long-dead boss. Then he crawled back to his dangerous work on the steep slope of the roof.—Philadelphia Bulletin

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE SHOCK IN LISBON.

Lisbon, April 23.—There was a violent earth shock here this evening. The ground rose and fell in wave-like motion, buildings swayed and a number of structures were partly demolished. The populace fled in panic to the streets. Firemen are now extinguishing fires that broke out as a result of the disturbance.



### DANGERS OF NEGLECTING A SORE.

NEVER neglect a cut or sore, however trivial it may appear.

Mrs. B. E. Bedwell, of 337, Provencher Avenue, St. Boniface, Winnipeg, had a small sore on the second finger of her left hand. She thought it would get right unaided, but it didn't. Instead, blood-poisoning set in. She says:—"I then tried poultices and an ordinary salve. These, however, did not have the desired effect, and, as the finger began to fester, I had to call in a doctor, who lanced it. Despite his care, however, it again festered, and the contents, liniments, and other preparations which the doctor gave me seemed absolutely unable to bring about any relief. We were told of a case similar to my own in which Zam-Buk had effected a cure when everything else had failed, and we, therefore, decided to give Zam-Buk a trial. It only needed a few days to show the wisdom of this step. The blood-poisoning and inflammation were reduced, and the pain became less acute. In under three weeks from first commencing with Zam-Buk the finger was quite sound again."

"I had previously had experience of the healing power of Zam-Buk, and the way it soothes cuts and injuries. I, therefore, bound the fingers in Zam-Buk, and it was most gratifying the way in which this balm soothed the pain. Two

days after the accident the wounds were closed, and new skin was beginning to form over the top. Each day I dressed the wounds with Zam-Buk, and I am now back again at work with the hand as sound as ever. To look at it you would never know it had been so terribly torn and lacerated.

"I do not think there is anything to equal Zam-Buk as a healer of skin injuries and diseases."

WHAT YOU SHOULD USE ZAM-BUK FOR.

Zam-Buk cures pimples, skin-eruptions, burns, cuts, piles, festering ulcers and sores, blood-poisoning, salt rheum, pruritic itch, ringworm, bad leg, diseased ankles, old wounds, eczema, and all skin-diseases. All Drugists and Stores sell at 50c. box, three for \$1.25, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

Zam-Buk

## SPRING IS COMING



Our new Spring Suits for

Men and Boys are already

here. Fit-Rite suits in elegant new patterns and

smart styles. Fit-Reform

Suits in colorings and designs that are gay to look

upon. Reliance Brand

Clothing for boys, recognized as the strongest and

best clothing in Canada. Our prices as always are

the lowest possible considering quality.

Bridgetown Clothing Store

J. HARRY HICKS

ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING STRAWBERRY BOXES!

We are this Season selling

The Best and Strongest Wood Splint Box on the Market

They have reinforced rims, are well ventilated and can be packed in nests, thus making a great saving in freight. We will cheerfully send a sample to any applicant, and would greatly appreciate a trial order.

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"Father Morrissey's No. 10" Cures Coughs, Colds and Lung Troubles.

Father Morrissey's remedies have been known for years throughout the Maritime Provinces, and thousands testify to the remarkable cures they have wrought.

The very same remedies, with all their healing virtues, are now being prepared from the late priest's prescriptions.

The "Lung Tonic," commonly known as "Father Morrissey's No. 10," is one of the best remedies ever put up for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and lung troubles of all kinds. It removes the mucus, quickly drives away the inflammation and congestion and heals the membranes, leaving them stronger than before and better able to resist disease.

"No. 10" is absolutely free from Opium, Morphine or any harmful drug, and is perfectly safe even for babies.

Trial size 25c. per bottle. Regular size 50c.

At your dealer's.

Father Morrissey Medicine Co. Ltd. Chatham, N. B.

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PROPRIETOR AND PUBLISHER.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5TH, 1909.

—As a result of the protest against the usurpation of coasting privileges which has been accorded foreign vessels, and the reform brought about as a sequence of which a withdrawal of all foreign steamers of under 1500 tons will take place on July 1st, a syndicate has been formed at Sydney to go into the coal carrying trade. For the present the smaller steamers only will be acquired but it is hoped that in course of time all Nova Scotia coal will be transported in Nova Scotia ships and by Nova Scotia sailors, as an order-in-council limits to three years the admission of foreign mercantile vessels of all grades to coastal privileges. It is in deference to the claims of the coal companies that their transportation accommodations would be limited by a sudden withdrawal that the three years' extension of privilege has been granted.

In thus fostering the rights of our own seamen to build up our own mercantile marine, a truly patriotic movement has been inaugurated, and a great stimulus has been lent to the shipping and ship-building industries of Canada, while a hopeful prospect opens before thousands of Canadian seamen whose livelihood is again restored to them.

An editorial in the Standard of Empire, regarding the impetus to shipbuilding expected to develop during the year, states:—

"Only a decade ago Canada stood fourth among the maritime nations of the world; today she has fallen to tenth place. In 1907 the Canadian vessel tonnage was 6,541,791; Norway, her greatest competitor in the coasting trade of the Dominion, held fourth place in the rank of the nations. In 1881 Nova Scotia had 3,025 craft with a total tonnage of 558,911; in 1908 she had about 2,100, with an aggregate tonnage of but 185,000 tons of shipping.

"While the home shipping was nine years, more than one million tons of shipping, representing an Canada's waters was growing. In falling off, that of Norway in invested capital of perhaps forty million dollars, had come into our waters, chiefly on the Atlantic coast, to trade from port to port. This shipping was almost entirely Norwegian, carrying the crew with which they had sailed from Norway, men who had absolutely no interest in Canada.

"The agitation among the coasting captains of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island during recent years has been exceedingly keen. They claimed not only that they were laboring under a disability in their competition with the Norwegians, but that they were discriminated against by the coal companies, their most important clients. One captain recently stated in a signed letter, his declaration being attested to by many of his fellows, 'that Canadian vessels were not allowed coals as a rule, while a Norwegian steamer is at the same pier; and, in many cases, coal is till the Norwegian vessel has kept from a Canadian vessel unmade two voyages to Montreal.'

"Danger to Canada as a nation was alleged. Why, it was asked,

should Canada build up a mercantile marine for Norway, while her own was being steadily weakened? Twenty thousand Norwegian sailors were engaged in Canada's coasting trade, while Canada's sons, driven from the occupation of their fathers, were flocking to the United States to ship as seamen in the merchant navy of that country. The statement has been made and not controverted, that of the many American vessels trading from a United States port to a Nova Scotia port, a large percentage were manned and, in some cases officered, by men of Nova Scotia birth.

"The situation was declared by Alex. Baillie, of Port Hastings, who has acted as the mouthpiece of the coasting captains, in the following terms:—'It is not a whit too strong to state that something must be done at once if our valuable coastwise marine is to be saved from total destruction and the business of hundreds of small dealers and tradesmen rescued from ruin, and many seamen and mechanics retained at home. The salvation of our merchant marine constitutes a national duty which no true Canadian should fail to investigate fully.'

## CORRESPONDENCE.

MORE ABOUT AUTOMOBILES IN ANSWER TO "FAIRER PLAY."

Editor Monitor-Sentinel:—

The words, lightning, tempest, plague, pestilence, famine, battle, murder, and sudden death; are of too awful a reality to some of the dwellers upon this earth to be lightly or flippantly used by anyone who has been brought up in a Christian community. You say the trouble is seldom with well-trained horses but with the young, partially-broken ones. If "Fairer Play" would take the time to make a few enquiries, he would find that many of the older horses that have been well trained are just as shy of automobiles as the young and partially-broken ones. He also asks who else is to blame for an accident in encountering them except the driver of the horses and all the risk should be his also. I think if "Fairer Play" would read more he would find that automobile owners and drivers now consider it safer and cheaper to pay damages in the case of such accidents than to go to law, which goes to show that horse owners do not have to shoulder all the responsibility. As to not going to church being a case of indifference and lack of faith, I think the Lord expects us to do our part by not running into known danger, after asking Him for His kind care and protection. The way may be good enough but the way may be blocked by obstacles put in our way by others, who would rather ride in automobiles for pleasure on the Sabbath than walk to a place of worship. We run dangers enough, seen and unseen, without courting further risk of losing our lives through automobiles, whose owners are few in number compared to the many hundreds who object to meeting them on a narrow road. The many ought to bring more custom to the merchants than the few who, having the ready money, can send away for their supplies and buy at wholesale prices. You say drivers sometimes go off the road before the auto gets to them. Don't you think it is better to be scared than hurt? For, as the autos do not get off the road, the horses have to or run the risk of an accident, perhaps a fatal one, to the driver and some of the friends he may have with him. You say we need legislation to restrict high rates of speed on narrow roads and to penalize the reckless chauffeur. This sounds very well, but what about putting it in force? We have no policemen to chase them on bicycles as they do across the border and hold them up at the muzzle of a revolver. I am afraid, while you would be thinking of what to do, the auto and its driver would be speeding miles away to the tune of 'catch me if you can.' What we have most to fear is the large touring cars that come into our province every summer which are accustomed to use a high rate of speed and are so used to seeing people run down and killed where they come from, that such things fail to trouble them, and no matter what restriction you try to put on them they will choose their own rate of speed outside of the towns through which they pass, therefore public safety demands that there should be laws to restrict them from running certain days in the week.

