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Geological Survey to Map Canada's Mineral Wealth

Under the direction of O. E. Le Roy, who is in charge of field work to geology, a large number of parties will be carrying on detailed geological investigations, reconnaissance and exploratory work throughout the country.

The examination and a real mapping of the gold-bearing series of Nova Scotia, as developed in portions of Queens and Shelburne Counties, will be continued by E. R. Fairbank. W. A. Bell will complete the investigation and a real mapping of the Windsor and Horton series in the vicinity of Windsor, Nova Scotia, and a palaeontological study of the Windsor and Point Edward series between St. Ann Harbor and Glass Bay Hill be carried on by J. H. Hyde. J. W. Goldthwait will continue a physiographical survey of Nova Scotia, giving particular attention to problems arising from glaciation. F. H. H. McLearn will complete a field study of the Silurian system at Arisaac.

WORK IN NEW BRUNSWICK.

In New Brunswick A. O. Hayes will complete his work in the St. John area, making a special study of materials suitable for building stone and road metal. The mapping of the Moncton area will be completed by W. J. Wright, who will investigate the geological relations of the oil fields. Palaeontological investigation will be conducted in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec and Ontario by E. M. Kindle, and in Quebec and New Brunswick by L. D. Burling.

QUEBEC PROVINCE.

In Quebec both exploratory and detailed work will be carried on. H. C. Cooke will explore Broadback river from Evans Lake to James Bay, including the route between Evans and Gull lakes. R. Harvie will complete a geological section across Broome County and make a general reconnaissance of the serpentine belt of the Eastern Townships. M. E. Wilson will continue the study of the geology of the Buckingham district, giving special attention to the deposits of graphite, apatite and mica. The geology of Mount Royal will be further studied by J. A. Bancroft, the economic possibilities of the granites of the south-eastern part of the Eastern Townships will be investigated by A. Mailhot and a geological reconnaissance of a part of the Harriean basin will be made by T. L. Tanton.

IRON DEPOSITS OF ONTARIO.

In Ontario an examination will be made of the iron deposits of the townships of Lount by W. H. Collins who will also make a study of the pre-Cambrian formations between Sudbury and Lake Huron. W. A. Johnston will complete the mapping of the Lake Simcoe district and of the calcareous drift areas between Rainy Lake and the Lake of the Woods. J. Keele and N. B. Davies will carry on investigations of the clay and shale deposits of Ontario, with relation to the industries based upon these. The investigation of materials suitable for road metal will be in charge of L. Reinecke, who will confine his attention this year prin-

cipally to occurrences in Ontario and Quebec. N. Y. Williams will continue a study of the Silurian rocks of southwestern Ontario, giving special attention to those formations important in the manufacture of cement, lime, building stone and road metal. Certain mineral areas of Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces will be examined by S. Brunton and C. W. Robinson and search will be made for radioactive minerals.

THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES.

Exploratory reconnaissance and detailed work will be conducted in the prairie provinces. C. Camell will make an exploratory geological traverse between Black Bay on Lake Athabaska and Christie bay on Great Slave Lake. D. B. Bowling will make general examinations of the coal deposits of Western Canada, while B. Rose will study the coal deposits, the clays and sands of southern Saskatchewan. A geological reconnaissance of a belt along the north shore of Lake Athabaska will be made by F. J. Aleock and special attention will be devoted to areas of probable economic importance. The area of the reported gold discoveries in the vicinity of Lake Amisk will be examined by E. L. Bruce, who will make a reconnaissance of the belt of country extending east from Lake Amisk to the Hudson Bay railway. A. MacLean will map the Pembina Mountain area in southwestern Manitoba, while R. C. Wallace will complete his investigation of the gypsum deposits and associated minerals and springs of the province. Geological investigations have been carried on for some time by S. E. Slipper in the Sheep River area southwest of Calgary, where boring operations are being actively prosecuted. These investigations will be continued and a real mapping undertaken. Charles H. Sternberg and his sons, collectors and preparators in vertebrate palaeontology, will be collecting vertebrate fossils again this year, probably from the Belly River formation on Red Deer river.

YUKON TERRITORY.

J. A. Allan will complete geological field work in the Rocky Mountain park and along the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway between Banff and Golden. A general geological reconnaissance in Yukon territory between Dalton Post and Canyon City, including the Lake Aishik country will be made by D. D. Cairnes, and a more detailed examination will be made of all promising mineral localities. C. W. Drysdale will study the ore deposits of Ymir camp and do some preliminary work in the silver-lead area of the Windermere district. The investigation of the coal deposits of Graham Island will be completed by J. D. MacKenzie, who will also map the Flathead coal basin. R. G. McConnell will be engaged in mapping and conducting geological investigations along the Grand Trunk Pacific railway in the Hazelton-Albermarle district. A detailed examination of the Mesozoic formations along the Crow's Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific railway will be made by P. H. McLearn. S. J. Scha-

held will complete the mapping of the area between the Cranbrook map and Kootenay lake, and will study the silver-lead ore bodies at Ainsworth and the recently discovered tin deposit in the Lardeau district. J. S. Stewart will map the coal-bearing formations comprised in the Flathead and Crow's Nest map sheets.

TOPOGRAPHY

Under the direction of W. H. Boyd, chief topographer, topographical mapping will be carried on at various points throughout the country. Certain pieces of work that were initiated last year will be carried to completion. These are the New Glasgow map sheet by E. H. MacKay on a scale of 2,000 feet to one inch, and a contour interval of ten feet; the Theford map sheet by E. A. Hibbs on a scale of one mile to one inch, and a contour interval of twenty feet and the Flathead sheet by A. C. T. Sheppard. S. C. McLean will complete the Similkameen triangulation via Okanagan lake to the Railway Belt, triangulation connection between the International Boundary and the main line of the Canadian Pacific railways and furnishes the control for surveys in the Similkameen and Okanagan districts.

Considerable new topographic work is being undertaken. A control traverse is being run by S. C. McLean in Southern Nova Scotia. A. C. Haultain will make a transit and micrometer eye-piece survey of Lake Athabaska, on a scale of four miles to one inch. This survey will serve as the hub control for all exploratory surveys in the surrounding country. Mapping of the Sheep River area, on a scale of one mile to one inch, and a contour interval of ten feet, will be done by E. E. Freeland. This includes townships 19 and 20 and the southern third of 21, in ranges 2 and 3, west of the 5th Meridian, the area in which boring operations are being actively prosecuted. A. C. T. Sheppard will map in the Crow's Nest district, an area of 1,500 square miles, lying between longitudes 114 and 115 degrees and latitudes 49 degrees, 30' and 50 degrees. The mapping of 1,500 square miles lying between longitudes 113 and 114 degrees and latitudes 51 and 52 degrees and 30', including the portion of the Columbia River Valley between Revelstoke and Downie Creek, as well as the valley of Jordan River, will be done by F. S. Falconer. W. E. Lawson will survey 1,000 square miles of an area extending from the British Columbia-Alaska boundary in a direction parallel to Chilkat River and Rainy Hollow. The northeast corner of the sheet will extend into Yukon.

Botanical work will be done on Vancouver Island and on islands in the Gulf of Georgia, by John Macoun and J. M. Macoun. P. A. Taverner and C. H. Young will study the life and conditions of the fauna of the Maritime Provinces and make collections for scientific studies and exhibition in the Museum. During the summer advantage will be taken of an offer made by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, to seal Perce Rock, Yape Peninsula. Perce Rock is probably one of the few undisturbed breeding grounds of the gannet in America and there is no authentic record that this rock has ever been scaled. Francis Harper

will accompany an exploratory expedition into the country between Athabaska and Great Slave Lakes, under the leadership of C. Camell. This will be a new field for zoological study. C. L. Patch will do some collecting in the vicinity of Ottawa. The field parties of this division will be widely distributed throughout the country. E. Sapir, the chief anthropologist, C. M. Barbeau and F. W. Waugh will, in addition to completing certain reports, attending to office routine and museum work, make occasional field trips. Field work will be carried on among the Ojibwas of the Ojibwa and Manitoba, the Sioux of the Ojibwa, the Inuit of the Ojibwa and the Inuit of the Ojibwa. A. A. Golden will carry on work among the Inuit of Ontario and E. W. Hawkes among the Eskimoes of Labrador. A study will probably be made of the Micmas of the Maritime Provinces by W. H. Mechlign, while J. A. Teit will carry on work among the Interior British and Northern Athabaskan of British Columbia.

Death of a Famous Inventor

George Westinghouse Was One of the Greatest Inventors of Modern Times.

George Westinghouse, who died recently in New York, aged sixty-eight, was one of the greatest inventors of modern times, known all through the world as the inventor of the Westinghouse air brake and many other devices and appliances which have completely revolutionized modern methods of transportation, was born at Central Bridge, Schoharie County New York, on October 8, 1846, the son of George and Emeline Vedder Westinghouse. His father's ancestors came from Germany and settled in Massachusetts and Vermont before the revolution. On his mother's side, he came from Dutch-English stock.

The father of George Westinghouse was a mechanical engineer and an inventor of various mechanical appliances. In 1856 he removed to Schenectady, N. Y., where he established the Schenectady Agricultural Works. Young George received his early education in the public schools of Central Bridge and Schenectady and seemed to have inherited from his father not only love for mechanical science, but also inventive ability. He spent a great deal of his time in his father's factory and became thoroughly familiar with machinery and the mechanical principles upon which they were based. He has only fifteen years old when he made his first invention, a rotary engine, which he afterwards perfected.

As a young man he became interested in military matters and he became a member of the Twelfth Regiment of the New York National Guard. When the Civil War began he enlisted and served in the Sixteenth New York Cavalry from June 1863 until November, 1864, when he became an assistant engineer in the navy, serving on the Muscota and later in the Potomac fleet. After the close of the war he returned to Schenectady and entered Union College for a classical course.

Immediately after his return from the war young Westinghouse took up his mechanical work and studies and in the same year invented a device for placing derailed railroad cars upon the track. He remained in college only to his sophomore year and devoted himself entirely to his work in the machine shop. He was only twenty years of age when he invented the air brake. Going to Troy one day a delay, caused by a collision between two freight trains, suggested to Mr. Westinghouse the idea that a brake under the control of the engineer might have prevented the accident.

In his first experiments, he attempted to use steam for working

the brakes, but the plan was not feasible, as experience showed. An article on the employment of compressed air in drilling the Mont Cenis tunnel suggested to Westinghouse to try compressed air instead of steam in evolving the Westinghouse air brake in its original form.

The first patent on his invention was issued April 13, 1869, and in the following year the Westinghouse Air Brake Company was organized. The inventor found it very difficult at first to introduce his invention. The railroads had little confidence in the possibility of stopping a train with "wind." Westinghouse among other railroad magnates approached Commodore Vanderbilt, but the latter broke off the interview by saying: "I have no time to waste with fools."

Young Westinghouse did not lose his courage, however, and at last succeeded in obtaining the consent of the superintendent of the Steubenville division of the Panhandle railroad to test the air brake on a train of cars. The trial took place in October 1863, and proved a brilliant success. In fact, the air brakes proved the means of preventing a serious collision during the test. After that Mr. Westinghouse had no difficulty in obtaining hearings from railroad officials, and in a few years his air brake was introduced by the railroads throughout the country.

Mr. Westinghouse continued to improve his brake and also made other inventions in railway signals, steam and gas engines, steam turbines, and electrical machinery. He was the pioneer in introducing alternating current machinery in America, which made possible the electrical transmission of water power. He established large works in the United States, England, France and Germany for the manufacture of air brakes and electrical machinery, and became the head of corporations representing a capitalization of more than \$100,000,000 and giving employment to more than 25,000 men.

In recognition of his eminent services to science and industry, foreign governments conferred decorations upon him, scientific societies made him honorary member, and Union College conferred upon him the honorary degree of Ph.D. In August, 1867, he married Marguerite Erskine Walker in Brooklyn, who survives him, together with their only son, George Westinghouse, junior.

Acadia Defeats Mount Allison

Moncton, May 22.—By a total of fifty-six points to thirty-four, Acadia defeated Mount Allison in the Intercollegiate sports on the Moncton Athletic grounds this afternoon. One record went by the board. Higgins of Acadia, broke his own record of 10 feet 9 3/8 inches in the pole vault by going 11 feet 3 1/2 inches. Higgins was the top scorer for Acadia making fifteen points while Grant Smith of St. John headed the list for Mt. Allison with exactly the same number.

The time in the sprints was slow owing to the track being soft. Smith was the star runner of the day and it is understood that he will represent St. John in the annual C.A.A.U. championships in Charlottetown this year.

Big Slump in Potato Prices

A Woodstock, N. B., despatch says:—There has been a slump in the potato market. Dealers here have been advised by their Toronto agents to cease buying as the yards are full of unloaded cars and there are potatoes enough to fill out, as the new stock will soon be coming in. Prices dropped today from \$2 to \$1.50, and are expected to go lower during the week. There are many potatoes yet in the county and several farmers who have been holding for higher prices will be hard hit. It is understood that the dealers are pretty well cleaned out of stock. The American market is low, but Aroostook farmers are receiving \$1.75 a barrel for their stock.

Fredricton Mail: Notices have been posted in the Maryville Cotton Mill to the effect that for the next three months the mill will not run on Friday or Saturday. Depression in the market for manufactured cotton is the cause of the order.

Miss Josephine McLatchy, a former Moncton teacher who won a \$400 scholarship from Yale for two successive years has now won a scholarship from Chicago University.

Lieut. Becker Convicted a Second Time

The Arch Conspirator in the Killing of the New York Gambler, Convicted by a Jury.

New York, May 22.—Twelve men decided today for the second time that Charles Becker was the arch conspirator responsible for the Rosenthal murder, which nearly two years ago awoke New York to a realization of corruption in the police department and opened a new era of police reform.

Becker, once a police lieutenant, was found guilty of murder in the first degree. Only a pardon or interference again by the court of appeals can save him from following to the electric chair the four gunmen who shot Herman Rosenthal, the gambler early on the morning of July 16, 1912. The jury today decided that the gunmen were Becker's agents.

