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ANNUAL SESSION AT ANNAPOLIS JANUARY, 1908
COUNTY AND WARD OFFICERS

(Continued from last issue.)

WARD NO. 10.

Overseers of Poor—Andrew LeCain, John Eason.
Pound Keepers—Charles Bartheaux, James Copeland, Charles Saunders, Donald Dunn, Jere Steiner, Arthur Harris, G. L. Harvey, Avari Orde, Avari Potter, Lewis Chapman.
Cattle Reeves—Charles Bartheaux, Charles Harwick, William McLeod, Saunders, Lewis Chipman, George Armstrong.

Wood Surveyors—Henry Whitman, Elias Holton, Howard Bent, Fred Beiler, Reginald Harrah.

Lumber Surveyors—Herbert Steadman, Oliver Stalling, Fred Harrah, Charles Bent, Harry Harrah, Fred Beiler.

Presiding Officer (Round Hill)—B. G. Laird.
Presiding Officer (Lequille)—H. R. Bentley, William Bartheaux, Jacob Vallet, Frank Hinds, William Bent, Ambrose Whitman, Samuel Bishop.

Pound Keeper—Hudson Saunders, Oliver Morse, James Allen, John Banks, Arthur Beale, Israel Brown, Joshua Gornely, Arthur Shaffer.

Fence Viewers—Geo. R. Whitman, W. A. Morse, Joseph Longley, Leader Beale, Geo. A. Parker, D. M. Charlton.

Constables—Samuel Nixon, Abner Morse, Harris Daniels, H. A. Grant, Howard Osborne, T. R. Charlton, Leonard Banks, R. W. Daniels.

Supervisors—No. 12 John L. Shafner, No. 24 George Starratt.

ROAD SURVEYORS WARD NO. 12

- 1 Norman B. Layte.
- 2 J. Snow Muir.
- 3 David Layte.
- 4 A. F. Morse.
- 5 T. R. Charlton.
- 6 Arthur Andrews.
- 7 Ernest Nelly.
- 8 M. P. Hoffman.
- 9 Lindsay Gates.
- 10 Howard Osborne.
- 11 Elmer Boland.
- 12 Elmer Boland.
- 13 Isaac Durling jr.
- 14 John W. Banks.
- 15 Leader Beale.
- 16 Vernon Beale.
- 17 George Beale.
- 18 Geo. A. Whitman.
- 19 Joseph Gates.
- 20 Oswald Willett.
- 21 M. S. Parker.
- 22 Harry Willett.
- 23 George Beale.
- 24 Calvin C. Smith.
- 25 Joseph Annie.
- 26 Sylvia Rivers.
- 27 William H. Ward.
- 28 Sylvia Rivers.
- 29 C. W. Hoffman.
- 30 H. A. Grant.

WARD NO. 11.

Presiding Officer—Winlow Jefferson.
Assessors—Louis Rierson, Ashby Hutchinson.
Pound Keepers—Wm. Bordin, Ralph Messenger, Harry Abbott, Frank Messenger, James McGowan, Jos. Durling, Cattle Reeves—Edward Rice, John Dargie.

Fence Viewers—Wallace Bruce, Edward Messenger, Norman Dargie, Frank Poole.

Log and Lumber Surveyors—S. K. Morse, G. W. Lantz, James McGowan, Allen Greeno, E. S. Piggott.

Supervisors—Frank Trees—T. Troop, Messenger, Eugene Morse, Fred Johnson.

Overseers of Poor—Charles Messenger, Andrew Shaw.

Wood Surveyors—John S. Stephens, James Walker.

Apple Inspectors—Frank Willett, Frank Fowler.

Barrel Inspectors—Geo. W. Lantz, Aubrey Boehner.

Brick Inspectors—James Walker, Alden Walker.

Constables—Frank Poole, Andrew Shaw, Herbert Gillis.

Board of Health—C. L. Piggott, Frank Nelson, Geo. Bent.

Sanitary Inspector—Frank Nelson.

License Inspector—E. S. Piggott.

Supervisor—Ashby Hutchinson.

ROAD SURVEYORS WARD NO. 11

- 1 Edward Bruce.
- 2 John S. Stephens.
- 3 Edward Rice.
- 4 Alden Walker.
- 5 Hugh Goldsmith.
- 6 Frank Hansmann.
- 7 Frank Poole.
- 8 Harry Bent.
- 9 Fred Foster.
- 10 James McGowan.
- 11 Joseph Durling.
- 12 George Taylor.

WARD NO. 12.

Presiding Officer (Nictaux Falls)—H. H. Foster.

Presiding Officer (Lawrencetown Lane)—N. J. Franks.

Assessors—Wm. H. Oakes, Miner C. Daniels.

Sanitary Inspector—Dr. A. P. Bell.

Board of Health—Solomon Drew, F. M. Chipman, W. H. Shaffer, R. W. Elliott, G. C. Banks.

Overseers of Poor—C. W. Hoffman, H. O. Whitman, Benj. T. Whitman.

Lumber and Log Surveyor—C. S. Rogers, A. S. Vidito, Wallace Nog.

CORRESPONDENCE

TORBROOK.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar McGuire, who were married recently, are occupying part of James Whyngaught's house.

Mrs. J. Tripp, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Miss Lottin Whitman has gone to New York, to train for a nurse.

Messrs. Hugh and James McMillan, who have been in Cobalt for nearly a year returned home last week.

A pie social in the interest of the church was held in Bloomington last week.