## FAIR PLAY.

As this subject has been pretty well aired and our County Council has passed legislation in regard to it we think it will hardly be worth while to discuss it further.—ED.

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## IN THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

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(so-called) to station; the report of the Committee, A. B. Gates, J. A. Sponegal and T. A. Croaker, appointed to inquire into the necessity of widening said street.

It was ordered that the report of said Committee as read be received and adopted. J. B. Whitman was appointed arbitrator on behalf of the County. Following is the report: To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Annapolis Co. Gentlemen:—

The undersigned commissioners appointed to determine whether the widening of Gates Avenue in the town of Middleton would be a benefit to the public and to make arrangements in respect thereto here leave to submit that we have carefully examined the said street and looked into the matter of widening the same, and have come to the conclusion that the said street should be widened by adding thereto at its junction with Main Street a strip of land on the east side thereof, twenty-five feet in width and two hundred and twenty in length. This addition would give the street throughout a uniform width of fifty feet. At present the unsightly jor in the east side of the street, at its junction with Main Street, makes an eyesore as well as making the street dangerous for travel after night fall. We interviewed, Mr. F. L. Shaffer, who owns the lands on the east of the street at this place, and enquired from him his figures for the land required. He informed us that his lowest figure would be \$750. We regard this figure excessive in the extreme and are of the opinion that the damage to Mr. Shaffer would not be appraised for more than \$150. We would respectfully suggest that as we were able to make no agreement with Mr. Shaffer for compensation that arbitrators be appointed to appraise the same.

Dated at Middleton this 19th day of April, 1909.

A. B. GATES,

T. A. CROAKER,

Commissioners.

Moved by Councillor Grimm, seconded by Councillor Buckler, that the following be Revisors of the electoral lists of the County of Annapolis for the ensuing year.

Revisal Section No. 1—Reis Baker, I. T. Coulstan, Ezekiel Bartheaux.

Revisal Section No. 2—C. A. Elliott, Frank Balsor, F. W. Bishop.

Revisal Section No. 3—Judson Foster, Samuel Mack, David Wade.

Revisal Section No. 4—E. H. Armstrong, Herman Winchester, Darby Cronin.

Revisal Section No. 5—Charles F. Morton, B. C. Clarke, J. Chipman Kempton.

Revisal Section No. 6—B. G. Fairn, E. H. Tupper, Guy Todd.

Revisal Section No. 7—James E. Oakes, N. G. Charlton, R. M. Har-nish.

Ordered: That Marshall McNeally, of Margareville, be repaid the sum of one hundred dollars (which was paid by him to this municipality) by instalments of twenty-five dollars per year payments to commence January 1st, 1908.

Ordered: That each councillor notify his road surveyors of their appointments and that they take office twenty days after their appointment.

Ordered: That the report of the Committee appointed to settle with the towns of Annapolis and Bridgetown as read be received and adopted. Following is the report:

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR TOWN OF BRIDGETOWN.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Annapolis Co. Your Committee appointed to settle with the Town of Bridgetown for joint liabilities for the year 1908 begs leave to submit its report, with statements attached thereto.

We find that the Town of Bridgetown is to pay to the Municipality for the services above named the sum of \$825.08 for the year 1908.

Assessment County, \$3,420,379.00  
Assessment Bridgetown, 304,300.00  
Assessment Annapolis Royal, 205,385.00

Total, \$4,030,064.00

Joint expenditure, \$10,818.94

Proportion Town of Bridgetown, \$816.91

Proportion Town of Bridgetown for Salary Sanitary Inspector, 8.17

\$825.08

W. G. CLARKE,  
Warden for Municipality Annapolis.

H. RUGGLES,  
Mayor of the Town of Bridgetown.

The Town of Bridgetown, In joint account with The Municipality of Annapolis.

1908. Dr.  
To Education, \$6,594.80  
" Rent Court House, Bridge-  
town, 115.00  
" Rent Office Clerk of Crown, 40.00  
" Rent Vault Reg. of Probate, 25.00  
" Rent Vault and Office Reg.  
of Deeds, 120.00  
" Salary Clerk of Crown, 50.00  
" Salary Jailor, 200.00  
" Salary Court Crier, 50.00  
" Water, Court House & Jail, 21.00  
" Grand Jury Fees, 55.20  
" Petite Jury Fees, 123.10  
" Fuel, Court House & Jail, 97.20  
" Court Expenses, 196.75  
" Board of Prisoners, \$91.74;  
less Scott Act, \$2.00, 89.74

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## AUTOMOBILES IN KINGS COUNTY.

Before the Kings County Municipal Council Mr. E. W. Kappelle was heard in regard to the running of automobiles from Barwick to summer resort at Harborville to meet trains daily and Councillor Reid in the matter of W. M. Black being granted same privilege in the running of automobiles from Grand Pre to Evangeline Beach. After considerable discussion a motion was passed prohibiting the running of automobiles on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, the same as last year, notwithstanding the presentation of a largely signed petition asking for the privilege of running every day, but permission was granted Messrs. Kappelle and Black to run as requested.

## PUBLIC AUCTION

The subscribers will sell at Public Auction on Saturday, the 15th day of May, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the residence of the late Eliza Jane Jordan at Centerville, the following personal property:—

Ten Tons Upland Hay. One-half Ton Oat Straw, 4 Cords Longwood, 1 Cord Stove Wood, 1 Wheelbarrow, 5 bbls. Ashes, 25 bus. Potatoes, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: All sums under \$5 cash, and over \$5, approved joint note on 6 months.

Also there will be offered at same time and place the farm owned by the late Eliza Jane Jordan.

TERMS: Ten per cent at time of sale; remainder on delivery of Deed.

MARY A. RONEY,  
ANTONETTE CALDWELL,  
May 3rd, 1909.

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## BARGAINS

SALE 10 a. m.

## Bargains

Half dozen of the following articles will be sold.

SHOE BRUSHES, .10  
SCRUBBING BRUSHES, .10  
STOVE BRUSHES, .10  
AGATE WASH DISH, .10  
MAJESTIC FLOUR SIFTER, .10  
EXTENSION BOWL STRAINER, .10  
WIRE CAKE COOLER, .10  
WIRE DISH DRAINER, .10  
MOP HANDLES, .10  
CURTAIN RODS, .10  
CARPET TACKS, 3 pkgs. for .10  
SOAP SHAKERS, .05  
STOVE MATS, .05  
POTATO MASHERS, .05  
LAMP CHIMNEY, .05  
TOILET PAPER, .05  
SAD IRON HANDLES, .05  
CURTAIN RODS, .05

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## That Spring Tiredness

Can't last after you've taken a box or two of FIG PILLS They've proved a boon to thousands — why not you? For Sale at WARREN'S DRUG STORE

## House Cleaning Time

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## B. Jacobson

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## New Oxfords

Ladies' and Misses Oxfords in black tan and ox-blood.

Youths' Misses' and Children's in Chocolate and tan.

## E. S. PIGGOTT

PRIMROSE BUILDING.

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Tenders will be received until May 15th for the property on the corner of Queen and Albert streets. As a business stand it is considered the best in Bridgetown. Apply to

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Kentville, N. S.

April 14th, 1 mo.

## Merchants of Bridgetown

The attractive store does the business. You know that. How about your store? Why not put in a Silent Salesman, a new Counter, new Shelves, new Doors, or if your store has a poor front, add a new one. It will pay you. We manufacture any of the above and can quote you lowest prices. Write today.

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## Come to the New Store

And see what you can buy for ONLY.

5c. 10c. 15c. 20c. and 25c.

GLASS, CHINA, EARTHEN, TIN, GRANITE, AND WOODEN WARE

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Breakfast Cereals, Spices, Essences, Sugar, Canned Goods, all kinds of Confectionery. Bananas, Oranges and Lemons

Try our Ice Cream

## MRS. H. E. BROWN

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I am unloading a car of Bilston Basic Slag this week at Lawrencetown Station. Guaranteed 20 per cent Phosphoric Acid. Give me a call and I will quote you prices.

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## New Goods This Week

Canned Peaches, Pears, Corn, Peas, Saxon Wheat Food, Toasted Cornflakes, Korn Kinks, Puffed Rice, Tapioca, Rice, Mustard, Dutch Cleanser, granulated Sugar and Light Yellow Sugar, Bananas, Oranges, and Cocoanuts.