One ballot decided Becker's fate. It was taken almost immediately after the jurors returned from luncheon at an uptown hotel, where they went as soon as Supreme Court Justice Seabury finished his charge. It was unanimous for conviction. Tears streamed down the foreman's face as he announced the decision, and tears stood in the eyes of several other jurymen, but sympathy did not warp their judgment. They had agreed that the corroboration which the district attorney failed to present at the first trial to support the stories of Rose, Vallon and Webber, the three accomplices who turned informers, had been furnished by the new witnesses at the second.

Suffragettes Shout "Shoot the King"

London, May 25.—Shouts of "Shoot the King" filled the hall in which a meeting of the Women's Social and Political Union, the Militant Suffragette organization, was held this afternoon. Every mention of King George's name was greeted with angry derision and prolonged hissing.

Mrs Mildred Ella Mansel, who served a term of imprisonment for breaking windows at the War Office, presided at the Suffragette gathering. She alluded to the scenes at Buckingham Palace on Thursday, when fifty-seven suffragettes, including Mrs Emmeline Pankhurst, were arrested at the gate, and declared that both the Royal name and the Royal office had been disgraced.

"Some day an exasperated crowd will break into procession of militants. What will then happen to you women nobody knows at present. You have to thank the police for being alive; you owe them a debt of gratitude."

Magistrate Hopkins of the Bow Street Police Court, thus addressed a suffragette who had applied for a summons against an unknown man, who, she declared, had struck her in the face when the crown rushed the suffragette meeting in Hyde Park Sunday afternoon, and the police came to the women's rescue.

A Successful Nova Scotia Girl

Miss Bertha Delight Beckwith, a former Berwick lady, is making a name for herself in New York, not only in her chosen profession of nurse, but in music. Miss Beckwith, who is treasurer of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the British Empire, King George V Chapter, recently took a prominent part in one of their well known entertainments. Her musical monologue taken from Kipling was one of the best numbers on the program, according to a New York paper.

CORRESPONDENCE

Editor of Monitor

Sir,—The subjoined clipping may not be without a lesson for the country towns of Nova Scotia. There is, however, no need for boys on the streets here after dark for business purposes as probably there is in large cities for selling newspapers and the like. In the Town's Incorporation Act, Ch. 71 Revised Statutes, Vol. 1, page 593, will be found the paternal authority voted in the Town Council and police officer to protect our boys and girls from the demoralizing influences they are likely to fall under on the public streets and squares, where one bad boy (or worse) one bad girl, may corrupt scores under cover of the night, away from the parental eye. Forgive a stranger for advising the people of Bridgetown to insist on a town by-law to this effect. In Digby the by-law has been in operation for several years, with results creditable to the town, and it is also adopted in Yarmouth. The Mayor of Digby writes: "We have had this curfew law in operation for several years and it is working very well with us. There was some little opposition at first, but that has been overcome, and now we never hear any objection. The younger boys usually leave the streets for home when the hour arrives. A good deal depends upon the police officer. If he does his duty and carries out the instructions given by the Council, there is no reason why the law should not be effective."

Last week a branch of the society for the protection of destitute and neglected children was formed in Annapolis Royal. At the public meeting Mr. Blois, the travelling agent of the Society, explained its object, purposes and methods at some length but I believe no report of the meeting has been given in the local paper. The question of the curfew and its great necessity for the moral welfare of the young was raised by two citizens present. It was explained that the town has such a by-law but the Council has not been able to enforce it as they would wish for want of the support of the parents. It seems likely that this difficulty will be overcome and the old town do its duty to the young.

MENTOR.

BOYS ON THE STREET.

An investigator who reviewed the brief careers of the four gunmen who were electrocuted recently for the murder of Rosenthal, the New York gambler, found one experience common to the four. All had been educated on the streets. From the streets they graduated to the pool-rooms when they were old enough, and none of them was far advanced in his teens before he had displayed some of the evil tendencies that go with a street education. Of late years organized society has come to recognize that it owes a duty to children by providing them with healthful playgrounds, but there are playgrounds, and since the four gunmen were children a dozen years ago they had the opportunity of using these playgrounds. The mere buying of playgrounds will not keep boys off the streets, any more than the opening of tea rooms will keep men out of hotels. We can see this very plainly in our own streets. They are frequented by hundreds of boys who invade them first for business purposes, and it is only a short time before they have learned all that is vile and coarse in life. Probably it is necessary for these boys to be on the streets, as they are in many cases the chief support of a widowed mother. To deprive them of the right of frequenting the streets at night might be to impose a hardship in many a home. Yet by permitting them to run the streets at all hours, to congregate with older boys whose only influence upon them may be a depraving one, is to take a risk.

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Middleton

Miss Francis Chute spent Sunday at her home in Berwick.

Miss Edith Sponagle spent a couple of days in Cambridge last week.

Miss M. Olga Sponagle arrived home on Saturday from Sackville.

Miss Susie Smith is spending a few weeks with friends in Queens County.

Gerald Merritt of the Royal Bank, has been transferred to Bridgetown. He left on Monday.

Mrs. S. S. Poole and daughter Minnie are attending the closing exercises at Acadia College.

Mrs. B. B. Gwillim went to Sackville on Friday to attend the exercises of the graduating class of Mt. Allison Ladies' College.

Among the Acadicians who arrived home last week were: Charles Messenger, George Elliott, Clare Cox, Vaughn Baker and Harry Parker.

Mr. S. A. Young returned from Lunenburg the first of last week bringing with him the trotter Addie B. He took her at once to Aylesford where she will train during the summer.

MELVERN SQUARE

Miss Martha MacMurtry is spending the week in this place.

Mr and Mrs S. P. Dodge welcomed a big baby son to their home on Sunday.

Miss Josephine Gates of the U.S.A. has arrived home to spend the summer.

Mr and Mrs John Ray of Margaretville, were among the recent visitors of this place.

Mrs Fred Burgess and daughter Rosamond, spent a few days with her parents, Col. and Mrs Spurr.

Eugene Baker of Acadia Villa School, spent the week end at the home of his mother, Mrs Myrtle Baker.

Freeman Brown and friend Mr. Brown of Lawrencetown, spent the week end at the home of the former's parents.

Mr W. S. Phinney has gone to Truro in the interests of his agency. He will also attend the exercises at Wolfville.

Mrs. Effie Copeland has returned after spending the winter in the United States, and is occupying her home here.

Mrs. J. P. Morse, Misses Hortense Spurr, George Brown, Lottie Van-Buekirk and sister Ruby are attending the closing exercises at Wolfville.

Mrs W. Margeson and Miss Belle Wiswall visited the two Sabbath Schools of this place on Sunday in the interests of Missionary and Elementary Departments of the districts and County Schools.

NICTAUX FALLS

Mrs. Wentzell of Bear River, is the week end guest of Mr and Mrs Archie Harris.

Miss Bertha Pickels of Dobb's Ferry, N. Y., is at home for an indefinite time.

Quite a number of salmon are being taken at the Rogers pool, and a few at the Falls.

Mr Frank Wahall of Boston, who has been enjoying the salmon fishing has returned to his home.

We hear the buzz of the saw mill which tells us that A. S. Vidito is still sawing away at the logs.

Mrs Steeves and Mrs Lottie Acker went to Wolfville on Saturday to attend the closing exercises at Acadia.

W. A. Pickels had a slight stroke of apoplexy about a week ago. We are glad to say he is convalescing rapidly.

Rev. O. E. Steeves is having a vacation and has taken the opportunity of visiting his old home in New Brunswick.

Mrs Fitch Bartheaux of Nictaux West, who has been ailing for some time, passed peacefully to her rest on Thursday morning. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Poole. A sorrowing husband and two sons mourn an affectionate wife and mother.

SPA SPRINGS

Mr Edgar Foster of North Kingston, spent Sunday at Mr. J. A. Woodbury.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Longley of Paradise, have taken possession of the Murray Elliott place.

Mrs. Leonard Elliott and Miss Nellie Elliott of Clarence, were the guests of Mrs George O'Neal on Friday last.

Mrs John I. Phinney and Miss Vivian Phinney went to Wolfville on Saturday to attend the closing exercises at Acadia.

The Directors of the C. P. R. company have declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent on the common stock for the quarter ending March 1st, last, being at the rate of seven per cent per annum from special income account, was declared payable 30th June.

Lawrencetown

May 25.

Mr. Brenton Harris is spending a few days in town.

Miss Johnson of Yarmouth, has been the guest of Mrs Primrose.

Services for Sunday, May 31st: Baptist, 11 a.m., Episcopal, 3 p.m., Methodist, 7.30.

We are glad to report Mr Stephen Balcom gradually improving after a serious illness of pneumonia.

The ladies of the Baptist Sewing Circle will meet in the vestry of the church on Friday next at 2 p.m.

Miss Annie Warwick has improved the appearance of her residence by the addition of a large and beautiful piazza.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Banks and children of Meadowvale, were guests of Miss Nettie Balcom over Sunday of last week.

Mrs. T. A. Elliott of Halifax, returned home last week, having spent a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs H. Young.

Marion Phinney, little daughter of Mr and Mrs E. A. Phinney, has been very ill with pneumonia, but is now slowly improving.

Mrs Samuel Peters passed away on Thursday morning and the funeral took place on Saturday at 10 a. m., conducted by Rev. H. G. Mellick.

Miss Josie Banks is teaching at Meadowvale, substituting for Miss Hazel Balcom, who had to give up her school on account of the illness of her father.

Miss Ethel Phinney leaves for Boston on Wednesday to resume her duties at the hospital. During her vacation she has received the degree of R. N. from the State Board of Registration of Nurses for Massachusetts.

Mr Harold Henry Lee of Salem, Mass., and Miss Muriel Foster of Lawrencetown, were united in marriage on Friday, May 22nd, at the Methodist parsonage. Rev. F. J. Armitage performed the marriage ceremony. The bride was dressed in a travelling suit of navy blue with cream and black trimmings, and hat to match. They left on the noon train for Boston by St. John.

WEST INGLISVILLE

May 25.

Mr Elmer Banks left on the 20th for Brookline, Mass.

Mrs Samuel Gau, we are sorry to report, is not improving.

Mr Arch Beals, we are glad to report, is able to be out again.

Mr George Banks and wife of Wilnot called on friends here last week.

Mrs Norman Foster of Clarence, recently visited her niece Mrs John Beals.

Mr. Lowell of Lawrencetown, is repairing the Baptist church at East Inglisville.

Mr. Milton McGill and brother Ernest have returned from New Hampshire.

Mr Leonard Banks sold his valuable horse to Mr Wilson of Springfield, last week.

Three telephone instruments have been lately added to this line, numbering now thirteen.

Miss Estella Brooks of South Williamston, spent the week end with her friend, Miss Ida Banks.

Mrs. Edward Whitman of East Inglisville, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs Elmer McGill.

Mrs Charles Roach and Mrs Miner Daniels and family of Lawrencetown, have been visiting their cousin, Mrs. Leonard Banks.

Mrs Thomas Armstrong of St. John, arrived home on the 23rd to spend the summer with her father, Mr H. O. Whitman.

FALKLAND RIDGE

May 25.

To Mr and Mrs Harry Whyntott a son. Congratulations.

Mr A. Charlton of Torbrook, called on friends here recently.

We are glad to report Mrs Milford Stoddart improving in health.

Miss Mildred Starratt is spending Sunday here, the guest of her parents.

Mr A. A. Bligh is spending the week end the guest of R. W. Swallow.

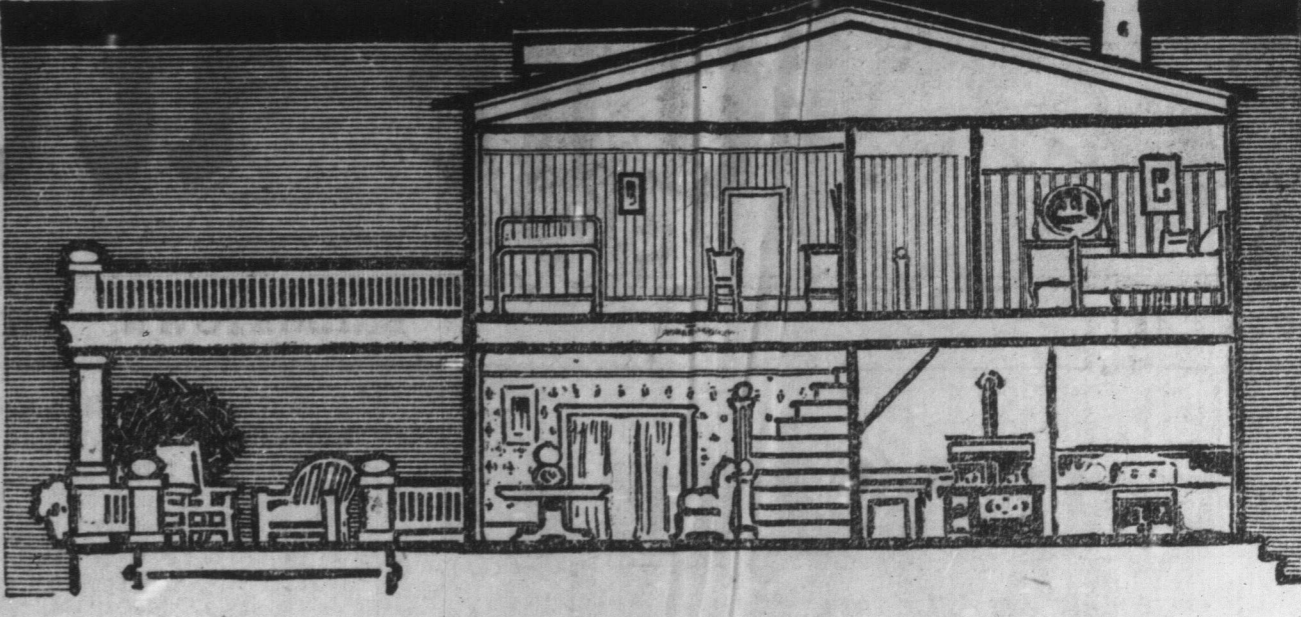
The Misses Annie Roope and Mabel Marshall are visiting friends in East Dalhousie.