Mr. Geo. Corbit visited our village on business last week.

Mr. John Ervin of Bridgetown, who has been interested in mining here in the past, has recently leased several properties in this vicinity.

Mr. H. P. Wheelock, who has been ill for several months is improving daily.

The mining business keeps things moving, a train load of ore goes out every day.

The lumbering operations of S. Wood have been somewhat hindered by the lack of snow, still a fair amount of work being done.

ALBANY CROSS.

Miss Hattie Schindler of Alpena is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Connel.

Miss Eliza Baras is visiting her sister Mrs. Stanley Meyer, at West Paradise.

Mrs. Annie Todd of Dalhousie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Merry.

Mrs. Blanche Merry, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. H. Saunders at West Paradise the past three weeks has returned home.

Mr. Fred N. Merry has gone to Boston to spend the winter.

NICTAUX.

Mrs. Minard DeLancy and daughter, Marjorie have returned from a three month trip to Virginia. We are pleased to see Mrs. DeLancy so decidedly improved in health.

Miss Bessie Henning and her mother, of Canby are visiting Mrs. J. R. Elliot.

Eugene Parker, Principal of Torbrook Mines Sch. spent Sunday with his cousin, Mrs. Fred Chipman.

By the looks of the wood piles "No snow" is getting to be a serious problem.

Orange Lessons in the air.

Intercolonial Railway

TENDER

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside "Tender for Branch Bridge" or "Tender for Fine Tree Bridge Masonry" as the case may be, will be received up to and including WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27th, 1908.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Station Master at Indiantown, N. B. and New Glasgow, N. S. and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N. B. at which places forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. FOTTINGER,
General Manager,
Railway Office,
Moncton, N. B.
January 16th, 1908

WARD NO. 13.

Revisor—Charles Marshall.
Assessors—Harris Oakes, Lambert McKay.

Presiding Officers—Adolphus Fain, Ernest Freeman.

Constables—Enos Swallow, Jonathan Woodbury, Jacob Stoddart, Avari Koop, A. G. Morton, Hastings, J. C. Kingsburn, Crossburn, Robert Bell, Crossburn, Chas. Widdon, Crossburn.

Apple Inspectors—Chas. Whitman, Chas. Stoddart, Chas. Marshall.

Wood and Bark Surveyors—Hartley Marshall, John Mullich, Wallace Prentice.

Lumber Surveyors—J. W. Roop, Ed. H. Marshall.

Overseers of Poor—John Grimm, S. T. Lobes, Chas. Whitman.

Board of Health—Dr. W. H. Cole, S. P. Grimm, Emory Durling, Allan Zwicker, Joseph Freeman.

Sanitary Officers—Clayton Zwicker, W. L. Saunders, William Roop.

Fence Viewers—Chas. Oakes, Francis Mason, E. Young, G. M. Durling.

Pound Keepers—W. H. Durling, W. M. Durling, Jacob Stoddart.

Cattle Reeves—Roderick McLeod, W. A. Mason, Willis Sproul sr., George Durling.

Log Surveyors—Jacob Koop, J. W. Roop, Chas. Whitman.

Supervisors—Ernest Freeman, Ward 25, Chas. Whitman, Ward 13.

ROAD SURVEYORS WARD NO. 13

AND WARD NO. 25.

- 1 S. Meine.
- 2 Jason Fenner.
- 3 John B. Murry.
- 4 Joseph Mallman.
- 5 William Wood.
- 6 Chas. Stoddart.
- 7 John McGowan.
- 8 William Low.
- 9 Jonathan Morrison.
- 10 James Allen.
- 11 Oscar McNayr.
- 12 John McMullen.
- 13 John Grimm.
- 14 W. L. Sproul.
- 15 David Acker.
- 16 William Acker.
- 17 Rupert Weaver.
- 18 Aaron Mallman.
- 19 Thomas Burnie.
- 20 Dimock Tutts.
- 21 Isiah Lohme.
- 22 D. L. Wade.

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To the Editor of The Herald;

Sir—Will you kindly permit me to draw the attention of your charitably disposed and patriotic readers to the case of one Patrick McCarthy, a veteran of the Indian mutiny and Crimea, at present an inmate of King's county poor house and in receipt of the begrudging "pension" of 9d. (18cents) per day. McCarthy, who by the way fought at Inkermann, and has received seven wounds, is now over eighty years of age and though somewhat infirm is a fine specimen of "that desperate host that cleared the east with steel." I have thought that possibly some of your readers might be disposed to do something towards helping the old man, who I can assure them, is in every sense a worthy object. Clothing, I have no doubt, would be very acceptable, as well as gifts of money. I shall be very glad to take charge of and acknowledge anything sent in, and I have no doubt that his clergyman, Rev. Father Carroll of clergyman Rev. Father Carroll of Windsor, would willingly do the same. Clothing might be sent direct to the "Poor House King's county." Surely we as loyal Canadians owe something to those men who spent their blood for the integrity of the empire.

R. F. DIXON
The Rectory, Wolfville.

The above from the Halifax Herald speaks for itself. The party referred to is not in need and is well clothed and cared for. It does seem strange though in these times when the public is being asked to contribute large sums of money to purchase and beautify battle fields that old men through whose heroic victories have been won are permitted to live the lives of common paupers. Such treatment is not much of an incentive to the youth of today who may desire to serve his country.

Ferrville Chronicle.