Mrs. S. E. Turner.

## Lime

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For sale by

A. R. BISHOP, QUEEN STREET.

## Some Things Worth Going After

ON NEXT SATURDAY THE 8th

SALE 10 a. m.

## SPECIAL SALE COMMENCES AT 10 a. m.

A 10 Quart Tin Pail  
Regular size, good quality, 40 on y, while they last, Sale Price 10c  
Limit one to a customer

## SPECIAL SALE COMMENCES AT 2 p. m.

A Pressed Glass Tumbler  
Regular size, good smooth finish, four patterns, your choice Sale Price 1-2 doz. 10c  
Limit 1-2 doz to a customer

## SPECIAL SALE COMMENCES AT 10 a. m.

A 14 quart Dish Pan  
Good quality of Tin, 36 only while they last, Sale Price 15c  
Limit one to a customer

## SALE PRICE ON ROOM PAPER

3c, 4c, 4½c, 5c, 5½c, 6c, 10c per roll. Bordering to match. Good for Saturday and Monday.

Print Butter 18c lb cash Saturday, 20c trade any day

## W. W. CHESLEY

## Groceries

LARD, lb., .158  
SNOW FLAKE SHORTENING, m, .13  
BACON, lb., .134  
BOLOGNA, lb., .08  
HAM, lb., .154  
BEANS, lb., .04  
SPLIT PEAS, lb., .034  
RICE, lb., .044  
TOMATOES, can, .10  
MIXED CAKES, 3 lbs. for .25  
PRUNES, lb., .064  
BONELESS CODFISH, lb., .10  
BONELESS FISH, lb., .064  
GINGER, pkg., .06  
PEPPER, pkg., .06  
NUTMEGS, 2 ozs. for .05  
SEEDED RAISINS, pkg., .16  
MOIR'S BEST CHOCOLATES, .36  
MIXED CHOCOLATES, lb., .20  
CHALLENGE CHOCOLATES, lb., .13  
CREAMS & CHOCOLATES, lb., .10  
FUDGE, lb., .27  
TIGER 30c. TEA, lb., .27  
MORSE'S 30c. TEA, lb., .27  
NATIONAL BLEND TEA, .27  
RED ROSE 40c. TEA, lb., .35  
ORANGES, doz., .12



## LOCAL AND SPECIAL

The weather is cold, and planting and vegetation backward.

Mr. Cochran and family are occupying the Rice house on Queen street.

Mr. William R. Calder was the purchaser of the Bonnett farm on Church Road advertised in the Monitor.

The Town Clerk has ordered the water turned off a number of houses, whose occupants have failed to pay their water rates.

The value of lumber is going up. Spruce logs have been sold during the past week at \$15 per thousand, says the Frederickton Gleaner.

The farm property of the late Mrs. Jordan at Centrelea, with all the personal effects, will be sold at auction on Saturday the 15th day of May.

The Salvation Army will open their new Hall in the building recently fitted up for them by Mr. John Hicks on Saturday evening, May 8th. The Sunday meeting will be led by Ensign Smith.

The farm of George W. Shipton was not auctioned as expected on Thursday last, a private sale having been arranged just previous to the date of sale. The name of the purchaser will be given next week.

The Clarence W. M. A. S. will meet next Monday afternoon, May 10th, in the vestry of the church. As matters of especial interest and importance will be discussed, it is desired that every member shall attend.

The annual Easter Sale and Tea under the auspices of the ladies of St. James' Church, recently postponed, will take place on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, 19th inst. The Sale will consist of Aprons and other useful articles.

Prof. Smith, of Truro, will deliver an address on the Brown Tail Moth, etc., in the Temperance Hall, Lawrencetown, on Thursday afternoon, at 2 a. m. All farmers and all interested in these matters should be present. There will also be a meeting in the evening.

A reward of \$50.00 is offered for the recovery of the body of the late M. G. DeWolfe, who was drowned in the Cornwallis River at Kentville. It is thought that the body has been carried by the current out of the river and may be found on the shore of Minas Basin.

Boston expects to have the greatest World's Fair yet held when it celebrates the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrim fathers in 1620, by a World's Exposition in the year 1920. It will be known as the Pilgrim Tercentennial Exposition.

Policeman Steele Crowe has tendered his resignation to take effect in a few days. This is a matter of sincere regret to the townspeople, as he has proved himself a capable and reliable official, but he has found the duties of the position too arduous for his health.

One of Wolfville's two centenarians passed away yesterday afternoon, says the Acadian, in the person of Mrs. Sarah Spencer, relict of the late William Spencer. She was 102 years of age, and until quite recently was remarkably active and well in health. She was a native of Falmouth.

The young son of Senator Comeau, of Digby, who is visiting his father in Ottawa, broke out on Saturday with small-pox, causing a mild flurry of excitement within the precincts of parliament, the boy having roomed with his father and breakfasted with him that morning in the parliamentary dining-room. The boy has been quarantined in the small-pox hospital and the rooms he frequented disinfected.

Mr. N. E. Chute has his new ware-rooms in the Shipley building nearly ready for occupancy. They occupy a floor space of about 30x60 feet and are admirably adapted for Mr. Chute's lines of business, which are chiefly vehicles and agricultural implements. Some of his new stock will arrive this week and next week will see the opening of the new establishment.

A new machine has been invented by Superintendent Bishop, of Dartmouth, which is used for the breaking up of macadam roads when repairs are needed. The machine was put to a test on Wednesday, says the Chronicle, and the work done was most satisfactory. Mr. Bishop was lately in Bridgetown and gave pointers to the town council on the subject of macadamized roads. We have on file an article on Street Construction, by Mr. Bishop to which we will give space in an early issue.

## LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Mr. McCutcheon, of the senior class of Acadia, preached in the Baptist Church here on Sunday.

Sunday fishing, either for business or sport, is prohibited all over Canada, and is liable to a penalty for Sabbath desecration.

The Baptist and Methodist churches have changed the hour of Sunday evening service to 7.30. The Church of England will continue to be held at 7 o'clock for the present.

Mr. Charles Hoyt, who is opening stone works in Middleton, is moving into Murray Elliott's house beside the Methodist Church. Dr. Kirwin has rented Mr. W. J. Milhall's house being vacated by Dr. MacDonald, and will move in at once. Outlook.

The death occurred in Bridgetown on April 30th of Robert Balfour Brown, formerly a jeweler and prominent citizen of Yarmouth. He was also well known as a cartoonist and his sketches were published in various periodicals. He was 83 years of age.

It is understood that the Brooklyn Dairy and Fruit Company were unable this spring to make arrangements for acquiring both the Neily and the Wright farms, but the Neily farm has been purchased, and an extension until autumn secured of the option on the Wright farm.

Four farms have been sold this spring through the medium of the Monitor-Sentinel. Applications and inquiries have been received from readers residing in the States and other distant places. If you want to sell or buy a property try your local paper. Its large circulation among the people you want to reach, gives you results not otherwise obtainable.

## PERSONAL

Mrs. E. Ruggles and daughter, Miss Bess, are making a visit of a few weeks in Boston.

Mr. James Young, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Yarmouth, has been elected captain of the Yarmouth Y. M. C. A. basketball team, says the Times.

Mrs. Pierce (nee Miss Frederica Bradshaw) who has been visiting her father, Mr. W. A. Bradshaw, here for some weeks, returned to her husband in Cobalt on Monday morning last. Hantsport Advance.

Leslie R. Fairm, architect, of Aylesford, was the unanimous choice of the special committee of the Halifax city council to draw up plans and specifications for the new school building. Mr. Fairm is highly recommended by the school boards of the towns for which he has planned school buildings.

At the recent Commencement Exercises of Toronto University, Carman B. Johnson, a graduate in Arts of Acadia College, Class 1905, obtained the degree of D. D. S. with first-class honors. Dr. Johnson is expected home this week and will spend a few weeks with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. F. Johnson, at the Methodist parsonage.

## THE MOTOR IN TRURO.

(Truro News.)

Last year the motorists of Truro kept their pledge, which they voluntarily entered into, regarding the running of automobiles. Not one of the six autos, owned in this town, was out of its garage on any Tuesday or Saturday during the summer season. The result was that there was but little complaint from those that frequented the highways with timid horses.

One thing was very noticeable: the horses in and near Truro, where these autos are running most frequently, by degrees are getting used to the machines, and pay but little attention to them. We have hundreds of horses here now that have no more fear of an auto than they have of a bicycle.

In a short time we will all be looking back and laughing at the way we were trying to make ourselves believe that our horses would never get used to these autos.

In a few years, very few indeed, auto runabouts will cost only \$250 or \$300, and then half the country will have these speedy vehicles, and there will be but few horses lined up to get frightened. The farm horses will be resting from their day's hauling and plowing, while their owners will be running into town at the rate of 25 miles an hour to do business; or will be attending churches or going on missions of mercy and kindness—wondering how in the world they or their forefathers ever got along without these speedy vehicles of transportation.