Mrs. Albert McNayr of North Springfield, is spending a few weeks with Mrs Harry Whyntott.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., Ltd., Yarmouth, N. S.

Gentlemen,—In January last, Francis Leclaire, one of the men employed by me, working in the lumber woods, had a tree fall on him, crushing him fearfully. He was, when found, placed on a sled and taken home, where grave fears were entertained for his recovery, his hips being badly bruised and his body turned black from his ribs to his feet. We used MINARD'S LINIMENT on him freely to deaden the pain and with the use of three bottles he was completely cured and able to return to his work.

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Bedroom furniture and woodwork can be refinished with S-W Floorlac or S-W Family Paint. Floorlac gives a stained and varnished finish resembling expensive hardwoods. S-W Family Paint produces a bright, gloss finish in attractive colors.

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Nor do these figures by any means represent the entire number of Bibles issued during the year of record. The commercial circulation of the Scriptures by the great Bible presses—Oxford, Nelson & Sons, the International and others—must be added. These figures abundantly indicate that the Bible outranks all other books as a seller, although millions of copies are given out annually by the Bible Societies, literally without money and without price.

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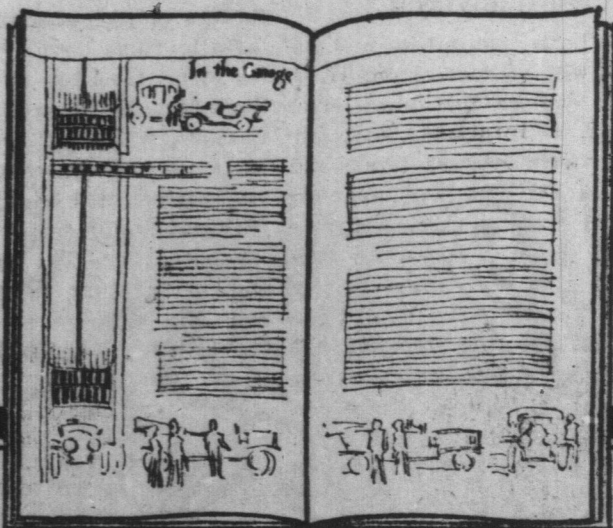
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Two of these great reserves adjoin each other, Jasper Park and Mount Robson Park, the dividing line being the boundary of Alberta and British Columbia, the former being in Alberta, and the latter in British Columbia. These two natural playgrounds have been made accessible by the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, which passes through the very heart of these reserves. The railway is also constructing two hotels for the use of travellers in these parks—the Mount Robson Hotel and the Chateau Miette, the latter being in Jasper Park. From a standard railway car the equal of anything of its kind on the continent, the tourist can now step into the heart of nature, a wonderland largely unexplored and all of it unspoiled.

The Jasper Park reserve contains five thousand four hundred and fifty square miles. All this extensive area has been set aside by the Federal Government of Canada, in which is vested the control and administration of the public lands of the West. For all time this area will be preserved in a state of nature so far as such condition is consistent with the purposes for which the reserve is created. It will be open to the holiday-maker and the tourist; to the explorer, for much of it in detail is still an unknown land, to the student of nature, to the artist and to those wishing to study at first hand the problems of forestry in a country where forests will be preserved in their natural state.

No general description at all adequate can be given of a tract of such magnitude containing such a variety of physical features as are to be found in Jasper Park. Here are tracts of forest in which the axe has never been struck by the lumbermen, and whose depths have as yet been penetrated only by Indians and hunters; here are wood-clad hills where the timber is less dense, with here and there sunlit glades bedecked in season with brilliant flowers; here are open valleys through which flow winding rivers and back from whose banks are wide stretches of meadow land covered with luxuriant grass. As one advances westward the hills increase in number and size, and finally they swell into the gigantic Rockies into whose gorges and ravines the bright light of day never penetrates, but whose snow-capped peaks sparkle in the brilliant sunshine. Approaching from the east these mountains, rising one above the other in grand array, seem to form an impenetrable barrier against which further progress is impossible. But out from among the mountains flows the hurrying waters of the Athabasca; and here, along its valley, is found a way provided by Nature, by means of which the prairie to the east can find a western outlet on the Pacific Coast. This is Yellowhead Pass, whose scenery has never failed to impress those who have had the good fortune to gaze upon it. Through this Pass the Grand Trunk Pacific has laid its steel, forming the new National highway.

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Mount Robson Park is entered. It's principal feature is the peak of that name. Mount Robson is not only supreme among the Canadian Rockies, rising more than one thousand feet higher than any of its competitors, but it has points, that make it notable among mountains in general. Usually high mountains are surrounded and led up to by many neighbors and rivals not greatly lower, so that the full effect of height is lacking; but Robson rises head and shoulders above its surroundings, reaching at least 2,500 feet above the nearest peak Mount Resplendent, and more than three thousand feet above any others. Moreover, it stands out boldly near the southwestern edge of the Rockies facing the deep valley occupied by British Columbia's greatest rivers. Probably few mountains in the world can surpass this ascent of ten thousand feet within a mile from its base.

The peculiar position of Robson, rising so very suddenly near the southwestern edge of the Rockies, with the wide-open valley in front and only moderately high mountains between it and the Pacific, gives it a remarkable climate of its own. The Shuswaps who told Molton and Chendle that "it had rarely been seen by human eyes, the summit being generally hidden of clouds," exaggerated, no doubt, but it is true that for weeks at a time clouds may cover its top. The usual westerly winds, loaded with moisture from the Pacific, are forced up thousands of feet by the front of the mountain, thus expanding and cooling, and the suddenly condensed moisture fall as rain. Since the prevalent winds are from the west or southwest, the clouds formed at the summit are perpetually hurried eastwards, and most of the snow falls on that side of the mountain.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, creator of Sherlock Holmes, on his visit to Jasper Park next month, will stop off in all likelihood, at Wainwright Park, also in the province of Alberta. This is the real Canadian home of the buffalo. Not finding it possible that they can live on the plains as formerly, buffalo have been gathered here and they are thriving well in this reserve, named after the late senior vice-president of the Grand Trunk System, whose death this week is so much regretted.

According to the annual report which has been submitted to Ottawa by Superintendent McTaggart, of the Buffalo National Park on line of the Grand Trunk at Wainwright, there are now 1,444 buffalo in the park. The superintendent's report deals at some length with the very satisfactory birth rate during the past year. Two hundred and thirty-six buffalo were born, while the decrease was nine, one being shipped to Winnipeg for this park, there two going to Ireland for Phoenix Park, two others were killed and four died. There are now 32 elk in the reserve, last year's number 13, the increase being three since last year's report. There are four antelope, none having been born during the past year. The deer total 70, last year's increase being ten.

Wild life also, abounds in the Algonquin Park of Ontario, while the fame of this reserve as a fishing resort is spread all over the Continent. The Ontario Government this year added seven additional Townships to Algonquin Park, which makes the area of this immense pleasure resort over 2,500,000 acres. The Grand Trunk which crosses the southwest portion of the park, at just the right spot to connect with waterways towards the north and south, has made here and there a clearing for a station, around which have grown little settlements consisting of hotels or inns, the Park Superintendent's and rangers' houses, outfitting stores, and a number of log or frame houses on nearby islands or points. In addition to the Highland Inn there are two log cabin hotels in Algonquin Park, Nominigan Camp and Camp Minnequin. In these camps there is a large central lodge or meeting place and in close proximity to it there are a series of individual log cabins, all built of cedar logs with the bark on, chinked with cement and moss and thoroughly in keeping with the natural beauty of their location. The central lodge and the cabins are simply, comfortably furnished and have modern conveniences, with bath rooms and hot and cold water. The large lodge is used for general rendezvous and dining room, and the log cabins furnish privacy for families or parties.

Even from a short description of the Natural Parks it will be recognized that a splendid work for the future has been accomplished by the setting aside of these great reserves.

The New War Against War

(By Charles F. Dolis, D. D., in the Christian Register.)

Swiss churches have just issued an appeal to the churches of Europe, in the name of their common faith, against the vast, wasteful, oppressive and detestable war system which distinguishes the "Christianity" of the twentieth century. This appeal is a remarkable sign of the times. It is a new thing in human history for churches to mass their force against war. Will the Swiss churches be heard? If not, will it not be honest to cease to speak any longer of "Christian" nations, and to begin again the work of reconverting the heathendom of Europe?

Another interesting sign of the times is Mr. Carnegie's new fund to help convert the one hundred thousand and more churches of America into so many Peace Foundations. The real wonder is that, being churches, and consecrated to the name, or the memory of the "Prince of Peace," they yet need to be almost wholly converted in attitude and purpose so as to be of any special use in the campaign against war. In other words, the churches, so far from working to stop war, are so apathetic about it that a rich man, not much of a churchman himself, has to give two million dollars to wake them up to see the nature of their religion. Was anything like this ever before done in the world? What does any one suppose would happen if Mr. Carnegie should succeed

THE GREAT ILLUSION.

A third notable sign of the times is Mr. Norman Angell's mode of approach. Mr. Angell frankly calls war a great "illusion." The world had supposed that the war-lords, the heads of the vast departments of the army and the navy, the famous generals and admirals, the unseen boards of estimates and committees of Parliaments who doom the nations to the point of two billions and upwards of annual taxes, were wise and sane beyond the reach of the criticism of common citizens. Mr. Angell shows that these magnates themselves are the victims of a ridiculous hallucination. Living in an industrial age, when the tendency of the age is toward a humane civilization, these men, looking through their old-fashioned spectacles, cannot see where the way of progress lies. They are obsessed with fears and suspicions which they and their set create. Not only is their conduct fatuous, while they wait for war, and roll up huge debts for other men to pay, but, even if they were to fight and win, victory would be calamitous to the victors as well as to the whole industrial world. Thus Mr. Angell makes fun of the bigwigs and the "stars and garters," and changes the form of the question from "What do they say at the war offices?" to a new mode of intelligence, namely, "What does our common sense tell us?" We may even dare to couple with this, "What does our religion command?" Who shall say that there is no harmony between our common-sense and our religion, or, if you please, our humanity?

BAD ECONOMICS

Mr. Angell has done a service in the annexation of the field of economics to moral reform. What is bad for mankind is bad economics. The whole stupid scheme of armed peace or war goes for the benefit only of the few and at the burdensome cost of the many. He shows us the peoples of the world, like sheep driven to the slaughter, forced to pay money—sadly needed for education and better living, which, if free, would turn the wheels of better rewarded industries—into the war-chests of centralized governments to swell the receipts of the Krupps and the steel companies in the building of Dreadnoughts, or the manufacturing of weapons of destruction. If we in the United States get our army and navy money by drinking a billion dollars' worth of alcohol every year, so much the more preposterous become the "economics" of such militarism.

President Jordan is telling the world another tremendous fact about the biological effect of war. "War produces heroes," they used to say; and some foolish people still say it. War finds heroes, and kills them, says Dr. Jordan; and he demonstrates the proposition. War did not make the young Col. Shaw, whose noble face we see on the St. Gaudens monument. The good God made him noble through the training and traditions of a noble home. War destroyed him, and thousands of youths as brave and true as he was, sadly needed, all of them, in the years of political and social stress since the Civil War. Their deaths, in most cases, helped to decimate the old Puritan stock in the face of the incoming rush of "New Americans." The people who now thoughtlessly try to break down our President's gallant watch against intervention in Mexico, little dream what their wild talk would cost in the depletion of the best life-blood of the nation and the proportionate increase of the imbeciles.

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...sistible element of humor, in view of the amazing absurdity of the war system. To determine questions of justice by killing each other! To pretend to prevent war by getting ready for it! To keep the peace by making up faces and doubling up our fists at each other! To strut about armed to the teeth, like game-cocks, and call ourselves Christians!

What are the churches of America going to do with this appeal? It must be agreed that there is a huge load of inertia among the church people about every kind of human betterment. The habitual attitude of the churches has been a mild and innocuous disapproval of war in general, but a strange willingness and almost alacrity, to back any particular war in which their own country might happen to be engaged. What war did ever the churches prevent? As President Eliot has asked, "What religion ever yet has set its face against war?" In fact as political parties and factions are apt to unite to support a war, so rival sects have been as one in blessing the battle-flags.

We have to change all this. We have to cut out a new road where both religion and patriotism can move together. The ordinary type of Christianity has not had the toughness of fibre to do the moral work of the world. We need now a religion with a purpose, with momentum, with a valid faith in God and in man also not in man in the abstract, but in men called Germans, Poles, Russians, Japanese and negroes. We read that the members of churches in Pliny's time met on stated days and bound themselves by an oath to abstain from theft, perjury, dishonesty, and unclean lives. Suppose today that church members bound themselves in a more positive form to help each other and all men to live the life of good will, and not to do anything against good will. Suppose, as the early Christians agreed not to go to law against one another but to settle their grievances among themselves in the spirit of their religion, so modern Christians agreed not to go to war, nor let their nations go to war over any kind of international dispute, but to settle all differences in the spirit of their religion.

DUTY OF THE CHURCHES.

Suppose the members of even one religious body cared so much for the welfare of mankind as to agree to lift up their voice on every occasion, not only against the barbarous use of war as a means of doing righteousness, but distinctly in favor of righteous and altogether humane modes of doing and obtaining justice. Suppose the church people would tell Congress not to build forts and iron ships any longer against fanciful perils from our brothers over the seas, but to trust the nations as we like to be trusted, and to treat them with appropriate good-will. Suppose the church people, once seeing through the dangerous selfish extension of the Monroe Doctrine, "America for the United States," declined to become an armed police to keep order over nations who do not want us, and, stopping our part in the race to build battleships, were henceforth to use all kinds of peaceful means to show friendliness to the states south of us. In short, suppose the so-called "disciples of Jesus" actually tried to verify the beatitude, "Blessed are the peacemakers!" The church of America could do all this, if they wished in less than ten years. We can hardly imagine any action on their part so likely to revivify the Christian name, and even to persuade Jews and Buddhists and sceptics to say "If this is Christianity, we, too, wish to be counted as Christians." Is it possible that there may be such a revival of religion as this?