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THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

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WARD NO. 14

Presiding Officer—Wm. Dukeshire.
Deputy Presiding Officer—Wallace Longmire.
Assessors—David DeLong, John Lewis.
Overseers of Poor—S. P. Ringer, Reed Orde.

Pound Keepers—James Orde, Solomon Wentzell, Ernest Lightfoot, Will. Freeman, David Hubler, Edward Ruffe, Allen DeLong, Chas. Dunn.
Cattle Reeves—Albert Hubley, Walter Hubley, Hiram Handley, Henry Henshaw, Edgar Gatz, George Dares, Parker Kempton, Arthur Fancy.
Constables—William Fader, Edison Lohme, Edgar Gatz.

Fence Viewers—Henry Orde, Charles Merry, George Earley.
Lumber and Log Surveyors—Chas. Merry, Albert Ford 2nd, Delbert Minard, James Munro, Robert Rowter 2nd, Charles Dunn.
Board of Health—William Dukeshire

S. P. Ringer, Chas. H. Ford, Wallace Longmire, Edgar Gatz.
Supervisor Polling District No. 14, E. N. Rowter.
Supervisor Polling District No. 28, W. H. Ford.
ROAD SURVEYORS WARD NO. 14
1 Samuel Dukeshire.
2 Delbert Minard.
3 Albert McBride.
4 John Lewis.
5 Ernest Kempton.
6 John Dukeshire.
7 George J. Ringer.
8 Amos Corkum.
9 William Cushman.
10 Solomon Wentzell.
11 Charles E. Munro.
12 Horace Munro.
13 John Kaulbach.
14 Surgeon Sewding.
15 Wallace Earley.
16 Charles Dunn.
17 Janiah Fancy.
18 Joseph Rogers.

WARD NO. 15

Overseers of Poor—William Buckler, William Marshall, Albert Faulkenham, Thomas Devaney.
Fence Viewers—George H. Buckler, Samuel Swift, Joseph Fredericks, J. B. Gillis.
Constables—J. W. Hannan, Grey Gillis, Thomas Todd, Albert Faulkenham, Thomas Devaney.
Log Surveyors—J. B. Gillis, Albert Faulkenham, Appleton Buckler.

Pound Keepers—Robert Gibson, Ambrose Baxter, Hilton Darling, Chas. Taylor, Abram Medcraft, Grey Gillis.
Assessors—Norman Buckler, Edwin Marshall.
Cattle Reeves—Charles Todd, Freeman Shipp, James Jackson, George Kelley, Millen Buckler.

Presiding Officer—R. W. Kelley.
Board of Health—Millen Buckler, Millen Buckler, Thomas Todd, Risdon Durston, James Jackson.
Lumber Surveyors—Mill Gibson, Thomas Devaney, Courtney Gibson, Isaac Taylor, Percy Taylor.
Ward Clerk—James Hannan.
Assessors—Millen Buckler.
Supervisor—William Todd.

WARD SURVEYORS WARD NO. 15

1 Thomas Devaney.
2 Robert Gibson.
3 John Campbell.
4 Frank Ramsay.
5 George Medcraft.
6 Glen Gillis.
7 George Kelley.
8 J. B. Gillis.
9 Charles Taylor.
10 Millen Buckler.
11 John W. Hannan.
12 Albert Darling.

WARD NO. 16

Presiding Officer—W. J. Spinney.
Supervisor—A. M. Spinney.
Assessors—James Jefferson, Leslie Armstrong.

Overseers of Poor—A. M. Spinney, E. D. Baker.
Pound Keepers—Clarence Ritchie, Beniah Banks, DeLong Burns, Albert Irvin, G. D. Wheelock, Leverett Parker, Leander Kendall.

Cattle Reeves—Fred Brown, James Myers, Eric Nelly, Alonzo Corkum, William Copeland Elder Hatt.
Hay Weighers—W. O. Baker, C. H. Schaffner.

Wood Surveyors—Nelson Hatt, John Goucher, Wm. Jefferson, Fred Randall.
Fence Viewers—James Jefferson, Wesley Flemming, A. Baker, Johnson Nelly, C. E. Robinson, James Hitz.

Log Surveyors—E. H. Banks, H. M. Phinney, D. B. Armstrong.
Lumber Surveyors—E. H. Banks, W. L. Phinney, Robie Armstrong.

Apple Barrel Inspectors—James Hill, Leonard Hatt, Robert Coyle.
Inspectors of Staves and Heading—D. B. Armstrong, J. L. Hatt, Janiah Hiltz.

Fruit Inspectors—Aman Baker, G. E. Spurr, G. W. Wheelock, W. G. Holland.
Inspectors of Fruit Trees—H. P. Wheelock, J. Harvard Parker, C. W. Nelly.

Inspectors of Brick—I. H. Brown, H. P. Wheelock.
Board of Health—E. D. Baker, J. L. Brown, C. H. Banks, Fred Randall, Thomas Spurr.

Inspectors of Licenses—W. V. Spurr.
Sanitary Inspector—W. J. Spinney.

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Constables—James L. Brown, T. E. Banks, I. H. Brown, Weddell Marshall, Maynard Wheelock.
Ward Clerk—Ezekiel Barteneux.
ROAD SURVEYORS WARD NO. 16
1 Crawley Walton.
2 Robert Coyle.
3 A. O. Parker.
4 C. R. Banks.
5 Bartlett Banks.
6 L. P. Eaton.
7 Weddell Marshall.
8 Alonzo Corkum.
9 Chas. Clark.
10 J. A. Wheelock.
11 Maynard Wheelock.
12 Samuel McConnell.
13 Martin Ullman.
14 W. I. Morse.
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QUICKLY!