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## Obituary.

MRS. S. HENDERSON.

The death took place on the morning of April 23rd at her home, No. 28 Coburg street, St. John, of Mrs. Eliza Henderson, widow of Mr. Samuel Henderson. Mrs. Henderson was a native of Londonderry, Ireland, but was married in this city and during her long life here had made many friends, who will hear with regret of her death. Mrs. Henderson is survived by six children, three sons and three daughters. The sons are Mr. John Henderson, the popular baggage master at the I. C. R. station, who resides at home; Fred, at Truro; and James, at Danvers, Mass. The daughters are Mrs. Dearness, of Bridgetown, N. S.; Mrs. W. S. Laseelles, of Boston, and Miss Henderson at home. The funeral was held privately on Saturday afternoon following a service at the house at 2.30 o'clock.

## INTOXICATING REGAL.

The Stipendiary Magistrate of Yarmouth gave a decision last week in the case of a man charged with a second offence against the Canada Temperance Act by selling Regal beer made in New Glasgow. The Magistrate said it was an intoxicating beverage, and fined the defendant \$100 and costs.

The fact that the Massachusetts Legislature is voting \$150,000 for the purpose of suppressing the Gypsy and Brown-Tail Moths, suggests a reason for the energy displayed by Secretary Cumming and his department in fighting the Brown Tail pest in Nova Scotia. Prevention is better than cure and a great deal cheaper in this case.

## BRIDGETOWN HAS THEM.

In Montreal a street loafer was fined \$10 and costs, and twenty other corner loafers, such as we are bothered with in Truro, got doses from \$3 and upwards. The first fellow was a recognized loafer, and not well salted. Our authorities will note this. A few healthy fines like that ten dollar crack will stop corner loafing, with its vulgar and unhealthy spitting propensity, entirely in Truro.—News.

## TRYING EXPERIENCE OF N. S. YACHTING PARTY.

Five Chester people had an exciting experience on Sunday night on the Atlantic coast. Alvin Stevens and son, Otis, with three young ladies, left Chester on a yacht sail to Tanook. In some way they became lost between Red Bank and the Bulls and they were obliged to anchor and lay to all night. There was no fuel on board the vessel and to keep from freezing, the passengers had to chop up the yacht's plank platform. On Monday morning, however, they reached their destination.

## BORN

APT.—At Granville Ferry, May 1st, to the wife of Capt. William Apt, a son.

RONEY.—At Granville Ferry, May 2nd, to the wife of Frank E. Roney a daughter.

ANDERSON.—At Bridgetown, April 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Avard L. Anderson, a son.

## DIED

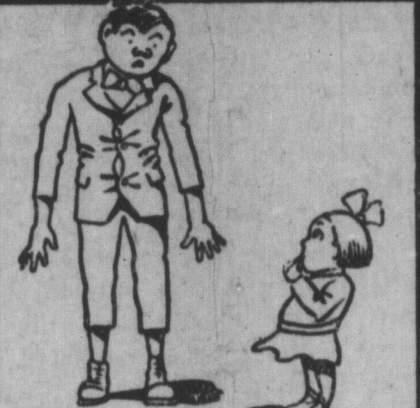
VROOM.—At Bridgetown, April 19th. Mrs. Elma Vroom, aged 85 years.

FRASER.—At Granville Centre, May 1st, Mrs. Annie Fraser, aged 50 years.

BENT.—At Granville, April 21st, of blood poisoning, Walter V. Bent, aged 6 years, 4 months.

## WHAT MY NEAREST NEIGHBOR SAYS.

Mrs. R. R. Swanburg, of Shelburne, N. S., says, "I believe Reed's Earth Cure (which is much talked of here), to be the best household remedy we have. I have made a thorough trial of it in my family since Mr. N. H. Reed discovered it three years ago. He is our nearest neighbor and has been for twenty-four years. I am sure he will tell you what is true, as we have found him a peaceable neighbor since coming here. You who care to write me can do so and I will reply."



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## NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

Free Sample Bottle of Liquid Veneer given away at J. H. HICKS & SONS. Get one.

FOR SALE.—Horse, weight, 1,100 pounds. Age, 6 years. Apply to MAX NEWCOMBE.

The most wonderful of all Furniture Polish—Liquid Veneer—for sale at J. H. HICKS & SONS.

The barristers of the town have all agreed to close their law offices on Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock until further notice.

Just received from England one ton of Genuine Matured White Lead. Selling at \$8.00 per 112 lb. ker.—A. R. BISHOP.

FOR SALE—Two doors, half glass. Very strong and suitable for out-buildings.—Rev. E. UNDERWOOD, The Rectory.

J. H. HICKS & SONS are showing in their adv. this week a cut of a very neat Iron Bed at a remarkably low price. Look it up.

FOR SALE.—A Wood and Pasture Lot containing about 50 acres. Apply to MAX D. NEWCOMBE.

## STORE TO LET.

A first-class Store situated at Lawrencetown. Good opening for Dry Goods business. For full particulars apply to

T. PALFREY,  
Lawrencetown,  
Anna, Co.

## NOTICE.

The members of the Bridgetown Tennis and Quilt Club are requested to be present at a meeting to be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall on Monday evening, 10th inst., at 7.30 sharp.

F. R. BECKWITH,  
Secty.-Treas.

FOR SALE.—In Lawrencetown, near the depot on Main Street, a nine-room Cottage and Barn; modern improvements, land under good cultivation, about 100 young apple trees bearing. Apply to

R. H. WHITMAN,  
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No reasonable offer refused. 5 ins.

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1 ASH WOOD BEDSTEAD.  
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Apply at

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Bridgetown, N. S.

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Prices \$6.00 to \$13.50.

## LADIES' WATERPROOF COATS

Made in the Automobile style, light and dark colors, very neat patterns.

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JOHN LOCKETT AND SON



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### Steamship Lines

St. John via Digby  
—AND—  
Boston via Yarmouth  
"Land of Evangeline" Route.

On and After May 1st, 1909, the Steamship and Train Service on this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

#### FOR BRIDGETOWN.

Express from Halifax, ... 12.11 p. m.  
Express from Yarmouth, ... 1.54 p. m.  
Accom. from Richmond, ... 3.20 p. m.  
Accom. from Annapolis, ... 7.20 a. m.

#### Midland Division

Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily, (except Sunday) for Truro at 7.40 a. m., 5.35 p. m., and 6.40 a. m., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, and from Truro at 6.40 a. m., 3.15 p. m., and 12.10 p. m., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday, connecting at Truro with trains of the Intercolonial Railway, and at Windsor with express trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth.

#### Boston Service

Commencing Monday, October 19th the Royal Mail S. S. Boston leaves Yarmouth, N. S., Wednesday and Saturday, immediately on arrival of express trains from Halifax, arriving in Boston next morning. Returning, leaves Long Wharf, Boston, Tuesday and Friday, at 1.00 p. m.

#### S. S. PRINCE ALBERT

Makes daily trips (Sunday excepted) between Parrsboro and Wolfville, calling at Kingsport in both directions.

#### St. JOHN and DIGBY

ROYAL MAIL S. S. YARMOUTH.  
Daily Service (Sunday excepted.)  
Leaves St. John, ... 7.45 a. m.  
Arrives in Digby, ... 10.45 a. m.  
Leaves Digby same day after arrival of express train from Halifax.

P. GIFFINS,  
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#### ARRIVING THIS WEEK

200 m. Cedar and Spruce Shingles,  
60 Casks and Blis Lime (Morrows)  
10 tons Basic Slag  
10 " Provincial Bone  
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We have in stock—  
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75 Bags Coarse Salt

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March 29th, 1909

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Flys, Hooks,  
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## H. & S. W. RAILWAY

Accom.	Time Table in effect	Accom.
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Read down.	Stations	Read up.
11.45	Lv. Middleton A.R.	10.25
12.16	" " "	15.54
12.33	" " "	15.36
13.00	" " "	15.07
13.16	" " "	14.50
13.34	" " "	14.34
13.55	" " "	14.10

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Send now for valuable free booklet.

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Choose from ten pretty Floorglaze colors the enamel you can easily apply. Once on, it won't wear off, nor check, nor flake, nor catch dust. Waterproof, wear-proof, beautiful to see, glossy, sensible. A gallon covers 500 square feet. Comes in tins, from pints to gallons. Any good store sells Floorglaze.

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Complete lines for the Easter trade in Ladies, Patent Boots, Shoes, Slippers and Tan Oxfords at all prices. Our range in Ladies' Fine Slippers is the best for price and quality we have ever had. Also a complete line for Men, Vici, Kid, Patent, and Tan in Bals and Oxfords.