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According to the last Report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Nova Scotia still holds the lead of the Provinces in the number of vessels on the Registry Books of the Dominion.

The largest comparative increase during these years has been made in British Columbia. In 1874, the number was only 35, with a tonnage of 3,611.

A List of Prices Fixed by Law

Beef and pork, one half penny a pound. Mutton, three farthings a pound. Fat oxen, twenty-six shillings and eight pence.

This is not Canadian law. It was law in the time of Henry the Eighth and good Queen Bess. So says the historian, Froende.

A New York lady has recently built and furnished a Church in Rome, capable of holding fourteen hundred persons.

Two new styles of automobiles are now in use, which, it is expected, will soon generally take the place of the present four-wheeled patterns.

equilibrium is maintained by a gyroscope arrangement, on the same principle as was tried in passenger boats crossing the English Channel, to prevent the rolling.

Local Talent Gives Theatrical Production

That Bridgetown has lots of good talent for the production of amateur theatricals was again amply demonstrated last Thursday evening when a company of local talent, with Mrs D. G. Harlow as preceptor, presented that three-act comedy-drama "The Kentucky Belle".

Miss Mariah Douglas, (a maiden lady with aristocratic tendencies). Mrs. B. A. Hicks.

Isabel Douglas, (niece of Miss Douglas with democratic tendencies). Mrs. D. G. Harlow.

Marie VanHartenger, (friend of Isabel). Mrs. A. F. Little.

Col. Wm. McMillan, (suitor of Isabel). Mr. Chas. R. Chipman.

Dr. Blake. Mr. James Connell, Jr. Miss Madden, (a trained nurse) Miss Nan Hoyt.

John Cason Gordon, (alias Jack Cason, a wealthy student of sociology). Mr. Harry MacKenzie.

Mrs. Gordon, (mother of John Cason Gordon). Miss Florence Cochran.

Miss Gordon, (sister of John Cason Gordon). Miss Eva Troop.

Cindy, (Negro maid) Miss Nellie R. Rice.

Henry, (Negro boy engaged to Cindy) Mr. Albert Burns.

Four Telephone Linemen.—Mr. F. R. Beckwith, Mr. P. V. Young, Mr. Arthur Charlton and Mr. Elton Burns.

The specialties introduced in the play formed a most pleasing part of the program. A number of choruses and dances from an operetta were very daintily performed in the first act by eight young ladies, and called forth rounds of applause.

The young ladies comprising the chorus were: Miss Florence Cochran, Miss Nan Hoyt, Miss Theodora Lloyd, Miss Hortense Griffin, Miss Juanita Bishop, Miss Edna Burns, Miss Doris Nelly, Miss Eva Troop.

much of the credit for the splendid rendering of this feature of the program is due Mrs. A. F. Little, who trained the young ladies at the rehearsals.

Miss Juanita Bishop gave a solo and dance, "The Goblin Man," that was very gracefully executed.

Between the first and second acts Mr. Albert Burns gave one of his stump speeches, which never fails to bring down the house "and here's no discount on dat." Mr. Burns also rendered a solo, "My Cindy Lou," in the third act, and was in good voice.

The four linemen in the cast of characters, Messrs. Young, Burns, Beckwith and Charlton, sang a male quartette selection, "The Owl and the Pussy Cat," which was well received and called forth an encore which was responded to.

The orchestra was present and rendered several selections throughout the evening. The following composed the orchestra: Mrs. A. R. Bishop, pianist, Messrs Ross Bishop and Ralph Brittain, violins, Messrs Horace G. Bishop, Parker Munro and Percy Burns, cornets; Mr. C. B. Longmire, trombone; Mr. Elton Burns, tuba; Mr. Kenneth Dodge, drums and traps. Mrs. A. R. Bishop also performed the accompaniments for all the musical numbers.

Altogether the program was one of the best ever given by local talent, and was well deserving of the large patronage it received. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Bridgetown Athletic Club.

There is a possibility that the play will be repeated in the near future.

The Methodist Church Annual Meeting of Annapolis District

Annapolis District meeting will be held in the Methodist church, Bridgetown, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The Ministerial Session will be held Wednesday at 2.30, and the general district will convene Thursday morning at nine o'clock.

On Wednesday evening a public meeting will be held in the auditorium of the church, presided over by the chairman of the District, Rev. L. Daniel, of Digby. At this meeting one of the Probationers of the District, Mr. H. Tucker of Nicholasville, will preach.

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Bridgetown Baptist Church

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 p.m.

B. Y. P. U. on Friday evening at 8 p.m., preceded by the Pastor's Class in Religious Instruction at 7.30 p.m.

Sunday services: Bible School at 10 a.m. Public worship at 11 a.m. and at 7.30 p.m.

The Maritime Provinces will celebrate "Judson Day" on Sunday. This year marks the centenary of the great missionary's work in Burma.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Stanley Marshall on Tuesday afternoon, June 2nd, at 2.30.

Miss Cora Elliott, returned missionary from India, will address the meeting. After the address a social hour will be spent and a ten cent tea will be served.

Methodist Church Circuit Notes

BRIDGETOWN. Services:—Prayer and Praise meeting this (Wednesday) evening, Epworth League, Consecration Service, Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Sunday School, 10 a.m., preaching service at 11 o'clock and 7.30 o'clock.

BENTVILLE. Sunday School next Sunday at two o'clock and preaching service at three o'clock. Regular week evening service, Thursday at 7.45.

GRANVILLE. Sunday School 10 a.m. and preaching service at 11 o'clock.

Conspicuous funds offering will be received at each appointment next Sunday.

The fourth meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of the Circuit will be held at the parsonage, Bridgetown, Monday evening next at 7.30 o'clock.

Church Notes—Parish of St. James

Next Sunday being Whitsunday the services will be as follows:— PARISH CHURCH.

11 a.m. (with Holy Communion) and 7.30 p.m.

ST. MARY'S, BELLEISLE. 8 a.m. Holy Communion 3 p.m. Evensong and sermon.

There is now every prospect of the renovation of St. Mary's taking place in the near future. The fund for the work has been growing—\$21.00 having been added during the past week as the result of an "Autograph Cushion" scheme carried through by one of this church's indefatigable workers, and the congregation now feeling encouraged to make a definite start, a committee is at work gathering data for plans and probable cost. It is understood the work will be put in hand as soon as these have been passed. An entertainment—"Country Folks"—is also announced to be given in further aid of the fund, in Belleisle Hall, tomorrow (Thursday) evening.

Plans are now almost complete for the "Parochial Mission" to be held in St. Mary's, commencing on the evening of Monday, June 22nd, to be conducted by Archdeacon Martell, of a speaker of exceptional force and power and greatly liked wherever he goes. He is much sought after for addresses and sermons, especially to women. Last Autumn he conducted "Missions" at Glace Bay, Cape Breton and in Trinity Church, Halifax.

Annapolis County Temperance Alliance

The President and Secretary and executive of the Alliance would repeat last week's urgent call for a grand rallying of the temperance forces at the special meeting of the Alliance to be held in Warren's Hall, Bridgetown, Friday of this week at 2.30 p.m. Let all temperance organizations send large delegations.

In the Supreme Court

BETWEEN MONTREAL TRUST CO. Plaintiff AND A. D. MILLS & SONS, Limited Defendant

To be sold at the County Court House, Annapolis Royal, in the County of Annapolis on Wednesday, the 17th day of June, A. D. 1914, at the hour of 12 o'clock in the forenoon,

by The Eastern Trust Company, a body corporate, having its head office in the city of Halifax, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made herein the 24th day of March, 1914, unless before the day of sale the amount due to the Plaintiff including the Plaintiff's taxed costs be paid to the Plaintiff or its solicitor;

All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the Defendant company, and of all other persons, firms or corporations claiming or entitled by from or under the Defendant company in, to and out of the following

LANDS

leases of lands, rights to cut timber and all interest in LANDS, buildings, fixtures, and all real and personal property of every kind and description described in a certain Deed of Trust or Mortgage from the said Defendant Company to the said Montreal Trust Company dated the 15th day of July, 1912, and registered in the Registry of Deeds, for the County of Annapolis, in Book 135, page 43, and in the Registry of the Registry of Deeds for the County of Kings in Book 109 page 1, and registered in the County of Digby in Book 108, page 476 and the general description of which said lands and premises and personal property is as follows:—

Approximately 150,000 acres of land in the said County of Annapolis, and the greater portion of which are situated in the districts of Paradise, Round Hill, Dalhousie, Liverpool Road, West River, Maitland, Pettit and LeQuille. The said Liverpool Road, Perrotte, Dalhousie and LeQuille lands are situated on or near the Ten Mile and LeQuille Rivers, and the said Maitland, Paradise, Round Hill, and West River lands are situated on, near or adjacent to the Maitland, Paradise and West Rivers respectively. Approximately 5000 acres in the County of Kings, the greater portion of which are situated in the vicinity of a certain Falls River and in or near the district of Kingston. Approximately 2600 acres of lands and leaseholds in the County of Digby the greater portion of which are situated adjacent to or near West River and in or near the district of People Lake. Also all other lands, leaseholds, or timber rights, owned by the defendant Company or in which they had any interest or claim at the date of the said mortgage excepting, however, that lot piece of land being a portion of the real estate conveyed to John B. Mills by the last will and testament of the late John Mills, as on reference to a copy of said will in the Record office at Bridgetown, will more fully appear.

All lands, leaseholds, or timber rights or any claim or interest therein, purchased or acquired by the Defendant Company, since the date of said mortgage, including renewals of all leases existing at such date.

Also all the machinery, tools, implements, belts, utensils, saws, equipment, engine, boilers and plant contained in the mills owned by said Defendant Company at the date of said mortgage, situated at LeQuille in the County of Annapolis, and at Tremont in the County of Kings, also all tools, implements, utensils, belts, saws, equipment, engines, boilers, plant and mills, purchased or acquired by the defendant Company since the date of such mortgage and brought into or situate in the Province of Nova Scotia.

A complete description of the said lands and premises and real and personal property may be inspected and obtained at the office of Mr. Sheriff Gates, at Annapolis Royal in the County of Annapolis, Mr. Sheriff Rockwell at Kentville, in the County of Kings, and Mr. Sheriff Smith at Digby, in the County of Digby, at the office of the said The Eastern Trust Company in the City of Halifax, at the office of Daniel Owen at Annapolis Royal, aforesaid, Solicitor of Defendant Company, and at the office of W. H. Fulton, the Plaintiff's solicitor in the said City of Halifax, and at the office of the Montreal Trust Company, the said Plaintiff Company, in the City of Montreal.

Terms—ten per cent on deposit at time of sale and remainder on delivery of deed.

Dated at Halifax, N. S., May 11th, 1914.

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W. H. FULTON, 35 Bedford Row, Halifax, N. S., Solicitor for Plaintiff.

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Tomato Plants for sale at MRS. J. M. FULMER'S. Special sale of Moir's Chocolates, Saturday only, 25c and 35c per lb. W. W. CHESLEY.

Found—A gold pin, design of a locomotive, with letters "B. R. R. T." Owner may have same by calling at this office.

Mr. O. L. Wood arrived in town yesterday, and is making preparations to take over the grocery business of Mr. L. H. Outhouse at an early date.

The date for the Oddfellows' Picnic to Digby has now been set for Wednesday, June 24. A special train will leave Kentville at 8.30, returning leave Digby at 7.15.

The marriage of Miss Merle Kathleen Banks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Banks of Clarence, to Mr. Allen Beaman, takes place on Wednesday evening, June tenth.

Should the weather be favorable on Friday evening of this week the Bridgetown Brass Band will give an open-air concert from the new bandstand near the school house.

A three act play, "Country Folks" will be given in Belleisle Hall tomorrow (Thursday) evening, in aid of St. Mary's Church Innovation Fund. Don't fail to honor this play and in so doing help along a good cause.

Word was received yesterday in Belleisle of the death in Halifax of Little Roy Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wade. Many of our readers will remember Mr. Wade as formerly in the employ of J. H. Hicks & Sons and then living on Washington St.

The annual meeting of the Synod of the Diocese of Nova Scotia convenes in Halifax next week. The lay representatives of the parish of St. James, Bridgetown, are Churchwardens A. F. Hiltz and W. R. Longmire, who, with the Rector, will represent the parish.

Master Gordon Charlton, the young son of Mr. A. C. Charlton, met with a very painful accident on Sunday morning. A kettle of boiling water was accidentally upset, the contents going over the young lad's face, severely scalding it.

At the Granville Methodist church last Sunday afternoon Rev. R. J. Porter administered the Holy Sacrament to five persons and received these into the church with five others, who had already been baptized. A very impressive and largely attended sacramental service concluded the meeting.

On Sunday, May 17th at Port Lorne, Pastor Asaph Whitman administered the ordinance of baptism to ten candidates in the presence of a large gathering of people. At the evening service the candidates received the right hand of fellowship into the Wilmot Mountain United Baptist Church.

A bridge on the street leading from Granville street in front of the Baptist Church to Park street near the school house has been in a very dangerous condition for several weeks. This street is travelled by all the school children living in the eastern end of the town, and to have such a dangerous spot remain unattended to is running a great risk.

Continuing the good work that is being done on our sidewalks on Queen street, Miss Annie Chute is this week having the sidewalk along the front of her property concreted. This joins the concrete work put down by Mr. W. A. Warren last week. There are still other property holders on Queen street who are considering the making of similar improvements.

Chipman Hall, the home of the Acadia students at Wolfville, was burned to the ground early yesterday morning, together with the gymnasium building. The College building itself caught fire from the burning embers, but was extinguished before much damage was done. Some of the Bridgetown boys who are attending the institution, lost all their belongings.

Dr. Armstrong was called to Maitland, in the Southern end of the County, on Saturday last where a case of small pox of a mild type had been discovered. Strict quarantine regulations are being carried out and it is hoped that there will be no extension of the disease. It is believed that the contagion of the case was brought from Caledonia, Queens Co., where a number of cases occurred a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop, organizer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in Canada, who has been in this county the past week, addressed a large mass meeting in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening. Her subject was "Patriotism and its relation to temperance." Mrs. Hyslop is a pleasing speaker and holds the closest attention of her audience. Her arguments are conclusive, and her address on Sunday evening was without doubt among the best that has ever been heard here on the subject of temperance.