Former Resident of Digby Takes His Life.

Great surprise and regret was caused in Digby by the report that E. Bilen, a former resident of that town, but for the past sixteen years residing in Amherst, had taken his own life. Mr. Bilen was a manufacturer of canines and also had an ice cream parlor in Amherst, but for some years has been in ill health, which caused despondency, leading to the act of suicide, committed by shooting himself with a revolver.

While in Digby Mr. Bilen was for some years deputy sheriff and also represented the town at the council board. In Amherst, Mr. Bilen took a deep interest in civic affairs and served successfully as councillor for two years. He was a man of genial temperament, very popular with all classes, in politics a Conservative, in religion, an Episcopalian. His wife, who was a Miss Douglas, of Fredericton, N. B., survives him, also one daughter, Mrs. Oscar Killam, who, with her husband have been visiting her parents for some time, and three sons, Henry, in Cobalt, Ont., Herbert, in Elk, Nevada, and William A., commercial traveller. The body was taken to Digby for burial.

Town of Bridgetown

OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK & TREASURER

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the town of Bridgetown upon which rates will be levied in and for the said town for the present year 1908 has been filed in the office of the undersigned, the town clerk, and that the said roll is open to the inspection of the rate payers of the town.

And further take notice that any person, firm, company, association or corporation assessed in such roll, who claims that he or it should not be assessed or who claims that he or it is over-assessed in such roll, may, on or before the tenth day of February next, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he or it appeals from such assessment in whole or in part and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of objection to such assessment.

And further take notice that if any person assessed in such roll, claims that any person, firm, company, association or corporation has been assessed too low or has been omitted from or wrongfully inserted in such roll, he may, on or before the tenth day of February, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he appeals in respect to the assessment of the said person, firm, company, association, or corporation, and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of his objection.

Dated at Bridgetown this 9th day of January, 1908.
F. L. MILNER
Town Clerk

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FRIDAY, January 24th, 1908.

The Nova Scotia Telephone Company have so far improved their system that it is now possible to carry on conversation between Yarmouth and Halifax.

Military instruction has been instituted in the public schools of Halifax, preliminary to its introduction generally in the schools of this province.

The report of the Boston Fish Bureau shows the past season to have been the most successful in years. The catch of mackerel was 33 1-3 per cent better than that of the previous season. The best stock was that of the John McKinnon, amounting to \$22,710.

The celebrated Steel-Coal appeal case has been decided in favor of the Dominion Steel Co. The Spectator states that Annapolis Royal was represented on the legal forces of both sides, W. B. A. Ritchie being one of the solicitors acting for the Steel Co. and J. J. Ritchie being associated with the defence.

There has been a big drop in the price of hay and oats during the past few days in New Brunswick. The bottom has apparently fallen out of the market and prices are away down. (Date were quoted the other day in Charlott County, N. B. at 35 cents per bushel, while hay for export has been selling at \$7 and \$5 a ton.)

A former Nova Scotia educationist passed away in Victoria, B. C. recently in the person of Frank H. Eaton, M. A. formerly of Kentville, for several years inspector of schools in Victoria. His tendency to lung trouble induced him to leave his native province for the west, and the same trouble was ultimately the cause of his death.

Shelburne is indignant over the failure of the Halifax and South Western railway company to build the spur in that town. Lands were expropriated for this purpose, and the grading was made, but so far no rails have been laid. The wharf too has not materialized. The town council and the board of trade have both taken the matter up, and have written the company concerning it.

A HUGE SUCCESS.

(New York World.)

Admiral Evans's fleet ends the first month of its cruise brilliantly. Thirty days after leaving Hampton Roads it has got as far along as Rio Janeiro. In sixty-two days in 1898 Captain Clark, of the Oregon, made the voyage from California to Florida. The torpedo flotilla, which started ahead, has dropped behind the battleships, owing to a series of accidents to machinery. The supply ships cannot keep up with the fleet at a ten-knot gait.

By way of lending color to this performance three officers of the fleet have been ordered on trial by Admiral Evans, charged with conduct prejudicial to good order and discipline, neglect of duty and falsehood, and 300 sailors on shore liberty at Rio Janeiro have indulged in a night brawl with the Brazilians, in which two sailors were stabbed and eight others hurt.

The naval expedition to the Pacific is a huge success. Anybody who dares question the absolute efficiency of the United States navy and the propriety of this fiasco demonstration at this time commits an unpardonable and unpatriotic offence. But the fleet will reach the Pacific coast in time for the early political campaign, and if need be it may be kept there until the November election is decided.

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The Angel's Coming

(Continued from last week.)

The Maltese kitten left his seat in the Morris chair, and rubbed his body back and forth against her stockings, purring softly. For a moment her resolution wavered. "Toodles'll miss me, I guess," she thought sadly, and lifted him into her lap. "I wonder if he'd like to go with me."

"Toodles," she whispered, "do you want to go to God's house with me?" Toodles squirmed out of her arms and went back to the Morris chair. It was undoubtedly the stiff piano and not the journey that was unpleasing to Toodles, but the child construed it otherwise, and the great tears rolled slowly down her cheeks. "I'll go alone, and I might as well start now."

She went over to the table, and with much care penned a farewell note.

"Dear Father," it ran. "I hate to leave you awful bad, but I'm afraid of my stepmother. I'm going up to God's house. Don't let her hurt Toodles and you take your own part. You're loving father, Louise."

