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2 QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE, GAGETOWN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1900.

CHRISTMAS!

I have much pleasure in again wishing all my acquaintances and friends a Merry Christmas, a Happy New Year and many happy returns.

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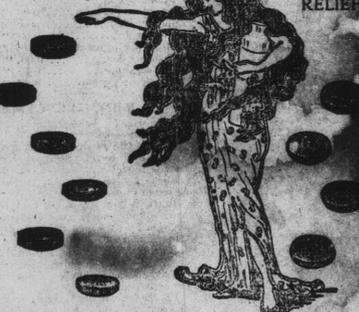
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Poetry.

DUNGARVON'S CONTINGENT IS READY.

(Newcastle Advocate.)
We're a peaceful lot of people,
And we only kill the moose,
And hunt the roving caribou,
Or sometimes "shootem goose."

But now the fur is rising up
Along Dungarvon's back
For our country's flag is drooping
And our empire's on the rack.

We can hear the bugle sounding,
And there's war talk in the air,
And we read of bloody battles
And would like to have our share.

So we're seizing up our crooked knives
With whetstones on our hip,
We've had pork and beans all winter
And we're spoiling for a scrap.

And up and down our country line
From Boleston to Scumiac
We see men rolling up their sleeves
And jumping up their back.

And the captain of our Battery
Sifts the letters from afar,
And is raising up a platoon
Just like Harry of Navarre.

For they tell us that the Empire
Is fast falling to decay
That old England's power is waning,
And all Britons had their day.

The hairy man from Africand
Has got them on the goff,
And other nations standing by
Are giving us the laugh.

Even the man down at the Bridge
Who was always kind and free
And liked to soothe a brother's woe
Since the days of Hecy Lee.

Even he is backing up the Boers
And saying in his prayers
That they've got old Joshua's banners
And the land of Canaan's heirs.

And it sets our blood to boiling,
And we look down the years
And note the swash of empire cut
Behind the British chequer.

And we see the land of liberty
And right and law and such,
All long and up to a standstill
By the blasted lop eared Dutch.

And kraut and bologna
Are to lead the hopes of man,
Where roast beef and plum pudding
Have been always in the van.

If they must place a cross on our path
Around Victoria's brow,
By the great Dungarvon Whopet,
We want to know it now.

So wire us when you want us
And we "gamble" we'll be there
With bread crumbs in our whiskers
And we'll see the land of liberty.

But our arms are strong for battle
And our spirits light as dew,
And our hearts against our jumpers
Will beat loyally and true.

Then fling that banner over us—
The grand old Union Jack,
That doesn't get put up a bluff
And have to take it back.

We want no gilded lace or straps,
No bugle call or fess,
Just place us on the firing line
And leave the rest to us.

DUNGARVON RIVER, Feb. 1, 1900.
UNANSWERED PRAYERS.

Like some schoolmasters, kind in being stern,
Who hears the children crying o'er their slates
And calling "Help me, master," yet helps not,
Since in his silence and refusal lies
Their self development, so God abides
Unheeding many prayers. He is not deaf
To any cry sent up from earnest hearts;
He hears and strengthens, when He must deny.

He sees us weeping over life's hard sums;
But should he dry our tears, and give the key,
What would it profit us when school were done
And not one lesson mastered!

What a world
Were this if all our prayers were granted
In famed Pandora's box were no such vast ills
As lie in human hearts. Should our desires,
Voiced one by one, in prayer ascend to God
And come back as events, slaped to our wish,
What chaos would result!

In my fierce youth
I sighed out breath enough to move a heavy
Voicing wild prayers to heaven for fancied
blessings
Which were denied; and that denial
bends
My knees to prayers of gratitude each
day
Of my maturer life. Yet from those prayers
I rose always regraded for the strife
And conscious of new strength. Pray on
and heart!

That which thou pleaded for may not be given,
But in the lofty altitude where souls
Who supplicate God's grace are lifted,
there

Thou shalt find help to bear thy future lot
Which is not elsewhere found.
Young's Cove Road.

The weather for the past week has been very mild and warm.

Mr. Moses Hughes returned home a few days ago from the hospital. He reports his health better.