The fire alarm was sounded at noon on Monday for a blaze in the roof of the house belonging to Mrs. M. K. Piper, near the Court House, and occupied by Mrs. Carpenter. Considerable anxiety was felt at the first as a strong wind was blowing from the west, and had the flames broken through to any great extent the business portion of the town would have been in great danger. Fortunately the building is situated near the engine house so that two streams of water were soon playing on the roof and the fire brought under control. Considerable damage was done to the roof and upper story.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mrs. Geo. Cochrane of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Cochrane and family.

Mr. Gilbert Hartt of Digby, was a guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peters.

Mr. Fred E. Cox, editor of the Middleton Outlook, was in town yesterday.

Rev. M. C. Higgins of Barrington, was a recent guest at the home of Mrs. Sarah J. Healy.

Rev. (Dr.) Jost is in Sackville this week attending the closing exercises at Mt. Allison University.

Mrs. S. A. Fraser and Mrs. W. H. Torry of New Glasgow, are guests of their sister, Mrs. J. S. Lewis.

Miss Agnes May Hall, teacher at Clementsport, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lorain Hall.

Mrs. Margaret L. Baxter, of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily Joudrey at Morse Road.

Miss Marguerite Hicks and Miss Mildred Lockett are attending the closing exercises this week at Acadia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Flett and son Edward of Cambridge, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Clarke.

Mr. Ira Jackson of Halifax, spent the recent holiday season in town, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson.

Miss Eleanor Keylor of Kentville, was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Samuel H. Eagleson, returning to her home yesterday.

Mr. James E. Connell, manager of the Western Chronicle, Kentville, was in town over Sunday, the guest of his brother, Mr. Forrest Connell.

Capt and Mrs. J. W. Salter, and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Harlow are in Wolfville this week attending the closing exercises at Acadia.

Two Bridgetown young men, Miljedge Salter and Owen Graves, will receive their degrees today with the other members of the graduating class at Acadia University.

Mrs. William Burns, who has spent the past few months in Bridgetown, returned to Boston yesterday, accompanied by her grandson, Mr. Philip Burns.

Mrs. G. E. Trowbridge and Miss Eva Whitman, who have been visiting their sister Mrs. Louis Piggott, have returned to their home in West Newton, Mass.

Mrs. Chas. Lewis, who of late has been filling a position as matron of an institution in Halifax, is spending a few days in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Connell, Jr.

Mr. James Connell, Junr., has been promoted to the position of teller in the Royal Bank of Canada here, and Mr. Gerald Merritt of Middleton, is on the ledger in place of Mr. Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hartt of St. John, are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peters. Their daughter, Miss Jessie Hartt, has been attending the closing at Acadia, and is expected here today.

Dr. Wm. H. Beckwith and son Charlie of Halifax, were in town over Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beckwith. The doctor and son accompanied by Mr. Beckwith, returned to the city on Monday by auto.

Mr. Verne Durling of Lawrence town graduated from MacDonald College on Friday the 22nd. Thus another name has been added to the long list of Lawrence town young men who have "made good" in their chosen profession. The Monitor extends congratulations.

Mr. Frank Charlton arrived home from North Sydney last week, where he has been employed with Mr. J. E. Bent in the construction of the Baptist church in that town, which is now completed. Mr. Charlton goes to Middleton next week, where he will have charge of the men in the building of the new residence for Dr. Fales.

Quite a number of Bridgetown folks went through to Wolfville Sunday morning by automobiles to hear the baccalaureate sermon at Acadia, preached by Rev. Shaler Matthews, D.D., Dean of the University of Chicago. Those who went by auto were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hartt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Bath, Capt and Mrs. J. W. Salter, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Oovert, Mrs. Wm. E. Reed and Miss Gladys Reed.

Mr. Gordon W. C. Brown, who for the past year or more has held the position of teller at the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, has been transferred to the Royal's branch at Sydney, and left for his new post of duty yesterday. On Friday evening last the members of the Baptist Young Peoples' Union gathered at Mr. Brown's home and presented him with a handsome leather travelling bag. Mr. Brown was an active member of the Society, and will be greatly missed in that organization, and in many other activities in town in which he was always ready and willing to give his support.

We want to know when you have friends to visit you. It is such items of news that makes the local page of your home paper interesting.

Rhodes, Curry Company, of Amherst, have the contract to build the College Girls' residence for Acadia College at Wolfville.

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Meeting of the Sampson Black Fox Company

A meeting of the shareholders in the Sampson Silver Black Fox Company, Limited in Bridgetown and vicinity was held in the office of Fred E. Bath, Esq., Saturday night. One sixth of the entire stock in this company is owned in Annapolis County. The ranch is located three miles from Charlottetown. Governor Rogers of the Island is President of the Company, and D. Schurman, Secretary. The latter was present at the meeting and gave the gratifying news that they have had good success with their young foxes, and that the company will pay its shareholders over one hundred per cent in October. So much for good management and a low capitalization, viz \$10,681. This is something the investing public never look into. They ask the price of a share and buy, when they should ask the price of the foxes.

At a general meeting of the Company held in February it was decided to add eight pairs more to the ranch all of which is class A stock. The new stock will first be offered to the present holders and any not taken up by them in June will be sold to the first applicants.

The Rhodes Curry Company, Amherst, has been awarded a contract to build and erect nine steel bridges for the Intercolonial. This is the first contract of the kind given at Amherst.

When the double daily service across the Bay commences, which will be earlier this year than usual, the S. S. St. George will leave St. John for Digby at noon on the arrival of the Atlantic express, connecting with a fast train at Digby for Halifax.

Everyone is interested in an item of local news. If you know of any local happening that is not generally known communicate the fact to this office.

GARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Archibald Longmire and Mrs. Elizabeth Caswell wish to express their sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown during their late bereavement, and also for the beautiful floral tributes.

MEMORIAL.

In loving memory of Charlotte Henrietta Whitman, who departed this life May 26th, 1913. "Gone but not forgotten." Husband and family.

BORN

MUNROE.—At Bridgetown, May 21st to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Munroe, a daughter.—Elaine Winnifred.

FAIRVIEW CEMETERY

Will those who have lots in Fairview Cemetery kindly send their contributions to the different Collectors so that the much needed fence may be put up and the lots improved. Or mail directly to the Treasurer, S. B. BANCROFT

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Royal Baron, 12065

Enrollment No. 158 Royal Baron, 12065 will stand at my stable, Paradise, for the season of 1914 and I will take him anywhere within five miles of the vicinity of Bridgetown. This is the only pure bred, government inspected (passed first-class inspection) Clydesdale Stallion in Annapolis County Terms for season—Warrant ten dollars. Mares at owner's risk.

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We are making Ice Cream now and solicit your patronage. Our new Parlor will be open in a few days which we hope will give our patrons better service. We cannot improve on the Ice Cream but have improved the parlor.

Ken's Restaurant

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The Bridgetown Importing House. Our Importations for the Spring Trade are now complete and we cheerfully invite inspection. Our range of House Furnishings is more attractive than ever. Axminster, Velvet, Brussels and Tapestry Carpet Squares and Rugs in all sizes and prices. Scotch Linoleums and Oil Carpets, 1 to 4 yards wide. Curtains and Curtain Materials in all the newest effects. DRESS GOODS in greater variety than ever, in which we are showing all the newest productions. In our Ladies' Special Ready-to-wear Department which we have fitted up this season will be found all the latest styles in Northway Suits, Dresses, Coats, Skirts, Waists, etc. Penman's Hosiery and Watson's Underwear in Ladies' and Men's. D. & A. Corsets. Ladies' and Men's Waterproof Coats. We call special attention to our exceptional values in Men's Pants. J. W. BECKWITH

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MISSES Dearness & Phelan are now showing the latest styles in Spring Millinery. Queen St., Bridgetown. Lumber ROBIN, JONES & WHITMAN, Limited. BUYERS OF LUMBER. For price etc., write the firm at ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, Nova Scotia Feb. 11, 3 mos. House to Let. A House to let on Granville Street at present occupied by Mrs. W. I. Troop. possession given May first. Apply to W. J. HOYT, Bridgetown, N. S. For Sale. Building lot in Bridgetown on South Street adjoining property of Charles Hicks. Price \$300.00 Apply to J. B. WHITMAN, Box 1004, Halifax, N. S.

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Black and white, small medium and large check. Very stylish material for suits, separate skirts or coats. 40 to 54 inches wide. Price: 25c to \$1.00 per yard.

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A dust resisting dress material. Colors in stock: black, navy, brown, pale blue, champagne, cream and white. 36 to 48 inches wide. Price: 25c to \$1.00 per yard.

Silk Striped Voiles
Just the material for evening dresses or blouse waists. Shades in stock: pink, yellow, pale blue, old rose, grey, navy, peacock blue and reseda. 42 inches wide. 55c per yard.

All Wool Poplins
A pure wool poplin, medium weight, finely woven from bright, perfect yarns. Will make up beautifully in any of the season's fashionable garments. Its wearing qualities are unsurpassed. Shades in stock: garnet, cardinal, navy, old rose, champagne, myrtle, grey, black and brown. 42 inches wide. Price: 50c per yard.

San Toy
A handsome cloth, made from fine wool and silk, with rich finish, suitable for one-piece dresses. Shades in stock: pale blue, straw brown and black. 40 inches wide. 50c per yard.

Bengaline
A handsome dress material, fine, even cord weave, high lustré finish, suitable for ladies' coats and suits. Shades in stock: black, champagne, pale blue, pink and navy. 42 inches wide. Price: 65c per yard.

Velvet Cord Suiting
A splendid costume cloth made in plain and fancy weaves. Shades in stock: smoke, cardinal, garnet, navy, tan, brown, royal, fawn, kings blue. 22 to 27 inches wide. Price: 55c, 75c, 90c, and \$1.00 per yard.

Serges and Whipcor's
They are pure wool, thoroughly soap shrunk and best unfading dye. Shades in stock: black, navy, cream, white, brown, tan, kings blue, old rose, myrtle, reseda and greys. 42 to 56 inches wide. Price: 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per yard.

Fancy Worsteds
Made from best of English yarns, suitable weights for the smart up-to-date tailor-made suit, skirt or dress. Colors: navy, reseda, greys, peacock blue, brown and greens. 44 to 58 inches wide. Price: 60c to \$1.75 per yard. (Ask for samples.)

Homespun Suitings
Pure wool, 58 inches wide. Colors in stock: tans, greys, fawns, blues. Price: \$1.25 to \$1.75 per yard. (Ask for samples.)

Amazon Cloths
All wool, rich finish, correct weight for women's costumes and separate skirts. Shades in stock: black, brown, navy, garnet, smoke, myrtle, peacock blue and amethyst. 46 to 52 inches wide. Price: 75c to \$1.25 per yard.

Austrian Broadcloths
All pure wool, bright lustré finish, a perfect costume cloth. Shades in stock: navy, black, brown and myrtle. 52 inches wide. Price: \$1.25 per yard.

British Broadcloths
A material that never grows out of date as it is incomparable for suits, dresses or long coats. Colors in stock: pearl grey, fawn, old rose, black, navy, myrtle, smoke and apricot. 48, 52, 54 and 56 inches wide. Price: \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 per yard.

French Duchess Cloths
All pure wool, high lustré satin finish, good weight, a splendid costume cloth. Colors in stock: navy, garnet, brown and myrtle. 48 inches wide. Price: \$1.35 per yard.

Plain and Fancy Voiles
Made from pure wool, always fashionable, stylish and dressy. Color in stock: black, 42 to 48 inches wide. Price: 50c to \$1.00 per yard.

Cashmeres
Colors in stock: cardinal, grey, fawn, white, pale blue and black. 48 inches wide. Price: 50c per yard.

Dress Silks
Messaline and Pallettes. "Duchesse Finish," 36 to 40 inches wide. Shades in stock: brown, tan, navy, royal, reseda, old rose, Alice blue, black, cardinal and grey. Price: \$1.00 to \$1.25 per yard.

Dress Findings
We carry a complete range of linings, including satins, satenes, taffetas, etc. etc.

Silk Linings 75c to 95c per yd.
Satin 1.00 " " "
Satens 20c to 30c " "
Canvases 20c to 25c " "
Spool Silks 50c per dozen
Spool Silks 50c per spool, 3c
D. M. C.—white, 20c per dozen
D. M. C.—large skein, 5c per skein
Embroidery Silk 4c per skein
200 yard spool 3c per spool.

Laces, Ribbons and Allowers
We carry a full line of the above goods, always in stock.
Bulgarian Trimming Silks, 20 inches wide. 75c per yard.

Samples
We will be pleased to submit you samples of any Dress Materials we carry. When asking for samples be careful to state shades required. On receipt of your enquiry we will forward samples at once.

Wash Dress Materials
In no branch of textile manufacture during recent years has there been so marked a progress as in this, and season after season new added perfection in exquisite finishing touches and coloring effects. Our new importation merits the description—"The Prettiest Yet."

Colored Muslins
Do not overlook these fabrics when purchasing your summer wash dresses. Our assortment consists of fancy, striped and floral designs. 27 inches wide. 8c to 25c per yard.

Striped and Checked Gingham
Our Gingham are noted for their good wearing and washing qualities. Patterns are new and a good range of colors: 27 to 30 inches wide. 8c, 10c, 12c, 14c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c per yd.

Canadian Prints
Striped, spot and floral designs, in light and dark grounds. 10c, 11c, and 12c per yard.

English Percalés
Absolutely fast dye, light and dark grounds. 32 inches wide. 14c, 15c and 16c per yard.

Beach Suitings
Comes in plain colors, a good washer and splendid wearer. Colors in stock: pink, white, kings blue, tan, pale blue and linen shade. 30 inches wide. Price: 15c per yard.

San Toy Suiting
This new wash suiting certainly will take first place among the cotton dress fabrics for 1914. Fine, even cord, beautifully finished. Colors in stock: pink, white, kings blue, and linen shade. 30 inches wide. 22c per yard.