She added a queer shaped thing she labeled "a kiss," then sealed and directed the note and laid it on the evening paper.

On tiptoe lest the housekeeper should hear and intercept her, she slipped from the room, crossed the hall, and hurried up the dark stairs.

An hour later her bedroom door opened noiselessly, and first a man's and then a woman's form appeared in the doorway; but at sight of a pathetic little heap under the bed-covers they hastily withdrew and closed the door. There was a whispering confidence; then the door opened and closed again.

The March wind whistled around the corner of the house and fairly shrieked as it rushed in through the open window and made straight for Louise's bed. She drew the covers closer about her throat; then reaching up one little, warm hand felt carefully of her face. It was cold—uncomfortably so. Her nose was like an icicle. She wondered how

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could she needed to be. She could not resist ducking her head under the blankets for just one moment, and when she drew it forth again she almost stopped breathing. There by the window stood a white-robed girlish figure. Louise closed her eyes quickly; she wished to be all ready when called for.

There was a sound of a gently lowered sash and steps approaching her bed; then silence—except for the loud beating of her heart. Presently she noticed a faint odor—was it violet? She sniffed inquiringly. Yes, it was violet. Probably they slept on beds of them. How sweet that would be! She was frightened—terribly frightened—but it would be delightful when it was all over. She wondered what an angel looked like. She opened her eyes for just one peep. A very sweet face bent over her.

"Are you awake dearie?" a gentle voice asked.

She was not sure whether she ought to be awake or asleep, but she was truthful. "Yes, ma'am," she said faintly, then hastened to add, "Are you an angel?"

The face lighted up with a very pleasant smile. "Some people say I am."

"Did God send you to me?" "I think He did, dearie. Do you want me?"

"Yes, ma'am, I've been looking for you. Am I cold enough?" she said. A hand was laid softly on her forehead.

"Why, you are cold—and no wonder with that window open. Let me get in with you."

Louise tremblingly made room for the violet-scented messenger from God. "Is heaven a pretty place?" she asked, as soon as they were comfortably tucked in.

"Yes, dear, more beautiful than we can imagine."

"Oh, very!" Louise gulped down a sob. "Did you ever see my mother?"

"No, I never did. Tell me about her."

The child undertook the task with eager haste. It was so very necessary for the angel to have a clear mental picture before they started on their journey.

"And I've been so lonesome without her," the child ended sobbingly. "I want to see her so much—I can't tell you."

"Gently, the tears were wiped away and Louise's cheek was pressed close to a soft velvety one.

"Be a good little girl and you will see her some day," came the comforting assurance.

"Will we start soon?" asked Louise anxiously.

"Not very soon I think. I have come to stay with you. Won't that be better?"

The child struggled between politeness and candour. "You are real nice," she said softly, "but I want to go to my mother. Do you know who is coming to our house?"

"Who, dear?" "An awful ugly woman that's worse than Mrs. Martin, and she'll scold me and whip me, and—oh dear! I want my mother," she wailed.

"The angel drew the child closer in her arms, patting her caressingly. "There, there, don't cry. Whoever told you such things I don't know. The woman won't whip or scold you. She will be very good to you, and love you very dearly."

"And she won't pour hot water on Toodles and lend father a life?"

The angel laughed. "Who told you that, dear?"

"Mrs. Martin said so; and she said she'd take the meanness out of me."

"Poor baby," the angel said pityingly. "What you need is a little of the goodness brought out of you. Louise, look at me. Would you think me very cross?"

"No, you're a dear. I love you."

"Would I do for a new mother?"

The child threw her arms about her visitor's neck. "I should say you would," she exclaimed, delightedly, then suddenly remembering, she added with profound disgust, "but father's got one already."

"Dear, I am the one your father brought."

"Yes, really?"

The child sprang up in bed. "Really? she exclaimed incredulously.

"O' you sweet thing!" and her lips sealed the compact of eternal devotion.

Half an hour later Rachel Darst—stepping softly so that she might not awaken the sleeping child—crossed the room and opened the door to the hall.

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Father and Son Drowned.

Outside sat her husband, anxiously waiting. "The rebellion is over," she said laughingly. "Mr. Bust drew her into his arms. With a lover's touch he turned her face to his and looked long and earnestly into her eyes. "Dearest," he said softly, "she needs you as much as I do. I give her into your keeping."

Father and Son Drowned.

A double drowning accident took place off Westport, Brier Island, Wednesday afternoon. Frank P. Titus, aged 56 years, and his son, Blake, aged 20 years, were rowing in from their lobster traps, when they met their death.

Mrs. Charles Buckman, wife of the keeper of the Northern Point light house, saw them pass the Point as a

big sea was breaking on the shore caused by the heavy swell coming up the Bay of Fundy. A few minutes after the dory passed the point Mrs. Buckman noticed it was bottom up, and she immediately gave the alarm. In the meantime both bodies were washed ashore, the father's body being badly bruised where it came in contact with the big rocks.

Frank P. Titus was one of the most prominent residents on Brier Island. He had been tax collector for many years and always filled important offices. He was a member of the local lodge of Oddfellows in Westport and will be greatly missed by everyone.

His wife died some years ago. He leaves another son, aged about seventeen, and a little daughter about nine years old. There also survive him six sisters and one brother, the latter being Rev. George B. Titus, a prominent clergyman in Massachusetts, who became very popular during the Boer



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Bridgetown.

Starr Fullerton of Wolfville spent last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Foster.