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Annapolis Co. Timothy Seed 6 1-2c per lb.  
Ontario " " 7 1-2c & 8c " "  
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Alsike and White Mixed " " 20c " "  
Brown Top " " 20c " "  
Liberal reduction given on FLOWER and GARDEN SEEDS for Cash.

**J. E. LLOYD, CENTRAL GROCERY**  
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## The Manufacturers' Life

Record for 1908:

Net Premium Income	\$2,119,583.57
Interest and Rents	458,306.61
Total Income	\$2,577,890.18
Payment to Beneficiaries & Policyholders	\$663,047.22
Reserve for Protection of	\$9,428,591.00

Insurance in Force End of 1908 - \$54,287,420.00

No other Can. company has ever equalled this record at the same age

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General Agent, Western Nova Scotia.

OFFICE—MIDDLETON, N. S.

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## Failure is a Disgrace

What an unfortunate thing that the idea should be drilled into the ear of youth everywhere that it is a disgrace to fail—that is, to fail to make money, to accumulate property. It is not a disgrace to fail; but it is a disgrace not to do one's level best to succeed. "Not failure, but low aim is crime."

Multitudes of poor people today who are not known outside of their own little communities are really great successes when measured by all that makes true greatness—their heroic endeavors, their brave battle for years with obstacles, playing a losing game with heroism. Their great patience and wonderful self-control under the criticism of those who do not understand them are evidences that they have succeeded. The possession of a noble character is the greatest evidence in the world that one has succeeded.

On the other hand, if a man has gotten a fortune, but has lost his manhood on the way to it; if he has bartered his good name in the process of getting it, he is still a failure, no matter how much money he may have accumulated.

A clean record is the greatest proof of a success. And how few men who make big fortunes manage to save their good name, to keep their record clean!

The mere possession of money may be no evidence whatever that a man has succeeded. If he cannot control himself; if his aims are low and vulgar; if he is greedy and grasping and selfish; if he takes advantage of others; if he robs others of opportunity; if he has used them as stepping-stones upon which to climb to his fortune, he is a failure measured by all that constitutes a real man—real values that are worth while.—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

Never expect to accomplish a thing without stamina to push it to a successful conclusion.

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Medical attendance, Jail.	8.00
Justices' Fees.	92.35
Constables' Fees.	183.44
Witnesses' Fees.	118.20
Sheriff's Fees and Expenses	94.20
Repairs and Supplies, Court House and Jail.	12.68
Boys at Industrial School.	41.40
Insurance, Court House and Jail, 3 years.	64.00
Books Registrar of Deeds.	52.25
Postage.	4.04
Expenses re Contagious Diseases.	61.22
Copying Books at Registry of Deeds.	100.00
Insane at Nova Scotia Hospital.	486.75
Insane at County Hospital.	1,215.40
Poor at County Home.	427.47
Poor Outside.	69.25
Burials.	10.50

DETAILS	
At Nova Scotia Hospital—	
L. Stronach.	\$172.35
S. Hicks.	177.35
L. Lewis.	137.05
Total.	\$486.75

At County Hospital—	
A. Palea.	52 weeks.
P. Fleet.	52 "
Z. Long.	52 "
J. Milberry.	52 "
S. Spears.	52 "
J. Sims.	52 "
E. Callighar.	52 "
A. McMullen.	52 "
R. Winchester.	52 "
E. Baker.	52 "
L. Best.	46 " to Nov. 19.
J. Saulnier.	2 "
To 618 weeks @ \$1.26 2-3.	\$1,215.40

At County Home—	
E. Bell.	52 weeks.
L. Cramps.	52 "
J. Gear.	52 "
J. Henshaw.	33 3-7 " to Aug. 22
M. Paul.	52 "
A. Videto.	52 "
L. Saulnier.	52 "
To 345 3-7 weeks @ \$1.23 3-4.	\$427.47

Outside Poor—	
J. Pierce.	\$30.25
M. Clarke.	39.00 \$69.25
Burials—	
L. Best.	\$5.25
J. Henshaw.	5.25 \$10.50

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR THE TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Annapolis Co.

Your Committee appointed to settle with the Town of Annapolis Royal for joint liabilities for the year 1908 begs leave to submit its report with statements attached thereto.

We find that the Town of Annapolis Royal is to pay to the Municipality for the services above named the sum of \$832.04 for the year 1908.

Joint expenditure, \$9,980.44  
Proportion Town of Annapolis, 757.04  
Amount for Ferry, 75.00

\$832.04

FRED H. HARRIS,  
Clerk.

W. G. CLARKE,  
Warden Municipality of Annapolis.

Town of Annapolis Royal.  
In joint account with  
The Municipality of Annapolis.

1908. Dr.  
To Education, \$6,594.80

" Subsidy Ferry S. S. Co., 100.00

" 1907. 100.00

" Rent, Court House, Bridge-town, 115.00

" Rent Office Clerk of Crown, 40.00

" Rent Vault Reg. of Probates, 25.00

" Rent Vault and Office of Reg. of Deeds, 120.00

" Salary Clerk of Crown, 50.00

" Salary Jailor, 200.00

" Salary Court Crier, 50.00

" Water, Court House & Jail, 21.00

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## A Menace to Nations.

"With the success that has attended the recent trials of the Zeppelin airship there has come a very grave menace to the maritime nations of the world," said Professor Alexander Graham Bell in St. John Saturday in discussing with The Sun the future of aeronautics.

Dr. Bell spent a few hours in the city en route to Washington, where he will remain for some time before returning to Baddeck for the summer. The distinguished inventor of the telephone has been closely identified with the development of aerial navigation for some years, and his views as expressed to The Sun Saturday form an important contribution to a subject that is a pre-eminent one among the great minds of the scientific world today.

Dr. Bell believes that the future of the Zeppelin type of airship is distinct from that of the aeroplane. Each, he states, has a separate field to exploit and each will have to be reckoned with in the military councils of to-morrow.

The lighter than air machine which has reached a high state of efficiency in the recent German creation is revolutionizing the practice of present day warfare. It is now capable, said Dr. Bell, of carrying twenty-six men, of reaching an altitude of one mile and of remaining in the air for upwards of thirty hours. A fleet of these ships in their present state of development would experience no difficulty in operating from a base in the German empire and in working inconceivable damage within a radius of hundreds of miles. The future of the aeroplane, on the other hand, thinks Dr. Bell, lies in the velocity it is capable of developing. It will probably find its level as a unit in the scouting fleets of the future.

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I was very sick with Quinsy and thought I would strangle. I used MINARD'S LINIMENT and it cured me at once.

I am never without it now.

Yours gratefully,  
MRS. C. D. PRINCE.

Nauwigewauk, Oct. 21st.

## THE VOICE.

The voice which calls the young man from the plow

To shop and office in the distant town,

Cares not whence comes the help it seeks, nor how;

Nor asks, in quest of family renown,

"Boy, who are you?"

For industry cares not for rank or birth,

When seeking strong hands for the many tasks

Which must be done upon this busy earth,

Interpreted aright, the Voice but asks,

"What can you do?"

—Don. Cameron Shafer, in Judge.

## WHAT THE BOY WROTE.

A young man once wrote to his father, saying, "I am well, only I don't feel like making any sort of physical exertion."

Thousands of people feel exactly like that young man—and they are not lazy people, either. They are, generally, dyspeptics, with a first touch of Indigestion; they need a short course of Mother Seigel's Syrup, to put their stomach, liver and bowels into healthy activity, so that their food will nourish and strengthen them. Mr. George J. Henry, of Shippigan P.O., Gloucester Co., N.B., who suffered for years from Dyspepsia, writes: "I became weak and almost unable to work. After trying many medicines without success I took several bottles of Mother Seigel's Syrup and it gave me relief at once. I recommend it as much superior to all other medicines for stomach troubles."—Price 60 cts. per bottle. Sold everywhere. A. J. White & Co., Ltd., Montreal.



# THE HOME

## THE HOUSEWIFE AND SPRING FEVER.

Most women wish they had the butterfly capacity of taking flight with the first hot days, which, with spring even now proclaiming its advent, are not so far off. When the sun warms up the frozen earth, meal-ordering, dusting and mending become sordid drudgery.

Since few can get free from duty even when lassitude weighs heavy on the spirits, what is to be done to make housekeeping duties more endurable until the warm days become by use endurable? The woman who has had the care of a house all the winter should try to take a few days off in the spring. She needs the rest, and her house will run more smoothly for taking it. Change of air is preferable, but if that is out of the question, she should rest at home.

Shirk some of the daily tasks, tell the family you are going to take a holiday, then take it by sitting wrapped up in a steamer chair or lying on a cot with every window open, better yet on a sheltered porch. Sleep if you can; if not, drink in the fragrant spring air and doze the hours away.

An old housekeeper found a young friend tired and discouraged last spring. Life seemed a burden to the girl, she had grown capricious, husband and babies bored her. "You are worn out," said the woman: "go away for a week and life will seem less drab."