Serpentine Crepes
This quality launders well and requires no ironing. Comes in white and colored grounds, striped and floral designs. We carry fifteen different patterns in stock in shades of pink, old rose, pale blue, white, yellow, kings blue, heliotrope, 27 inches wide. Price: 15c per yard.

Schoolboy Suitings
This wash dress fabric is Queen of All Wash Dress Goods, absolutely fast dye and permanent finish. Just the material for children's school dresses and blouse suits. Colors in stock: white ground with blue stripe, navy ground with white stripe, light shade, white ground with brown stripe, kings blue ground with white stripe. 30 inches wide. Price: 25c per yard.

Sunresista Suitings
Absolutely fast dye. Will not fade in the sun, beautifully mercerized finish, a splendid wearer. Shades in stock: black, tan, kings blue, pale blue, champagne, brown, heliotrope, white and navy. 25c per yard.

Silk Striped Poplin
A silk finished wash fabric, fine even weave, with silk stripe. Colors in stock: navy, black, pale blue, brown, white and tan. 30 inches wide. Price: 43c per yard.

Novelty Ratines
White ground with black, pale blue and tan stripe. 27 inches wide. Price: 37c per yard. White: 35c, 50c, and 60c per yard.

White Pique
These staple goods are always favorites for skirts, dresses or suits. 28 inches wide. Price: 18c, 21c, 25c, 37c per yard.
Indian Head Suiting is a great favorite for skirts, coats, dresses, sailor waists, etc. It launders well and is easy to iron and has the appearance of linen. 38 and 40 inches wide. 15c, 20c and 24c per yard.

White Waistings
We carry a large range of hair line linities, Muslins, French Brocades, Mercerized Serges, Panama Repps and Crepe Cloths. Price: 10c to 35c per yard. (Ask for samples.)

Bridal Cloth
This is used principally for ladies underwear. 15c, 18c and 25c per yard. "Persian Lawns," 15c, 18c, 25c, and 40c per yard.

Victoria Lawns
Fine, even weaves, wears well and will give perfect satisfaction for blouses or dresses. 39 to 40 inches wide. Prices: 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 24c per yard.

Dress Linens
Pure White and Colored, 37 to 40 inches wide. Price: 25c to 60c per yard.

Silvered Bleached Dress Linens
A pure linen fabric, an ideal washing material, unequalled for skirts and coats. 36 to 40 inches wide. 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c per yard.

Grass Linens
Grass Linens, 18c, 20c, 25c, per yd. Linen Sheeting, 72 inches wide, \$1.00 per yard. Pillow Linen, 45 inches wide, 67c, 75c per yard.

Guest Toweling Linens
Plain, striped and floral designs. 25c, 30c, 40c and 45c per yard.

Towels
Hand and Bath Towels, a large assortment always kept in stock. 5c to \$1.00 each.

Crash Linens
Unbleached and Silver Bleached. 3c to 17c per yard.

Table Linens
Bleached and Unbleached. 54 to 72 inches wide. Price: 50c to \$1.50 per yard.

Napkins
75c to \$4.50 per dozen.

Art Satens
A full range of designs and colorings. 28 to 32 inches wide. 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c and 30c per yard.

Art Draperies
Our stock consists of all the new weaves, colors and designs, suitable for parlors, sitting rooms, dining rooms and bedrooms. 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 55c, 60c, 65c, and 75c per yard.

Portiers
Tapestry Portiers, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.50 and \$4.75 per pair.

Lace Curtains
No. 2591 2 1/2 yds. long 30 per pr.
" 2593 " " " " 40 " " "
" 2772 " " " " 45 " " "
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" 6343 " " " " 90 " " "
" 6215 " " " " 1.00 " " "
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" 2982 " " " " 1.50 " " "
" 6039 " " " " 1.75 " " "
" 6241 " " " " 2.00 " " "
" 6244 " " " " 2.25 " " "
" 2631 3 1/2 " " " 2.50 " " "
" 6673 " " " " 3.00 " " "
" 5466 " " " " 3.25 " " "
" 5885 " " " " 3.50 " " "
" 6278 " " " " 3.75 " " "
" 6281 " " " " 4.00 " " "
" 6283 " " " " 4.50 " " "

Screen Doors
\$1.25 to \$2.00 each. Window Screens 30c to 35c each.

Curtain Poles
White Enamel, four feet long, complete with brackets 10c each. Brass Extension Rods 5c each and up.

China Matting
15c to 40c per yard.

Floor Oils
1 yd. and 2 yds. wide. 30c to 60c per yd. Linoleums, 2 yds. wide. 90c to \$1.00 per yd.

Wall Papers
Wall paper adds much to the appearance of your room. Our wall papers cover a wide range of patterns, from the simple stripe to the elaborate-embossed leather effect. Prices: 4c to \$2.00 per roll. Borders 1c to 25c per yard.

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12c per dozen.

British Steamer Rugs
A large assortment of new patterns for 1914. Prices: \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.75, \$6.00 and \$7.00 each. Ask to see them when visiting our store. Steamer Rugging by the yard, 30 inches wide, \$1.75 per yard.

Nova Scotia Carpet of the Loom, all Wool Cream Serge, 54 and 72 inches wide. Price: \$1.00 and \$1.15 per yard.

Dr. Jaeger's Pure Wool Goods
We are sole agents for the celebrated Jaeger Pure Wool Goods. Any article listed in catalogue that we do not carry in stock we can obtain for you at short notice.

Gloves
White Chamois, 75c to \$1.00 per pair. Undressed Kid Gloves: Colors, black and greys, \$1.00 to \$1.50 per pair. "Fownes" cape tan gloves, \$1.00 per pair. We keep the above gloves in sizes from 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. All gloves costing \$1.00 and upwards are guaranteed.

Hosiery
We sell the "Wearwell" Hosiery. They are knit to fit and knit to wear. Children's Sizes: 4 1/2 to 10 inches: 15c and 25c per pair; Women's sizes: 3 to 10 1/2. Colors: black and tan. 12 1/2 to 50c per pair; Men's Hosiery: Colors: black and tan. Sizes: 10 1/2 to 11 inches: 15c to 50c per pair.

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No. 50 With suspenders \$1.50 per pr.
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" 227 " " " " 1.25 " "
" 294 " " " " 1.25 " "
" 636 " " " " 1.50 " "
" 512, 510 " " " " 1.75 " "
" 550 " " " " 2.00 " "
" 550 " " " " 2.75 " "
" 640 " " " " 2.25 " "
" 235 out sizes 1.25 " "
" Lorio Waists for Misses 75 " "
" Brassieres 50c and 75c each

DEEP BROOK
May 25
Edgar and Archibald Adams are reported as having purchased automobiles.
Mrs. Shortliffe lately spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Charlotte Ruggles.
Mrs. Elizabeth Milner spent part of last week here the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Ditzmars.
The Dorcas Society intends holding an ice cream sale early in June. Meeting this week with Mrs. Frank Ruggles.
A hot wave was felt here on Thursday and Friday of last week. A sea turn on Saturday and cold high wind over Sunday.
Sunday School Association Day was observed in our school last Sunday, 24th, the program "Empire Builders" being used.
Mr and Mrs R. V. Ditzmars are circulating an attractive booklet descriptive of their popular summer home, the "Sea Breeze House."
The Mission Band is preparing for a rally this Monday evening, the meeting to be addressed by Mrs. P.R. Foster, Provincial Superintendent.
An excellent sermon was given by Rev. J. S. McFadden on Sunday afternoon. Subject: "Loyalty." Service next Sunday at three o'clock.

PORT WADE
May 25
George B. Johnson went to St. John last week seeking employment.
Mrs. Wm. Reed went down to Centreville, Digby County, last week for the summer.
Schooner Onward, Capt. Johnson, is here at anchor piling laden, awaiting a chance out.
Miss Winnie Johns, who was reported as sick with pneumonia last week, is convalescent.
H. H. Martell, travelling optician, and G. H. Snow of Hampton, were in the village last week.
Mrs. Thomas Wood and daughter Ruby of Annapolis Royal, spent the week end with friends and relatives here.
Mr. Jones, lumber dealer of Weymouth, in the village, having his schooner the Flora M. loaded with piling for Boston.
Miss Irene Bewley, elocutionist, entertained quite a large audience at the Methodist church here on Saturday evening, 23rd.
James Hayes went to Plympton last Saturday to join Capt. Gibson's schooner, the Rewa, which is loading piling at that port.
Skippers Casey and Slocum, with schooners Grace Darling and Wilfrid L., are in harbor here over Sunday. We understand they made a good catch in the Bay last week. The prices are well up now.
The death of Wm. Emery occurred at his home, Victoria Beach, on Monday afternoon, 18th inst., and was buried here at the Baptist cemetery on Wednesday, Rev. Mr. MacWilliam officiating. He leaves a widow and two young daughters to mourn. The sympathy of the community is with the bereaved.

LOWER GRANVILLE
May 25
Ideal weather the past week. Vegetation made rapid progress.
Mrs. John Robblee, junior, and Miss Olivia Robblee spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Archie Troop at Belleisle.
About fifty friends of Mr and Mrs. Fred Bath, of 75 Verona street, made an unexpected call at their home, Friday evening, and gave them a surprise. The occasion was the 20th anniversary of their wedding, and as the principals had not appeared to be inclined to observe the date, their friends did it for them.
Those who were present at the gathering were Mr and Mrs Stewart Farnsworth who were the witnesses at the wedding twenty years ago in Nova Scotia, together with friends from Cambridge, Swainscott, Saugus and Lynn. During the evening, Charles S. Withersell presented Mr and Mrs Bath with a handsome large record rocker, to which both replied feelingly. There were many other gifts of china and bric-a-brac.
The company was royally entertained with readings and songs by Mr. Withersell. A collation was served by Mrs. Laura Farnsworth, Mrs. Lali Weston, Mrs. Fannie Todd and Mrs. Lizzie Winchester. The affair was in the hands of Mrs. Farnsworth and Mrs. Weston—Lynn Item. (Mrs. Bath is the eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs James Clarke, postmaster at Lower Granville.)

NORTH RANGE
May 25
Miss Bessie B. Bragg spent last week home with her parents.
Mr. C. B. MacNeill purchased a fine horse the past week from Mark Amero, Doucetteville.
Our teacher, Miss M. Young, gave a patriotic concert on Friday in honor of Victoria Day.
Miss Sarah MacNeill is home, having had to resign her school in Queens County on account of a lame arm.
We are sorry to report that our doctor, G. W. Harris, has sold his fine place and practise to Dr. Dickie. We are very sorry to part with Dr. Harris, as he was very highly esteemed, both as a society and professional man. He is going to try his fortune in the West. We wish him success.

SPRING SEASON 1914

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Groceries of all Kinds

FRED SCHMIDT
BEAR RIVER, N. S.

KARSDALE
May 25
Geo. McKenzie returned from Boston on Monday.
Schooners Onward and Flora M. have been loaded within the past few days at Port Wade with piling for Boston.
It is generally reported that the tender of James E. Morrison for the construction of a pier at Goat Island has been accepted. Mr. Morrison is now well advanced with his contract at Battery Point pier.
Rev. Mr. McWilliams, who is just assuming the pastorate of the Baptist Church in Lower Granville, preached to a large congregation in Karsdale on Sunday last, and made a very favorable impression.
As your correspondent predicted in his last correspondence from New York, Charles Becker's second trial in connection with the Rosenthal murder has resulted in his conviction of murder in the first degree. An appeal will be taken and months elapse before it is disposed of, but nothing but a miracle can save the ex-policeman from the electric chair. The execution of the four gunmen seemed to intensify public feelings against him to a degree that would not be satisfied with anything short of the extreme penalty.

LIFE THREATENED BY KIDNEY DISEASE

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B. A. KELLY, Esq.

HAGERVILLE, ONT., Aug. 26th, 1913.

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THE COLORS OF THE FLAG.

What is the blue on our flags, boys? The waves of the boundless sea, Where our vessels ride in their timeless pride, And the feet of the winds are free; From the sun and smiles of the coral isle, To the ice of the south and north, With dauntless tread through tempests dread, The guardian ships go forth.

What is the white on our flag, boys, The honor of our land, Which burns in our sight like a beacon light, And stands while the hills shall stand; Yes, dearer than fame if our land's great name, And we fight wherever we be, For the mothers and wives that pray for the lives Of the brave hearts over the sea.

What is the red on our flag, boys? The blood of our heroes slain, On the burning sands in the wild waste lands, And the froth of the purple main; And it cries to God from the crimsoned sod, And the crest of the waves out-rolled, That he send us men to fight again, As our fathers fought of old.

What is the green on our flag, boys, Whatever he said or done, Though the shots come fast, as we face the blast, And the foe be ten to one— Though our only reward be the thrust of a sword, And a bullet in heart or brain, What matters one gone, if the flag float on And Britain be Lord of the main.

—Frederick George Scott

The week after her father bought an automobile, Julia, aged five, said her prayer like this: "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who try to pass us."

MINARD'S LINIMENT used by Physicians.

Some Experiences of a Modern Homesteader

HARDSHIPS IN HOMESTEADING

(By G. M. Acheson)

One thing which caused us considerable amusement during the summer was the point of view in which the experiment was regarded by our relatives in the east.

We would write a glowing account of our "holiday," and would receive in reply such a message as: "You certainly seem to be enjoying your summer—but well, we will be glad when you are back in civilization again."

Or we would suggest that a friend would be wise to follow our example and be told: "We can see your point of view, and grant that it is all right, but my wife could never stand the hardships," etc.

Then we would begin to count up our "hardships." The first was, always, the want of our books. It had been impossible to ship in freight—except in car lots—so we had been forced to pack what necessities we required in trunks and grips, and pay excess baggage. Now, however, trains are running, and we can have our books next summer.

Then there was the want of fresh meat. We didn't altogether enjoy that. We could get meat only once in a while at first, but the butcher shop had changed hands before we left, and though prices were high, one could get a change from the inevitable bacon and canned stuff. Then once in a while we were able to shoot a rabbit or an occasional wild duck, in season, and sometimes to procure a chicken or piece of fresh pork from a neighbor. A few prairie chickens stray northward from the river, or south from Sounding Creek, but as yet, they are a negligible quantity.