Chas. Dyke Jr., of Yarmouth is expected Saturday and will be the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Underwood at the Rectory.

No mail from Annapolis was received in Bridgetown today, having presumably been carried by the postal car. This thing happens rather too frequently for the convenience of the public.

Mrs. Wm. Tupper, who has been spending the last few months in town, returned to Upperville on Saturday, where she will spend the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Fred Armstrong.

In addition to the Soloists mentioned in our last issue as taking part in the Recital of Sacred Music in St. James' Church next Tuesday evening will be Miss Evelyn Starr of Wolfville an expert violinist. This will add greatly to an already good programme. The recital will commence at 8 o'clock sharp.

Mrs. Wm. Legge and Mrs. Oliver Balfour returned from New Ross, Kings County, where they were summoned a week previously by the death of the former's daughter, Mrs. Keddy, which took place on the 12th, inst. Mrs. Keddy has been in ill health for more than a year. She is survived by a husband and six children.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. debating club Monday evening, the resolution in favor of extending the franchise to women was warmly discussed, and by a vote of the club, sustained with a small majority. We are glad to note that the younger members of the club are taking an active part in the discussions, and trust that the debates this winter will be a source of profit as well as enjoyment. The resolution to be discussed next Tuesday evening is: "Resolved that life in the country is more favorable to human development than life in the city." The discussion will be opened by Sydney Fay, to whom Mr. Otterburn will respond.

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Annapolis.

W. J. Shannon spent a few days in St. John recently.

Chas. McCormick spent a few days in Halifax this week.

D. E. Riordan is spending a few weeks in the Southern States.

A. M. King took a trip to Halifax, on Saturday returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Buckler recently made a trip to Maitland, the former home of Mrs. Buckler.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Harris entertained their friends at an "At Home" on Thursday evening.

Mrs. F. W. Pickels entertained a large number of friends at whist on Friday evening of last week.

Annapolis Royal Lodge, A. F. and A. M., held their regular monthly meeting, Wednesday the 15th when three degrees were conferred on two candidates.

R. W. Hardwick is moving the house formerly occupied by Mrs. John Edwards, on St. George St., to his unoccupied lot on Victoria St. where he will remodel the same as tenement.

A petition is being circulated in town in order to nominate W. J. Shannon as Mayor, which appears to be a fitting tribute to Mr. Shannon, considering he has been in business here for forty years and has always had a great interest in public matters.

Annapolis Royal Branch of the Game Association held their annual meeting on Monday evening, January, 13th, when some important matters were discussed. The following were elected as officers for the ensuing year:—
Pres.—H. A. West
Vice Pres.—A. D. Thomas.
Secy and Treas.—J. H. Lombard.
Exec. Com.—Jas. Ramsay, Wm. DeVaughy, J. S. Beeler, Dr. Byers.
Auditors—F. W. Harris, E. R. McDaniel.

MARRIED.

SARTY-GREGORY—At the home of the bride's parents, Young's Cove, Jan. 2 by Pastor E. C. Wall, M.A., son and daughter of William Sarty to Azzoo Gregory.

MILNER MCGARVEY—At Parker's Cove, at the home of the bride's father, Jan. 14th, by Rev. J. A. Whitman, Minister, daughter of Thomas Milner, Jr. to Frank M. Garvey.

Bear River.

Miss Mattie Wade is spending a few weeks among relatives in Annapolis County.

Mrs. Bogart had the misfortune to slip on the ice and in falling sprained her wrist.

Miss Nan Clarke, daughter of W. G. Clarke is confined to her home with a sprained ankle.

The preliminary survey on the Bear River and Caledonia Railway route has been finished for this season. The engineers, Messrs. Hendry and Letson having returned to their homes and other surveys in another section of the Province. We understand they have discovered a practical route and that in the spring a further and more definite survey will be made, when no doubt the route will be practically established.

The District Division Sons of Temperance will meet here on the 18th of February. The sessions will be interesting. There will be a public meeting at which stirring addresses will be delivered, probably interspersed with a musical programme.

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Granville Ferry.

The first ice cakes of the season were seen in the river on Monday last. A winter that floating ice has not been seen before so late a date.

The steam ferry company have with drawn their boat from the service and other parties are ferrying by row boat. The ice is rife with rumors as to the future service. What about the bridge?

Miss Annie Stephenson of St. John, N. B., is visiting her friend, Mrs. Wm. H. Rhodes.

Miss Mattie Wade of Bear River is the guest of her uncle, W. A. Pigott.

Capt. C. Collins of the Steamer Granville is suffering from an attack of laryngitis.

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Smith's Cove.

Mrs. M. H. Dowley has gone to Beaver River to visit friends.

Henry H. Sully, who has been under the doctor's care is improving nicely.

A cheque for one hundred dollars has been received from Mr. Count of Lyon. This is the amount of his contribution to the hall fund.

Smelts have been running into the Joggin weirs quite freely of late. Large quantities have been caught and shipped to the Boston market.

Squire Winchester has kindly intimated that he will give ten dollars to the hall fund. The squire can always be depended upon for a generous contribution.

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Accom. from Annapolis, ... 7.20 a. m.
FOR BEAR RIVER:
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Accom. from Annapolis, ... 3.45 a. m.
Express from Yarmouth, ... 12.43 p. m.
Accom. from Annapolis, ... 7.39 a. m.

Midland Division

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Department of Railways and Canals

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

NOTICE re Leasing of Old Car & Work Shops, Moncton, N. B.