"Can't afford it!" replied the young wife; "the family would think me crazy to take a holiday in spring."

The older woman, knowing the young couple had come to a period in their lives when worn nerves meant crusty tempers and future unhappiness, asked the girl to visit her for two days, living but a few streets apart though they did. The change and rest from household worries transformed the younger woman, which so pleased her hostess that she straightway opened her home to other friends who were worn out by a winter of housekeeping.

Another way to fight the effect of the season is to lighten the diet for a time. Heavy foods as the weather warms up make the liver sluggish, the brain heavy, and the body inactive. Instead of eating as much as during the winter, reduce it almost to vanishing point for a week or so, serve plenty of greens, salads and fruits and energy will return.

Reduce social engagements for a few days—spring fever is often nothing but nature's protest against over exertion. Take life easily instead of getting into a mad whirl of cleaning; or if you must clean do it by degrees so that strength is not exhausted.

When a woman feels that life is a dreary burden, it is the greatest mistake in the world to try and "work it off" over the stockin' basket; take a rest instead.

When "spring fever" passes the bounds of mere lassitude, when the seeming effort becomes an actual agony, see a doctor; probably a tonic is required.

## GROWING OLD GRACEFULLY.

Mrs. Jennie Lozier, M. D., has been talking to her fellow-members of the Clio Club in New York on growing old gracefully. Here are some of the things she said:

"Physicians say that a person is as old as his arteries, and metaphysicians declare that one is only as old as his mental attitude. But I can tell you that no matter what one's state of mind, the hair will turn grey and the crow's feet gather around the eyes. A man says that he cannot tell a woman's age, but when she gets three traverse wrinkles across the forehead she is 27; when she gets two or three perpendicular wrinkles between the eyebrows she is 44, and then she begins to put on glasses.

"Those first wrinkles are the first touches of the artist Time, who paints yearly with a finer and finer pencil, writing character on the face," said Mrs. Lozier. "And what a dread full thing it would be without! But we can consider how we can defer a painful and unlovely old age: Old age is the time when the building materials of the body become unnecessary, accumulate around the joints and the arteries, and that is what the doctor means who says that we are as old as our arteries. We put on more adipose, and there is an old saying, 'If thou wilt keep thy age less than thine meals.'"

"When there are signs of age coming on that is the time when the body should receive extra care. Marion Harland has said that as one grows old one should not lengthen

one's arm. That means if you drop a spool of thread do not reach a long distance to get it; get up and walk to it and take the exercise. Exercise and exercises are necessary to keep the body agile. The eye must be looked after: never read in a bad light, and never, never, sew on anything black at night.

"Simplicity should be the rule in dress, and the colors should match the hair and complexion, and so pleasant an impression will be created that no one will notice the effects of age.

"One thing I like about club women is that they never talk of a woman's age or her money. And a woman growing old should avoid too much jewellery. What is more dreadful than a quantity of rings on a hand old and misshapen?"

## CAUSES OF CONSUMPTION.

Anything that exhausts the nervous system is a pre-disposing cause of consumption, loss of sleep, alcoholic beverages, tea, coffee, and tobacco anything that is taken to quiet the nerves, thus making them do more work than they are able, all help to pre-dispose to tuberculosis. Excessive use of tobacco may pre-dispose by weakening the heart's action. As a good vigorous heart action is of great value in maintaining a normal standard of health, and normal health is the best bulwark against tuberculosis.

The conditions under which the poor live are conducive to consumption. Old filthy carpets remain on the floor for years without being properly cleaned, the paper on the walls, if removed at all, is put on layer after layer, as it is the easiest way, often six or seven layers on a wall, each teeming with microbes of various sorts. The consumptive poor often move out of a house, and no investigation is made by their landlord as to the health of those going out, and some member of the family moves in is almost sure to get an implantation.

Over work is largely responsible for the high death rate from consumption. All diseases are more readily contracted after fatigue than at any other time. Pneumonia is almost always contracted after fatigue. When people are sick with acute diseases they go to bed in order to give their bodies a chance of throwing off the disease. When they have tuberculosis they work as usual, thus giving up the energy that should be saved to help throw off the disease.

## WELL TO KNOW.

In mixing a mustard poultice add the white of an egg instead of water, and, although the effect will be the same, it will not blister the skin. Ointments should always be kept in a cool place, for if the lard becomes rancid, serious irritation may result in the case of skin diseases for which they are prescribed.

For rheumatism try the very simple cure of hot water. Take at least a pint before retiring at night. The object of taking hot water late at night is that during the hours you are resting and the digestion is not being tried, the boiling water can do its work on the gastric juices.

To prevent cake from sticking to tins when baked, grease the tins, then dust them with flour, leaving only what sticks to the grease. This does away with the old-fashioned method of lining the tins with greased paper.

Instead of throwing away the peels of oranges and lemons, put them in to the jug on the washstand. This will give the water a delightful perfume, besides softening it until it is equal to rain water for the complexion.

To freshen stale cake, dip it for a second in cold milk and then rebake it in a rather cool oven. Cake that has been treated in this way will taste as if it has been newly baked, and may be eaten by anyone. Stale bread may be treated in the same way.

## CIGARETTE POISON.

Several leading physicians of Philadelphia condemn cigarette smoking as one of the vilest and most destructive evils that ever befell the youth of our country, declaring that its direct tendency is a deterioration of the race. One of the doctors says that within a week he had two patients who had been made blind by cigarettes.

The cigarette manufacturers are making imbeciles by the thousands. When the cigarette fiend draws the smoke down into his lungs the poison from it gets into his blood. In youth the bones are soft and the nerves and muscles weak, therefore this poison acts on them quickly and takes away the strength of both mind and body.

Sometime ago in Auburn State Penitentiary 500 out of 600 criminals confessed that they had begun the career which brought them there by the tobacco habit. It is the nicotine of the tobacco that does the mischief and the inhaling habit that makes the cigarette worse than the pipe or cigar.

If any of us would take the trouble to go through this beautiful valley of ours we would find many town and country store keepers who are selling tobacco in different forms to boys as well as men, and in that way being the cause of hundreds of boys learning the habit, and many of these dealers are prominent members of churches.—Exchange.

## CHRIST WITH US.

(By Edwin Markham.)

"Inasmuch as ye did it unto the least of these, ye did it unto Me," I cried aloud, "There is no Christ in all this world unparadised! No Christ to go to in my need—No Christ to comfort me and feed! He passed in glory out of sight. The Angels drew Him into light: Now in the lonesome earth and air I can not find Him anywhere. Would God that Heaven were not so far And I were where the White Ones are!"

Then from the gray stones of a street Where goes an ocean drift of feet, I heard a child's cry tremble up. And turned to share my scanty cup. When lo, the Christ I thought was dead

Was in the little one I fed! At this I drew my aching eyes From the far-watching of the skies: And now which ever way I turn I see my Lord's white halo burn!

Where ever now a sorrow stands, 'Tis mine to heal His nail-ton hands In every lonely lane and street, 'Tis mine to wash His wounded feet—'Tis mine to roll away the Stone And warm His heart against my own.

Here, here, on Earth I find it all—The young archangels white and tall, The Golden City and the doors! And all the shining of the floors! —From Women's Home Companion.

## SCHOOL HYGIENE.

Interesting comparisons between infant schools in England and abroad are made in a special report issued by the Board of Education.

In France and Belgium the child must be sent clean, its hair must be well brushed, its shoes cleaned, its stockings drawn up, its linen changed on Mondays and Thursday, and failure to comply with these regulations means dismissal.

The regulations about the children's dinners are more hygienic than in England. Every child who has to stay at school through the day is obliged to bring its food properly in a basket. The baskets are kept neatly labelled on a special shelf in an airy place. "Our children," says the report, "are still bringing their dinners in dirty pieces of newspapers."

Both France and Belgium are omitting reading, writing, and arithmetic from the subjects taught in the infant schools. Skipping and ball games take up a considerable part of the school time.

## HOT ONIONS CURE FOR PNEUMONIA.

Hot onions, according to a French physician, are a sure cure for pneumonia. The remedy is as follows: Take six or ten onions, according to size, and chop fine, put in a large pan over a fire, then add the same quantity of rye meal and vinegar enough to make a thick paste. In the meantime stir it thoroughly, letting it simmer for five or ten minutes. Then put a cotton bag large enough to cover the lungs and apply to chest as hot as patient can bear. In about ten minutes apply another, and thus continue by reheating the poultices, and in a few hours the patient will be out of danger. This simple remedy has never failed to cure this too often fatal malady. Usually three or four applications will be sufficient.

## LIFE'S TAPESTRY.

My life is but a weaving, Between my God and me; I may but choose the colors— He worketh steadily. Full oft He weaveth sorrow; And I in foolish pride Forget He sees the upper And I the under side. —Anon.