Another disadvantage was in having no horse or means of getting about. We had intended getting a saddle horse, but by a "fluke," as it were, this did not materialize, and we were left to shank's mare. My husband thought nothing of a ten or fifteen mile walk, but five was the limit for kiddie and me, and that only at the last.

Sometimes a neighbor lent me a saddle horse, and one ride was memorable. It was the first, and my saddle had never been used before and was stiff and not yet in shape. Also it was the first absence of the mare from her colt. Barely had I mounted, when, with a sudden swing she jolted one foot from the stiff stirrup and bolted for home, pausing only when she reached her own gate.

It was a wild ride, but I managed to sit tight, though I lost my comb and pin from my hair. Never mind, we had a jolly ride afterwards, and Jess behaved like a little lady, once she found she couldn't have her own way.

Then what drives we've had—a jolly one on a jumper or "stone boat" that jolted to pieces twice on the trip; a cosy one on a load of hay, with an aftermath of brushing for days to get the hay out of our coats; rough ones on lumber waggons, and scarcely less rough ones in a buggy over prairie trails, bumping into badger holes in the dusk.

These were the worst of our hardships, so do you wonder we used to laugh over some of our letters?

SOME DISADVANTAGES AND ADVANTAGES.

I think what we liked least was the wind. Calm days were very few, especially on our hill, which caught every breeze. "Breezy Heights" we called it, though my husband suggested that "Hurricane Hill" might

be a little more suitable. In the west, unlike the east, winds more often rise than fall at sunrise or sunset. And how they whistled about the chimney wires, played weird chords or shrieked in unholy glee! Little wonder they get on one's nerves at times. Still, as to everything else, one gets used to them in time, and in mosquito weather how one longs for them.

Another of the disadvantages which bothered us a little was the frequency with which the one grocery store ran out of supplies. I've known it to be out of coal, oil and yeast for weeks—and the next store was seven miles further away. Being thus without competition, prices were high, choice was exceedingly limited, and, as I said, often mere necessities were unobtainable.

This trouble, like many of the others, was remedied before we left, when another, and a very good grocery and general store opened up. In dry goods the story was the same. Mail order houses got many dollars from our town, and particularly after way freight could be shipped in.

As against all these things, we had a comfortable—if not commodious—house, with well-screened windows and doors, and plenty of good water, soft enough for domestic use. In the warm weather we used an oil stove—three-burner, with oven—and thus had comfort and coolness at an average cost of little more than a gallon of oil a week.

We worked hard, but not uninterestingly. We took holidays when we pleased and spent them usually, in the open. Neighbors were within easy-walking distance, all exceedingly kind and hospitable.

The fresh air and exercise gave us excellent digestions and our health improved marvellously. I gained fourteen pounds. The kiddie grew like a bad weed, and my husband, without putting on weight, improved greatly in general health.

THE FINANCIAL SIDE.

As for the financial aspect, we so far have not gone into farming very seriously, consequently we didn't benefit financially by our first summer. Our house and furnishings cost us about \$500; our well cost about \$26 dollars in cash, but had added another \$500 to the value of the property.

It cost us \$50 for preparing, back-setting and seeding the six acres broken and another \$50 for breaking and diskings ten acres more. Our assets from the oats were \$35 and from the hay—a third share, \$15, while Jack made \$20 working for a neighbor.

Our potatoes yielded us enough for our own use for the winter. Our vegetables were not a success. The gophers got the early ones and the later ones did not ripen in time. Of course, we were able to use quite a few, but we had none over.

The freugard garden didn't materialize. Things came up, grew a while, then simply stood still. Toward autumn we had a few meals from it but that was all.

It cost us about \$25 a month for living expenses during the summer, but this included butter, eggs and milk bills. When the rush of the house building was over it had been too late to procure hens, and meat being so scarce, eggs became a large factor in the food question. We paid from 29 cents a dozen to 40 cents as the year grew older.

A cow, a pig and some hens would have meant money saved, but we intended putting in our six months' residence duties in the summer and returning to town for the winter months, so, investing in stock in spring when prices were high, to dispose of it in the fall, when prices were low, would not have been good business.

If we follow out our present plan

WHEN BUYING YEAST INSIST ON HAVING THIS PACKAGE



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and spend the whole year next time—use just six months of the usual year and the next six of the usual year continuously—thus running our residence duties, we hope to have news and cow and thus reduce our expense account.

"Then as to the land itself, we must have broken another fourteen acres, to complete the necessary thirty, and take off another crop, thus fulfilling the requirements in homesteading."

"These finished, we may 'prove up' and become sole possessors of our hundred and sixty acres. Is it worth while? Well, you shall judge for yourself. By now it is assessed at \$2,500 unimproved, and our improvements—counting the well—easily add another thousand to its present value. Besides, all the land around is selling at from twenty to twenty-five dollars an acre, and now that the trains are running through, it is soon to be worth more, even in this slump of real estate.

Any good arable land, within four miles of a railway station and town, and with such markets as Calgary and Saskatoon within two hundred miles direct, looks pretty good to me.

Our town, too, is growing as only western towns do, and its conveniences soon will offset most of the disadvantages of our first year. Already it has doubled in size since we went out, and now possesses a station agent and express office, as well as a daily mail.

A large hotel is in course of erection, a bank is established. There are two elevators, two groceries and general stores, a furniture store, a butcher shop, drug store, three lumber agencies, two hardware, several implement agencies, a church, a blacksmith shop, a couple of restaurants, a good town well, and, of course, the usual Chinese laundry, barber shop and poolroom. In fact, you will say that to be quite civilized now we only need a moving picture theatre and a newspaper, and when we know, even they may be there when we go "in" next spring.

Blue Monday Clears for Farm Wives.

No More Washing and Ironing Days for Some Minnesota Women.

(Technical World Magazine)

A long step toward making life easier for the farmer's wife has been taken. A rural laundry at Chatfield, Minnesota, has knocked out washing and ironing day on a hundred farms around the country. The laundry is run in connection with the co-operative creamery which was established some twenty-five years ago, and has since paid out over one million dollars to farmer patrons.

Believing that practically the same plant with its machinery, that was already being used to churn butter, could be used to launder clothes, the Chatfield butter makers set about to try the experiment a year ago. The additional machinery required was secured for two thousand six hundred dollars and an experienced laundryman was brought from St. Paul to the little town of Chatfield.

A charge of five cents a pound for washing and ironing was established, making the average family washing and ironing cost about fifty or sixty cents a week.

The plan adopted is simple. The farmer patron of the creamery brings the basket of soiled clothes with his cream one day, and takes back the clean clothes, all nicely laundered, when he comes the next day with another load of cream. No extra trips are necessary; the farmer's wife puts the basket of soiled linen in the wagon on Monday morning, and Tuesday noon, when the farmer returns from his daily cream trip, he brings back the clean linen, laundered at a cost very little in excess of the home expense for materials.

"Blue Monday" on the farm, with its back-breaking hours of rubbing and wringing, has become in this locality a thing of the past.

The creamery laundry was a success from the start. The receipts the first year were five thousand four hundred and three dollars. About seventy per cent of this was paid out in wages. Ten per cent went to patrons of the plant as a dividend or rebate and the balance was used to pay rent, buy soap, and declare a six per cent dividend for the stockholders.

The ten per cent dividend to the patrons was a great surprise and made the laundry still more popular. If a farmer's laundry bill had been fifty dollars for the year, he received a cheque for five dollars as a dividend-rebate. If he happened to be a stockholder he received an additional six per cent dividend on his stock.

So successful was the Chatfield experiment that the men who conducted it were called to Madison, Wisconsin, last January to address the hundreds of farmers assembled for the annual Country Life Conference. A score or more of similarly conducted laundries will probably be started in Wisconsin during the year. Interest has been quickened by the offer of three hundred dollars in cash by former Dean W. A. Henry, of the State College of Agriculture, of Wisconsin, to the most successful rural co-operative laundry in the State.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

Joker's Corner

Facetious Doctor (to artist)—"The pictures on the wall are your failures I suppose."

Dyspeptic artist—"Yes. That's where you doctors have the pull over us. You can bury yours."

It was a busy day in the butcher shop.

"Hurry up, John," called the butcher to the boy who helped him; "and don't forget to cut off Mrs. Murphy's leg and break Mrs. Jones' bones, and don't forget to slice Mr. Johnson's tongue."

A well-known judge, when he first went to the Bar, was a blundering speaker. On one occasion, when he was engaged in a case concerning a lot of pigs, he said: "Gentlemen of the jury, there were some twenty-four pigs in that drove—just twenty-four, gentlemen—exactly twice as many as there are in that jury-box!"

A WARNING.

The minister was coming to dinner, and the lady of the house killed a rooster in his honor. Her little boy was very much annoyed, and thought it cruel.

Some time after this the lad saw the minister coming up the road. He ran into the yard and began putting all the hens and chickens into their roosting place, saying all the time: "Shoo, shoo! Here comes the man that ate yer father!"

A friend of Thomas A. Edison tells a story of the days when the great inventor lived at Menlo Park.

A friend from New York, who had called upon T. A., remarked to him one day: "Your front gate needs repairing. It was all I could do to get it open. You ought to have it trimmed, or greased. It works too hard."

The great man laughed. "Oh, no," said he, "that wouldn't do at all. Why not?"

"Because everyone who comes through that gate pumps two buckets of water into the tank on the roof."

HIS CHOICE OF TEXT.

A little boy who had been promised a watch in a too indefinite future showed a tendency to revert to the subject with a frequency which finally overcame the patience of his irate father. "If you say 'watch' again in my presence, I'll thrash you!" was the ultimatum. Next morning at prayers, when each member of the family offered a Bible verse, the boy demurely gave his as he fixed his eyes with his eye, and repeated: "What I say unto you I say unto all, 'Watch!'"

One of the bosses at Baldwin's locomotive works had to lay off Pat. Pat liked to argue, so to save time, the boss wrote Pat a letter discharging him. The next day Pat was missing. A week later the boss saw him at his lathe again.

"Didn't you get your letter?"

"Yes, sor. Oi did," said Pat.

"Did you read it?"

"Sure, sor. Oi read it inside, and Oi read it outside," said Pat, "and on the inside yer said I was fired and on the outside yer said, 'Return to Baldwin's locomotive works in five days.'"

HE BLESSED IT.

A teacher of a Sunday School class tried to impress upon her young charges the necessity of blessing the food before eating.

"Billy," she asked of a little fellow whose father was an elder in the church, "what prayer does your father say before you eat?"

"I dun know."

"Well, what did he say this morning before breakfast?"

Billy meditated; suddenly he remembered and beamed.

"He said, 'You kids go slow on the butter now! It's forty cents a pound.'"

An English rector was about to leave his church one evening when he encountered an old lady examining the carving on the font. Finding her desirous of seeing the beauties of the church, he volunteered to show her over, and the flustered lady, much gratified at this unexpected offer of a personally-conducted tour, shyly accepted it. By and bye they came to a handsome tablet on the right of the pulpit. "That," explained the good man, "is a memorial tablet erected to the late vicar."

"There, now, ain't it beautiful?" exclaimed the admiring old lady, still flustered and anxious to please. "And I'm sure, sir, I 'ope it won't be long afore we see one erected to you on t'other side."

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"The business man of forty expected to be fat and soft a generation ago. He rather admired in fact, a fat, soft shape. The richest business men were fat and soft, and that made a fashion of it, just as Queen Alexandra's lameness made a limp fashionable in Victorian times."

"What stomachs our fathers had at forty or forty-five—feather bed stomachs, which they balanced by bending backward! A big stomach was a sign of success, a sign of gentility. If you were lean—why, you must be a laborer. Perhaps you did not get enough to eat."

"What is the cause of the slender agile figures of today? Open air and exercise, that's the cause. Golf is the cause. Motoring is the cause."

"My friend," the tailor impressively ended, "my books show that the middle aged business man of today is four inches bigger around the chest than the middle aged business man of 1890 and eighteen inches smaller around the stomach."

ALMOST A MAN.

I don't wear dresses any more—see my coat and breeches, cuffs and collar, pockets, too.

Made with many stitches, I must have a watch and chain, A silk umbrella and a cane! No more kilts and skirts for me, I'm a big boy, don't you see?

You can give away my dresses, And my other baby clothes, Give away my horse with rockers, I want one that really goes—But two nice goats, I guess, will do! And I want a carriage, too—No more chairs hitched up for me, I'm too big for that, you see!

I think I'll give my picture books To little sister Mary; I'll go to school, and learn to read In the big dictionary, Or, maybe in a geography, Or, "rithmetic, or history; They're just about the size for me For I'm a big boy, don't you see?

Why Do Women Suffer

When They Could Be Well? It is so easy to be well and strong and able to enjoy life, that it is surprising how many women drag themselves through the day suffering tortures from lame back due to kidney trouble. Mrs. Wilcox found the way to cure herself and gladly writes about it so that others may be induced to use the same remedy.

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West Paradise

Mrs. Manetta Prall of Windsor, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. J. Poole over Sunday. Our school teacher, Miss Annie Longley, is visiting friends at Wolfville during the Empire vacation. At time of writing Mr. Elden Parker is very ill with pneumonia. We hope to hear of his improvement at Clementsport.

Miss Ida Poole, Mrs. H. Trimmer and children, also Mr. Fletcher Durling are visiting friends and relatives at Clementsport. Mr. J. W. Saunders, who has been confined to the house with an attack of chronic bronchitis, we are pleased to report convalescent.

We notice in the items of last week's issue of the Monitor mention of a quilt containing 2,132 pieces. We can beat this. Mrs. B. W. Saunders has one containing 2,970. Next!

The "match" shoot between the officers and N. C. O's of the 69th Regiment was shot over the rifle range in this place on Saturday last. None of the officers appeared, so it was shot off by the N. C. O's alone. Some good shooting was done. The highest scores were made by Sergt. Major B. W. Saunders and Pioneer Sergt. H. Sanford, each scoring 99 points. Sergt. J. I. Foster came next with a score of 96 points. The ten men who shot in this match made a score of 930 points, or an average of 93 points per man. It is a good thing the officers stayed at home for they had a team to contend with that is hard to beat.