SEALS TENDERS, addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, marked "Tender for Leasing car and work shops," will be received until 10 o'clock of the FIFTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1907, for the acquiring under lease of the car and work shops with Railway sidings, (at Moncton, N. B.) as designated on plans to be seen at the office of the Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, and at the office of the General Manager of the Intercolonial Railway, Moncton; the lease to be granted to cover together with the general terms and conditions in such cases, the following:—

1.—Term 21 years at rental named, with right of renewal for second term at such rental and upon such conditions as the Governor in Council may then determine.

2.—Occupation and use to be bona fide for an industry that will yield a reasonably good return for the railway character and prospective output of which to be commensurate with one year from date of Lessee acquiring property.

3.—That yearly operation shall be of such an extent as to continuously employ not less than 200 employees.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified bank cheque for \$10,000.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Railways and Canals to be held by the Department in case of the successful tenderer, until such time as the Lessee has duly installed on the premises for the operation of the work to be carried on under lease, machinery in value to the sum covered by said cheque, of which value the Minister aforesaid shall be the sole judge and at which time to be duly returned to the Lessee by the Department.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By Order,
L. K. JONES, Secretary Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, January 7th, 1907.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

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Notes—A contingent liability of \$200,000, in conjunction with several other banks in connection with the liquidation of the Ontario Bank, is not expressed in the above statement.

H. C. MCLEOD, General Manager. AUDITORS' REPORT. We hereby certify that we have personally checked the cash on hand at Halifax, St. John, Montreal and Toronto. We have also verified the securities held as investments, personally examining those held by the Canadian branches of the Bank, and procuring certificates by responsible business men, not in the employ of the Bank, certifying to the existence of the remainder of these securities. We have further to report that having examined the foregoing Balance Sheet, and having compared the same with the books of the Head Office, and the certified returns from the branches, we are of the opinion that it is a full and fair Balance Sheet, exhibiting a true and correct view of the Bank's affairs as at 31st December, 1907. D. H. HULIE, C. A., Edinburgh. J. M. MANTON, C. A., Edinburgh.