If oil is spilled on the carpet, immediately scatter cornmeal over it and the oil will be absorbed. Oil that has soaked into the carpet may be taken out by laying a thick piece of blotting paper over it and pressing with a hot flatiron; repeat the operation, using a fresh piece of paper each time.

Some people make it a point never to retire without a light burning in the house. A bit of information

worth knowing in this respect is, that a small, even light may be obtained from a small piece of candle all night if fine powdered salt is piled around the candle until the back part of the wick is reached.

## BEDROOM EXERCISES.

With the spring tonic as much open air exercise as possible is a good ally. If time is lacking for the long walks in the country, that are the ideal exercise at this time of the year, when things are coming up in the woods and birds returning from the warmer parts, try the system of fresh-air exercise in the bedroom on getting up and before breakfast. With the windows thrown wide, and in loose clothing, the following from The New York Times might be taken:

First—Arms. Describe a circular movement with each arm ten times in succession. Extend the arms forward, outward and upward fifteen times. Take six or eight deep breaths between the series.

Second—Waist. Move the waist in a circular direction, the hands resting on the hips, fifteen times, first in one direction, then in another. Sway the upper part of the body slowly.

Third—Legs. Extend the legs as nearly at right angles with the body as possible. Do each leg ten times, taking six or eight deep breaths between the series.

Fourth—Knee and foot. Extend the leg and bend each foot ten times in succession. Bend each knee rapidly fifteen times. Breathe deeply six or eight times between series.

Fifth—Chest muscles. Perform the motion of sawing fifteen times. Raise each arm swiftly and rapidly, as if throwing a lance, ten times. Throw out the arms simultaneously fifteen times. Take six or eight deep breaths.

Sixth—Abdominal muscles. Stand erect, raise arms overhead, bring them to floor with knees unbent, fifteen times.

These exercises should not take more than fifteen minutes, but will be found helpful, particularly to those leading a sedentary life.

Much exercise fails in results because it is undertaken injudiciously. Too great enthusiasm is as bad as too little. It may even be worse, as over-exercising is to be deplored.

No woman should exercise to the limit of her strength. If she feels exhausted or is in pain at the end of her exercising period, the number of movements should be lessened or discontinued for a time.

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This is a new preparation and a good one. It is especially valuable as a cure for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and for the relief from pain which it affords in acute inflammatory rheumatism. Those who have used it have invariably spoken of it in the highest terms of praise. Lame back, lame shoulder and stiff neck are due to rheumatism of the muscles, usually brought on by exposure to cold or damp, and are quickly cured by applying this liniment freely and massaging the affected parts. Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is allayed by this liniment. For sale by

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### Lawrencetown.

Miss Pearl Moore returned from her American trip last week.

Miss Hardy, of Granville Ferry, is the guest of Miss Pickels.

Mrs. C. B. Whitman has been confined to her bed for two weeks.

Mr. Lowell's house is about completed and he will occupy it soon.

Rev. Brown and Rev. Johnson, of Bridgetown, exchanged pulpits last Sabbath.

Mrs. O. P. Goucher, of Middleton, spent Saturday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe.

The Bishop will hold confirmation in the Church of England here on the 16th at 3 p. m.

Mr. A. B. Vance, of Halifax, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. S. C. Hall, on Monday.

The heavy rain storm last Saturday night improved the roads a great deal.

The Band gave an open air concert and parade on Monday evening, which was much enjoyed.

Services for Sunday, May 9th—Baptist, 11 a. m.; Episcopal, 11 a. m.; Methodist, 7.30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKeown have removed from Annapolis and will occupy half of his father's house at Brickton.

Mrs. Patterson, of Farmington, who has spent the winter in New York, is now the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Bent.

F. M. Whitman, who met with an accident while on the road for Phinney & Co., is confined to his bed and is quite seriously injured.

Mr. Claude Balcom, of Margaretville, rendered delightful solos at the morning and evening sessions in the Baptist Church last Sabbath.

Rev. E. E. England was in town on Monday. His many friends were glad to see him. His daughter, Miss Lillian, is reported to be very low.

Rev. Bagnell preached an excellent and forcible sermon for and to the children on Sunday morning last. It was enjoyed by the young folk, as well as the older ones.

Mrs. Beals died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Balcom, on Sunday last at an advanced age. Besides Mrs. Balcom she leaves three sons, Henry, Arthur, and Milledge, all of Inglesville. The funeral takes place on Tuesday afternoon.

### Lower Granville

Mr. Williams, of Lynn, is visiting Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Robert Hudson.

Robert J. Blair went to Yarmouth on Monday to attend the Marine Examinations.

Frank Ritchie, of Annapolis, purchased a fine driving horse of Victor J. Porter this week.

Mr. Molloy, of Lynn, has been spending his vacation with Mrs. Molloy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Connors.

David I. Wade, son of the late Robert P. Wade, passed a very creditable examination before the Marine Board at Yarmouth recently, and was awarded a second mate's certificate of foreign sea-going ships. He left, immediately after the examination, for Boston and sailed as second officer of the S. S. Limon of the United Fruit Company for Port Limon, Costa Rica. Three years ago our young friend began his career on the sea on this same ship, then in command of Capt. L. H. Porter. We congratulate him upon his success and hope he continues to advance.

### Tupperville.

Clarence Bent is home from the United States.

Quantities of lumber are being loaded on the D. A. R. cars these days.

S. D. James is busy grafting and pruning orchards in Granville and other places.

N. M. Smith, photographer, is again a neighbor, having moved back from Granville.

### Annapolis.

Miss Margaret Wood returned to Boston on Saturday.

Miss Brown, of South Farmington, is the guest of Mrs. E. Potter.

Mr. O. T. Daniels, M. P. P., is in town attending Probate Court.

F. W. Pickels and his son, Jack, returned on Saturday from a trip to New York.

Mr. H. H. Wickwire, K. C., of Kentville, has been in town this week on legal business.

Rev. J. Lockwood, of Clementsport, exchanged pulpits with Rev. H. How on Sunday last.

Mrs. F. C. Whitman and Misses C. and E. Whitman returned home on Saturday, after spending a couple of months in Bermuda.

Mr. L. M. W. How, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been transferred to Banff from Vermilion, Alberta.

A new water tank is being constructed by the D. A. R. Company in their yard by the down town station, which is to take the place of the standpipe now used for watering the engines.

Mrs. E. S. Blackie and three of her children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Blackie, returned to their home in Halifax on Thursday. Miss Violet Blackie will remain here with her grandparents.

Mr. Ned Lynch, who has been spending a few months at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch, left on Wednesday last for Halifax, having accepted the position as third engineer on the S. S. "Okoma."

Last week was Convocation Week at Dalhousie University and the three students from Annapolis Royal did exceedingly well. In first year, Law, Dan Owen passed, making distinctions in torts, crimes, and contracts. In first year, Dentistry, A. B. Crowe passed, making distinctions in anatomy. In second year, Medicine, Hal Atlee passed, making distinctions in anatomy, histology, and physiology.

The students of the County Academy are busy preparing for a tea which they intend holding on Friday next in the Academy of Music, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the Library Fund. After the supper it is intended to have a dance. Mitchell's orchestra having been engaged for the occasion. It is to be hoped the people of this district will show their interest in this undertaking of our students, which means for them a lot of work and for which enterprise they deserve great credit.

### Springfield.

Mrs. I. W. Roop is ill with la-grippe.

J. F. Bent, of Digby, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Miss Ena Tretheway, of New Germany, has secured a music class here.

Mrs. John Mullock, senior, had the misfortune of falling and breaking her arm on April 25th.

Mr. Charles and Miss Pearl Roop attended the funeral of the late Mr. Samuel Roop, of Middleton.

The death of Mr. John Roop occurred at the home of his son, Jacob on Tuesday last, at the advanced age of 83 years.

### Granville Ferry.

Mr. Bernard Dolan went to Halifax on Saturday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. (Capt.) Edward Berry went to Halifax on Monday to meet her husband, Capt. Berry, of the tern schr. Evelyn, who is now at that port.

The S. S. Granville tooted her farewell whistle to this place on Friday last as she left for St. John to go on the route between there and St. Andrew's Bay ports, where she will be known as the S. S. Connor Bros. She has plied regularly each week between here and St. John for five years and did good service. The new Granville will be ready for service in a few weeks, during which time the S. S. George L., of Digby, will take her place.

### Port Wade

Victoria Beach fishermen report piling.

Mrs. Wiswall Covert is slowly convalescing from her recent severe illness.

Some farmers have had quite a lot of garden seeds planted ten days ago, the weather since being a little severe for early vegetation.

Ralph Hayden traded his oxen a few days since, with Stewart Mills, Stony Beach, and brought home a fine pair of three-year-old steers.

Mr. James Nelson is very ill at this writing. Dr. Smith is in attendance. Wallace, son of the former, is expected home from Lynn this week.