St. Croix Cove

Mr. Silas Beardsley is making an improvement in his house. Mr. B. R. Hall arrived home from Acadia College last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Chute, Clarence West, visited Mr. and Mrs. Zachens Hall, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Poole and Miss Goldsmith, Bridgetown, and Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Chute, Hampton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Poole yesterday.

Port Lorne

Stme. Margaretville called here on Friday. We are glad to see Capt. F. A. Beardsley out again. Mr. Percy Anderson has gone to Shelburne to join a schooner at that port. Mrs. S. M. Beardsley and family is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Anthony. Ten young people were baptized by our pastor Rev. Asaph Whitman on Sunday afternoon, May 17th. A large number was present.

Mrs. James Miller of Dochester, Mass., was called home last week on account of the illness of her father and mother, Capt. and Mrs. John Anthony. Mrs. Benjamin Neaves, who has been sick for some time, passed away on Tuesday last, aged seventy-one years. Her husband, two sons and two daughters survive her. Mr. Addy Nichols and son Coy of Kentville, spent last week with friends here. Mr. Nichols has improved the appearance of his cottage with a coat of paint.

Hampton

Miss Estella Brooks spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brooks. Mr. George Gaskill, who has been very poorly, we are pleased to learn is better. There have been a few fine days of late and the farmers have improved the time. The weir of Templeman and Bezanon has been put in and now look out for salmon. Mr. and Mrs. Elias Messenger leave on Wednesday for their annual trip to Nahant and Lynn. Miss Ritchey and Miss Annie McGarvie spent the week end with Major and Mrs. Ritchey at Nictaux. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Collins on the birth of a son Friday, May 22nd. —James Edgar. Mr. Reed Farnsworth, proprietor of the Sea Side House, has erected a flag pole fifty-two feet in height, the nicest one in the place.

Paradise

Miss Beatrice Elliott is spending a few days with friends in Nictaux. Miss Hilda Longley of Deep Brook, as been visiting her mother, Mrs. I. M. Longley. Mr. Albert Potter of Acadia College, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Milledge Daniels. The Misses Annie and Gladys Jackson have been visiting their mother Mrs. C. Jackson. Mrs. L. C. Marshall, who has been visiting friends in Yarmouth the past few months, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. Ralph Layte returned from Wolfville last week and is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Layte. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Banks and children, Frances and Merle of Round Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Covert for a few days, returning to their home on Monday. The many friends of Miss Jennie Corbett, a missionary in India, and who spent several weeks at the home of her brother in Paradise before leaving for the foreign field, will regret to learn that she is seriously ill. A lesson on Akidit was taught by Mrs. G. L. Pearson at the monthly meeting of the Mission Band on Sunday morning. Mrs. W. E. Banks, a former president of the Band, was present and made some remarks about the work.

Springfield

Mr. Clyde Veinot of Albany, visited friends here recently. Mrs. J. G. Morrison spent Monday last at Middleton. Mr. Wilford Carder is visiting friends at Clementsport. E. V. Thomas of Middleton, recently visited friends here. Miss Gertrude Roop of Kentville, is spending a week at her home here. Miss Bernice Bentley of Middleton, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Roop. Mrs. Charles Phinney of Middleton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Z. T. Harlow. Mr. Hallett Allen and Miss May Deamone spent the week end at New CornRill. Miss Laura Morrison of Halifax, has been spending a few days at her home here. C. N. Roop of Middleton, spent the week end the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Roop. Little Reta and Margaret Freeman of Middleton, are guests of their grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Grimm. Miss Flossie Young, accompanied by her friend, Miss Veinot of Albany, spent the week end at her home at Lake Pleasant. The sum of over \$32.00 was realized at the pie social held in the sample room on J. S. Mullock on Tuesday evening last, for the benefit of the baseball team.

North Williamston

Fred Charlton spent the week end with friends at Kingston. Mrs. M. A. Charlton of Berwick, is visiting her son D. M. Charlton. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Turner of Bridgetown, spent the 24th with their friend, Mrs. A. Stevenson. Miss A. E. Pierce of Wolfville, has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Halsey and other friends here. Mrs. James Moore and daughter Miss Ida Moore of Waterford, N. B., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and other friends here the first of this week. As a result of the special services held here a few weeks ago by Rev. E. O. Steeves of Nictaux, the ordinance of baptism will be administered to several candidates on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. MINARD'S LINIMENT Lumberman's Friend.

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A. L. Danielson left on the 26th for a short trip to Boston. Miss Ruby Wood spent Sunday with her parents at Annapolis. Mrs. A. L. Danielson is attending the closing exercises at Acadia. Mrs. Starratt of Lynn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Beniah Potter. D. Dukeshire drove to Maitland and Caledonia on the 23rd, returning on Monday. Miss Edie Potter of Wilmot, spent Sunday with her friend, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Potter. Miss Goldie Zwicker went to Wolfville on Saturday to attend the closing. Miss Winnifred Chute and Miss Rera Eaton spent the week end at Burton Eaton's, Granville Centre. Mrs. Hubley and two daughters of Clementsport, spent several days recently the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Long. Mr. W. Cameron of Boston, arrived on Saturday to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cameron. The death occurred on May 5th, after a short illness of W. D. Long, an old and respected resident. Although his health had not been good for some time, he kept about his usual work until attacked by his fatal illness. A large number attended the funeral service conducted by Rev. O. P. Brown, pastor of the Baptist church of which Mr. Long had been for many years a valued member. His aged widow and a host of relatives and friends mourn their loss.

Parker's Cove

Mr. Harry Longmire of Litchfield, was the guest of Mrs. Austin Weir on Sunday. Mrs. Selma Halliday of Hillsburn, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. W. H. Anderson, this week. Mr. Harry Longmire of Litchfield, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Milner, the 25th. Mr. Alfred Gauthier and Mr. Malberg of D. C. are here and are going to occupy Mr. Gauthier's summer residence. Work has begun on the west pier here, with Mr. John Clarke as foreman. The work is being carried on by Mr. McDonald, contractor. Quite a number of men are employed. Sche. Lloyd, Capt. W. H. Anderson, arrived from St. John quite recently, and discharged her cargo, and then proceeded to ports up the Bay, looking after his lobster business. Mr. Fred Milner and family have moved on their new place, which he recently purchased from Mrs. May Rice. Mrs. Rice is going to move to Upper Clements. Sorry to see our neighbors leaving us. The silent messenger called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Weir on May 17th and claimed their infant babe of only a few weeks old. —Rosella Pearl. Much sympathy is felt for the young parents. Rev. Mr. Davis, Methodist, officiated at the home and grave. Interment took place in the cemetery here.

Clan MacKinnon Praises Cobequid Hero

Kentville, May 5.—Captain J. Edgar MacKinnon, the hero of the Cobequid disaster, is at the provincial sanatorium, where in the past few weeks he has made marked physical improvement. It was most gratifying to the captain to recently receive a letter from the headquarters of the Clan MacKinnon. The letter reads: Clan MacKinnon Society, 124 Gloucester Street, Glasgow, Scotland. Capt. J. Edgar MacKinnon, S. S. Westport. Dear Fellow Clanman: A full account of the Cobequid disaster was read at a meeting of my directors held on the 4th of March, and they were greatly moved by your heroism and full admiration for your gallantry shown on this occasion. I was, therefore, instructed to communicate to you their congratulations for rescuing without loss the passengers and crew of that ill-fated ship. At the same time I was instructed to offer you honorary life membership of the Clan for the heroism and I shall be glad to hear that you will accept. DONALD MACKINNON, Honorary Secretary.

Billsburn

Miss Minnie Morgan of Victoria Beach, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Snow. Miss Minnie Walker of Clementsport, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Harwick. Mr. Burton Green of Granville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longmire. Mr. and Mrs. Primrose Halliday and baby of Litchfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Halliday. Mrs. Carrie Woodworth and son Frederick, of North Easton, Mass., visited relatives here last week. Mr. Archibald Longmire and daughter Ella of Granville Ferry, spent the week end with relatives here. Miss Matilda Milbury of Tewkesbury, Mass., and Mr. Charles Milbury of Litchfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Longmire. Mr. Herbert J. Bosse returned here from England on the 23rd inst. He preached in the Baptist church on Sunday evening. The meeting was largely attended. There will also be services on May 31st at seven-thirty o'clock. All extend him a hearty welcome.

Bear River

Rev. Harry Patterson spent a few days with friends in Nictaux and Chatham. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Romans with friends sailed in their motor boat for Glenholm on Saturday. Mr. Fletcher Chute went to Boston on Saturday, at which place he expects to remain for the summer. Messrs. G. T. Tupper and O. P. Goucher spent a few days last week on a trouting expedition and were successful in getting a good catch. Don't forget the rare musical and literary treat in Oakdene Hall on the evening of June 2nd by local talent. A number of readings will be given by Miss Lillian Hicks. The soloist of the evening will be Miss Annie L. Clarke. If this entertainment is missed it will always be regretted. A fire which started on Monday morning at South Range spread with great rapidity, and in the afternoon reached Lansdowne, within two miles of Bear River, doing a lot of damage to timber lands. Mr. Melbourne Rice's house at Lansdowne caught fire, but fortunately, was saved from destruction. Militant suffragettes made an attempt last week to storm Buckingham Palace, London, and reach the king. Over half a hundred arrests were made. Women fought viciously and fifteen hundred of the police were called out to repel the attack. The engagement lasted thirty minutes and scores of combatants were rolled about in the mud.

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Eel-Grass is Expensive

Boston paper.—Every year a cargo of eel-grass goes south from Yarmouth and probably not one person in a thousand knows what it is used for. A whole lot of people who spend a few weeks at a seacoast place in the summer months, and have tried to do some swimming where the tall, rough eel-grass abounds, have figured out that it isn't good for much of anything except to be cursed. It seems, however, that eel-grass is of some use; indeed, of so much use that Boston persons paid \$2,393 for a single cargo of it. It is used in the big Chelsea paint concern in the manufacture of lampblack. The grass could be gathered somewhat nearer home than Yarmouth, N. S., but the best quality of the grass is easily to be secured off the Nova Scotia coast. As a rule one cargo of the grass is enough to furnish the paint manufacturers for a year, and the gathering of the grass cannot be especially profitable. Exceptionally low tides are taken advantage of by the reapers of the grass, who cut acres in short time.

Helen Keller, the Girl Who Found the Blue Bird

The following extract from an article in "Pictorial Review" gives some remarkable impressions of Helen Keller by Madame Masterlinck. Although I lived for centuries, I could not forget a color, a shade, a line, nor any single detail of the thousand that form the memory of Hellen Keller, the celebrated deaf, dumb, blind American girl. I first heard the name of Helen Keller, some years ago, through our friend Gerard Harry: "Don't leave America without seeing Helen Keller. What Mark Twain said about her has become a classic: 'The two most interesting characters of the nineteenth century are Napoleon and Helen Keller.'" "What has she done?" "She is deaf, dumb and blind; she reads German, French, Latin and Greek; she has passed the most difficult examination at Radcliffe College; she has written her autobiography; and she is only twenty-eight." She is here, close to me, on the arm of Mrs. Macy, her teacher, her good angel, her life. I saw her coming from the far end of the three large rooms separated by wide bays. She is here! At first I could not believe that this was she, this smiling girl who seemed to be looking at me out of her fine blue eyes; and I instinctively turned to Mrs. Macy, who herself was blind until the age of twenty and who still wears a white veil to temper the light to her weak eyes. But Helen spoke! With an effort, she pronounced a few words of welcome; and when I hear that voice which comes from an abyss! that laugh, that terrible laugh, which echoes through her silence like revellers' foot-steps in the stillness of the night, I feel the hateful distance that parts us and I am filled with dread. From the moment, therefore, when I first set eyes on Helen Keller, I was excited, anguish-stricken, shuddering, tossed incessantly between enthusiasm and horror, by turns astounded and revolted, incapable of estimating, grasping, analyzing my impressions; my imagination was distraught, my reason unbalanced, my whole mind in disorder; and this first visit was wholly dominated by the force and novelty of my sensations. While Helen, with gently stamped upon her brow, but yet curious about my life, spoke and asked me a thousand questions, gathering unwitting answer from my mouth; it was I who was deaf and dumb and blind in the presence of that being who seemed to see me without seeing, to hear me without hearing and to speak to me from the heart of the unknown, for my senses had suddenly become useless and surged blindly against faculties which I perceived without being able to understand them. The person who would venture to speak dogmatically of Helen Keller after an hour's visit, may be taken out to the vast family of the demented, who behold without seeing, listen without hearing and speak without understanding.

Terrible Scalding Accident

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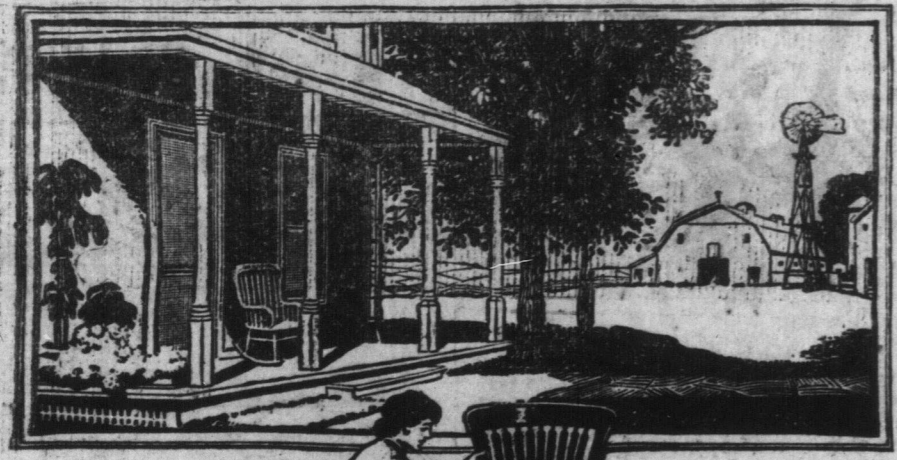
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