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<p>Skirts at great Bargains.</p> <p>Prices were \$2.25 now \$1.60 Prices were \$2.85 now \$2.00 Prices were \$3.50 now \$2.40 Prices were \$3.90 now \$2.75 Prices were \$4.25 now \$3.25 Prices were \$4.50 now \$3.10 Prices were \$5.25 now \$3.25 Prices were \$5.50 now \$3.75</p> <p>Flannelette Waists</p> <p>Flannelette Waists were 60c now 45c Flannelette Waists were 80c now 60c Flannelette Waists were 75c now 50c Flannelette Waists were \$1.25 now 90c</p> <p>Black Sateen Waists.</p> <p>Black Sateen Waists were 75c now 50c Black Sateen Waists were 90c now 65c Black Sateen Waists were \$1.00 now 75c</p> <p>Black & Colored Sateen Underskirts.</p> <p>Black & Colored Underskirts were 95c now 60c " & colored Underskirts were \$1.10 " 75c " & colored Underskirts were \$1.50 " \$1.00 " & colored Underskirts were \$1.90 " \$1.45 " & colored Underskirts were \$2.25 " \$1.65</p> <p>LADIES' WINTER GLOVES</p> <p>Ladies' Winter Gloves were \$1.50 now \$2.00 Ladies' Winter Gloves were 1.50 now 1.10 Ladies' Winter Gloves were 1.35 now 1.00 Ladies' Winter Gloves were 1.25 now .87 Ladies' Winter Gloves were 1.10 now .80</p>	<p>D. and A. Corsets.</p> <p>D. & A. Corsets were 50c now 30c D. & A. Corsets were 75c now 55c D. & A. Corsets were \$1.00 now 75c D. & A. Corsets were \$1.25 now 95c D. & A. Corsets were \$1.50 now \$1.10 D. & A. Corsets were \$1.75 now \$1.35</p> <p>Curtains.</p> <p>Lace Curtains were \$2.50 now \$1.80 Lace Curtains were \$1.50 now \$1.00 Lace Curtains were \$1.80 now \$1.35 Lace Curtains were \$1.25 now 85c</p> <p>Mens Underwear.</p> <p>Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear was 50 and 60c now 40c Men's Fleece Lined Underwear was 75c now 55c Men's Plain Wool Underwear was 75c now 55c Men's Fleece Lined Underwear was 80c now 60c Men's Plain Wool Underwear was 60c now 40c Men's Plain Wool Underwear was 85c now 60c Men's Plain Underwear was 90c now 65c Men's Plain Wool Underwear was \$1.25 now 95c Men's Plain Wool Underwear was \$1.35 now 95c Men's Plain wool Underwear was \$1.75 now \$1.30 Stanfields Heavy Underwear was \$1.20 now 95c Stanfields Heavy Underwear was \$1.30 now \$1.05 Stanfields Heavy Underwear was \$1.40 now \$1.10</p>	<p>Homespun Suitings</p> <p>Homespun Suitings were 50c now 40c Homespun Suitings were \$1.25 now 85c Homespun Suitings were \$1.40 now \$1.00</p> <p>Venetian Cloths</p> <p>Venetian Cloths were 60c now 40c Venetian Cloths were 80c now 60c Venetian Cloths were \$1.00 now 75c Venetian Cloths were \$1.40 now \$1.00</p> <p>Lusters and Sicilians</p> <p>Lusters and Sicilians were 50c now 40c Lusters and Sicilians were 85c now 60c</p> <p>Fancy Flannelette</p> <p>Fancy Flannelette were 13c now 10c Kimona Cloths were 18c now 13c</p> <p>Hundreds of remnants of Dress Goods, Flannelette Wrappercuts, Prints, almost given away.</p> <p>Ladies Rib Cashmere Hose</p> <p>Ladies' Cashmere Rib Hose, were 30c now 21c Ladies' Cashmere Rib Hose, were 40c now 30c Ladies' Cashmere Rib Hose, were 50c now 35c Ladies' Cashmere Rib Hose, were 45c now 35c</p> <p>Ladies Plain Cashmere Hose</p> <p>Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose were 30c now 21c Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose were 40c now 30c Ladies' Plain Cashmere Hose were 50c now 35c</p> <p>Fleece Lined Hose</p> <p>Ladies Fleece Lined Hose were 25 & 30 now 15c</p>	<p>Ladies Plain Waists</p> <p>Ladies' Waists of Lustré and Katona Cigles in Black, Navy, Cream, Cardinal and white were \$1.00 to \$3.00 now 75c to \$2.50</p> <p>Ladies' Flannelette Night Robes.</p> <p>Ladies' Flannelette Robes were 8 1/2c now 50c Ladies' Flannelette Robes were 90c now 60c Ladies' Flannelette Robes were \$1.10 now 80c</p> <p>Boys' Fleece Lined Underwear.</p> <p>Boys' Fleece Lined Underwear all sizes from 4 years to 14 Challenge Sale price 30 cents each all sizes</p> <p>Mens German Otter Fur Caps.</p> <p>Mens' German Otter Fur Caps were \$5.00 now \$2.75 Mens' German Otter Fur Caps were 2.50 now 1.75</p> <p>Men's Suspenders</p> <p>10 doz. Men's Suspenders were 15c now 10c a pair 5 doz. Men's Suspenders best Mohair ends were 35 cents now 19 cents a pair</p> <p>MEN'S FUR COATS</p> <p>2 Men's Wallaby Fur Coats were \$30 now \$22 2 Men's Black Sashatchewan Coats were \$15 now \$11</p> <p>LADIES' FUR COATS.</p> <p>19 ea. Wallaby Fur Coats were \$30 now \$22 Only Ladies Fur Lined Coat reg. price \$50 now only \$25</p>	<p>MEN'S GLOVES</p> <p>Men's Wool Gloves were 60c now 40c Men's Wool Gloves were 90c now 60c Men's Mocha Gloves were \$1.50 now \$1.10 Men's Mocha Gloves were \$1.75 now \$1.25 Men's Mocha Gloves were \$2.00 now \$1.40 Men's Mocha Gloves were \$2.25 now \$1.60 Boys Fleece Lined Underwear (all sizes) were 40c now 30c</p> <p>MEN'S OVERCOATS</p> <p>Men's Overcoats were \$5.00 now \$3.75 Men's Overcoats were \$6.00 now \$4.25 Men's Overcoats were \$7.50 now \$5.25 Men's Overcoats were \$8.50 now \$6.50 Men's Overcoats were \$10.00 now \$7.00 Men's Overcoats were \$12.00 now \$8.90 Men's Overcoats were \$15.00 now \$10.00</p> <p>Childrens Bear Cloth Coats</p> <p>Childrens' Bear Skin Coats were \$1.00 now \$1.20 Childrens' Bear Skin Coats were \$2.00 now \$1.45 Childrens' Bear Skin Coats were \$2.40 now \$1.75 Childrens' Bear Skin Coats were \$2.10 now \$1.50</p> <p>We have a few Jacket carried over from last season which we will sell \$1.00 to \$5.00 former prices were from \$5.00 to \$15.00</p> <p>Men's Sweaters</p> <p>Men's Sweaters were 80c now 50c Men's Sweaters were \$1.10 now 75c Men's Sweaters were \$1.20 now 90c Men's Sweaters were \$1.25 now 95c</p>	<p>Carpets</p> <p>Union Carpets were 40c yard now 30c Union Carpets were 45c yard now 35c Union Carpets were 50c yard now 35c Union Carpets were 60c yard now 42c All Wool Carpets were 75c yard now 55c All Wool Carpets were 80c now 62c All Wool Carpets were 88c now 68c All Wool Carpets were 95c now 72c</p> <p>Tapestry Carpets</p> <p>Tapestry Carpets were 60c now 50c Tapestry Carpets were 65c now 55c Tapestry Carpets were 85c now 60c</p> <p>Brussels Carpets!</p> <p>Brussels Carpets \$1.10 now 75c Brussels Carpets were \$1.35 now \$1.00</p> <p>Ladies White Night Robes!</p> <p>Ladies' Night Robes were 90c now 60c Ladies' Night Robes were \$1.15 now 87c Ladies' Night Robes were \$1.35 now 95c Ladies' Night Robes were \$1.75 now \$1.25 Ladies' Night Robes were \$2.25 now \$1.50</p> <p>Ladies Jackets</p> <p>Ladies' Fancy Tweeds \$5.50 now \$3.90 Ladies' Fancy Tweeds \$9.00 now \$5.50 Ladies' Fancy Tweeds \$12.75 now \$8.75 Ladies' Fancy Tweeds \$13.50 now \$8.75 Ladies' Fancy Tweeds \$14.00 now \$10.00 Ladies' Black Cloth \$8.75 now \$5.90</p>
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