Anniversary Division is holding some interesting sessions, and it is earnestly hoped that all conscientious Christians will unite with the Society in the dissemination of temperance principles.

L. H. Elliott, of Mount Hanley, made a short call at the home of A. B. Kendall Saturday and also visited the big pier. He, like many others, considers it remarkable both in length and workmanship.

Frank Mussells and James McWhinnie are now fishing in their new power boat, which is a beauty. Capt. D. Hayden accompanied them on a trial trip to Digby and return, and unites with the owners in pronouncing her up-to-date.

Schooner Onward, Capt. G. Johnson, sailed last Tuesday for Boston on second trip, laden with wood and halibut fishing very good. John and Roy Casey stocked \$200.00 in the last two weeks. Can any other correspondent beat this?

Capt. E. Keans went to Weymouth last week to assist in placing the engines and machinery in the new ferry boat, the "Port Wade." Capt. William McGrath will go down this week and together they will bring the boat here when she will go on duty immediately after inspection.

Mr. Edwin Mussells, who is now retiring from the ferry and mail service between this port and Digby has been carrying passengers and mail for twenty years and in all this time has not been obliged to stop over at Digby on account of rough water or storm. In the past there has only been a bi-weekly mail. Mr. Mussells has made from four to six trips per week in the summer alone, and in winter assisted by his son James. He is now about 75 years of age. When the new boat goes on we will have a daily mail service, which will bring us in closer touch with Digby by five hours.

The writer in conversation a few days since with the oldest man in our locality, Mr. James Anthony, who is 92 years of age on the 7th day of June next, said that when a young man, about 60 or 65 years ago, he was sailing a coasting vessel between Nova Scotia ports and Boston, when at one time he loaded hard wood at 90 cents per cord at Deep Brook, but that the common price at that time was a Mexican dollar. He notes the change since then, that we now pay \$1.00 for getting it cut and it brings \$4.00 on the local market. Though afflicted some with rheumatism, the old gentleman has sawed, split and stored away nearly twenty cords of stove wood during the past winter and spring, beside doing other work.

### Port Lorne

Mr. Alvin Anthony has gone to Boston for an indefinite period.

Mr. Young Anthony spent last week in St. John on a business trip.

Schooner Mayflower, Capt. Chute, was in here for a harbor last week.

Mr. William Green and Mr. William Sabean arrived home from sea on Friday last.

Mrs. S. M. Beardsley, of Halifax, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Anthony, for a few days.

Mr. Edward Spicer, of Canning, who has been caulking schooner Maudie, left for home on Wednesday last.

Mr. Willoughby Anthony, of Bridgetown, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anthony.

### Clementsvale

Messrs. Fred Woodland and Frank Brown left for Boston last week.

Mrs. V. Long went to Paradise on Saturday to visit friends.

Mr. Charles H. Daniels, agent for organs, was in this place during the week.

The Rev. J. H. Balcom again occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday. He intends holding a series of special meetings during the week.

Miss Annie Pyne, daughter of Mr. Thomas Pyne, of Princepsale, was united in marriage to Mr. Fred Robar, of Virginia, on May 2nd.

Miss Cunningham gave a very interesting discourse, on Japan missions on Tuesday evening, April 27th in the Methodist church.

### More About Electric Lighting

(continued from page 1.)

signed the resolution of April 5th and that they might continue to use the lights after May 8th if the current was not disconnected by Mr. Beckwith, a second paper was circulated among them and every one who signed the first signed the second with two exceptions and they were not asked.

**RESOLUTION.**

We, whose names are subscribed hereto, hereby agree to turn off and not to use any electric light in our houses, stores, hotels, or other buildings now supplied to us by Mr. Beckwith or the Bridgetown Electric Light, Heat and Power Co., Ltd., after the 8th day of May, 1909, in case Mr. Beckwith, or the said Company, refuse to disconnect the same as requested by the resolution passed by the public meeting on the 5th day of April, 1909, and signed by us and served upon Mr. Beckwith and the Company by F. L. Milner, Esq., our attorney, on the 7th day of April, 1909, unless Mr. Beckwith or the Company adopt the new schedule for lighting, referred to in said resolution, on or before the said 8th day of May, 1909.

Bridgetown, April 23rd, 1909.

Every signer expressed himself as determined to stick to the original resolution and meant what he said.

On the 3rd instant, the following letter was received from Mr. Beckwith by Mr. DeWitt, one of the Light Committee, and the following reply has been sent.

Bridgetown, N. S., May 3rd, 1909.

Messrs. The Town of Bridgetown, Bridgetown, N. S.

Dear Sirs:

Referring to our conversation respecting sale of Electric Light plant, the Bridgetown Electric Light Company, Limited, is willing to sell its plant and franchises to you at a price to be mutually agreed upon, or, failing to agree upon a price, by arbitration should you so desire.

Yours truly,

The Bridgetown Electric Light and Power Company, Limited,  
per J. W. BECKWITH, Manager.

Bridgetown, N. S., May 4th, 1909.

The Bridgetown Electric Light, Heat and Power Co., Ltd.  
Bridgetown, N. S.

Gentlemen:

I have been requested by the Electric Light Committee of the town council of the town of Bridgetown to acknowledge receipt of your favor of the 3rd inst., addressed to The Town of Bridgetown.

I am instructed by the Committee to say to you that your letter does not contain the necessary information to enable them to deal intelligently with the question of the purchase of your electric light plant by the town. In your interview with the Committee on the 3rd day of April last you told them that you were willing to sell and promised to give them your value of the plant within one month. Your letter does not give any value but only repeats what you said at the interview referred to. The Committee require a value from you to submit to the ratepayers of the town.

I am further instructed by the Committee to say that if you will enter into a contract to furnish lights to the town and its citizens according to the terms of the proposal submitted to you by the town council in my letter to you July 15th last and referred to in the resolution signed by the citizens and served upon you on the 13th day of April last for one year from date and at the same time submit to the Committee a value for your plant, the Committee will place before the ratepayers and if they decide that the town should buy the plant the town council will apply for the necessary legislation when the legislature next meets.

Pending negotiations for a purchase you are to furnish lights at the reduced rates submitted to you for one year as requested by the citizens and by the town council.

I am also requested by consumers of electric light who signed the resolution dated the 5th day of April, 1909, and for whom I was acting as their attorney, to ask you to at once let them or make known whether you intend to adopt the reduced tariff referred to after the 8th instant or not as they are entitled to a reasonable notice for making the necessary preparations for lighting otherwise if the electric current is turned off.

By order,

F. L. MILNER,  
Town Clerk.

It will be noticed by the above that Mr. Beckwith in this letter does not give the Committee or the town any further information than he gave them on April 3rd, although he has taken a full month to give a value as he promised.

I make this full explanation to enable the citizens to place the blame where it belongs in this matter and to show those signing the resolution just the position of affairs.

In conclusion I might say that the Committee are now negotiating with one or two light firms to send representatives here this week to discuss a new system of street lighting with the town council and there will be an opportunity for the citizens to install cheap lights.

W. R. CALDER,  
Chairman of Light Committee.

### Upper Granville

Mrs. Miller is moving for a season into her cottage in Granville.

Mrs. Hunt, of Grand Pre, has returned to Burnside Farm for a season.

Mrs. R. Newcombe is visiting her brother at Digby and sister at Sandy Cove.

The dyke on marsh land belonging to Mr. James Gilliat suffered considerably by recent high tides and is now being repaired and put in better shape.

The epidemic of house-cleaning is abating, and the men, of course being the greatest sufferers from this yearly upheaval, are recovering their usual equanimity.

April has proved a spring month as hoped and has given us two heavy snow storms which, like many other blessings, brighten as they depart. We look forward with hope to May being more genial in temperature.

### CELEBRATES HIS 88TH BIRTHDAY.

On the evening of April 30th, a large number of guests were entertained at the home of "Uncle" Robert Marshall, of Clarence, to celebrate his eighty-eighth birthday. The annual event is considered of great interest, for our aged friend is one of the links binding past and present together. He has been identified with the fathers in founding schools, churches, etc. His homestead is one typical of industry and affluence. The church of which he is a member has been and is still honored with his prayerful interest. All the presiding pilgrims of church and state have been delighted with true "Bluenose" hospitality. In this the daughters of the house should have equal honor with the father. This year the old-time program was carried out—congratulations, speeches, banquet, farewell good wishes, song and prayer. Our beloved friend bids fair to celebrate several more similar occasions.

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The old one is worn and shabby and when the spring cleaning is done is the time to replace the old one with one of our New Carpets or Squares.

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—OR—  
FRONT DOOR PANELS  
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Also Ruffled by the yard.

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A splendid assortment  
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## Linoleums & Oilcloths

3/4 yard Track Oilcloth  
4-4, 6-4, & 8-4 "  
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8-4 LINOLEUMS  
The kind that wears.  
90c, \$1.10 and \$1.25 per yard

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