Some of the young people of this place left here to attend a dance at Cud's on Wednesday evening. Among them were: Lillie Elliott, Alice Hanselacker, Carrie Jeffery and Harry Slipp and Thes. Lewis and others too numerous to mention.

Misses Ella Hughes and Emma Worden were the guests of Miss Alice Ferris on Saturday last.

Mr. Calob Lewis fell on the ice a few days ago and badly fractured his arm.

Mr. John Jeffrey has returned home to spend a few days after an absence of three years.

Miss Edie Wiggins will spend the remainder of the winter at Cole's Island. Her absence from the Cove is missed very much.

I would advise that the farmer always plan beforehand to have a suitable spot for planting strawberries, and a good way to do it would be to plant potatoes on it the previous year, manuring it heavily, and not allowing a weed to go to seed on it.

The next fall, plough under another good crop of manure, and in ploughing it back-furrow to the centre, so as to give good surface drainage, and when spring comes do not replough it, but work the surface fine and mellow to the depth of three or four inches and set the plants.

Young Doctor—Congratulate me, old man. I'm just preparing to visit my first patient.

Young Lawyer—Good! I'll go with you. Perhaps he hasn't made his will—Chicago News.

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A Few Instances of Wasted Energy.

Do you know a man who twiddles his thumbs all the time he talks to you, or his finger, or possibly the watch chain which he wears? Or, if he does not do any of these things, he does something equally annoying.

It may be that you yourself, when you are thinking what you will say next to your shortland clerk, beat time with the tips of your finger nails, while she taps her foot.

All these little idiosyncrasies the neurologist classifies as physical automatons, and regards as energy wasters.

Probably you will find yourself avoiding or stopping on cracks, or counting of arcs in patterns, or the posts flying past the window, grasping unthinkingly at things which you will never use, or counting of lines and rows of figures.

The great Napoleon counted windows as he walked abroad, and if he happened to lose count his temper was completely spent for the rest of his walk.

Everybody knows the story of poor old Dr. Johnson who counted posts, and many sad, insane men are doing the same to-day.

One should avoid as much as possible this tendency of mind and body to dissipate valuable energy.—Pearson's Weekly.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

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Upper Hamstead April 25th, 1899.

NOTICE.

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Dated at Hamstead, Nov. 17th, 1899.
J. SAMUEL VANWARD,
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ANNABEL BRANDER,
Executor.

Dated at Gagetown, Queens County his 18th day of July, 1899.

NOTICE.

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Hardwood Ridge.

"Words are but silver silence is gold."
The correspondent of this place evidently
is a firm believer in the old saw.

At present the engaging appearance as
in other places is the war. It is aston-
ishing to listen to the profound plans
that are being drawn by our village strate-
gists for the relief of Lady Smith; which,
doubtless will be relieved before this ap-
pears in print. Every man has his fa-
vorite general. Here it might not be
amiss to state that Gen. Sir R. Buller
has paid a visit to this section of the
country. Accompanied by other gentle-
men he spent a few days hunting on the
Gaspereaux plains. He spent two nights
in Mr. Dorsey's log cabin about thirty
years past. The above old gentleman
aptly described him as being "talent and
as dark as midnight."

A wave of prosperity passing over the
country must in a measure be responsible
for the present increase in population.

Messrs. James Drost, James Biddiscombe
James Campbell and others are wearing
paternal looks—to each an heir.

Wm. Marley, sr.; and Wm. Marley, jr.
have arrived home after sojourning some
months in the Tobique lumber woods.
They report the snow as being of great
depth.

Daniel Duffy the well known lumber-
man reports everything favorable for the
lumber man. He took more men back
with him.

Samuel Fuller had his hand injured
in the lumber woods.

Holly Brown has recovered from a serious
cut on the patella or knee cap.

Hugh McNeil of North Forks is recover-
ing from the effects of a broken leg.

John R. Kadey is confined to his home
with influenza.

Mr. Andrew Miller has had the mis-
fortune to break three of his ribs.

Samuel Bette has purchased the beau-
tiful grey trotting mare, formerly owned
by Samuel Drost. It is a pleasure to see
the high action of the flyer while going at
full speed.

The school is progressing well under
our present teacher.

The Hall committee are talking of re-
singing the hall in the near future.

We are glad to note the stand taken by
some of the St. John people in regard to
compulsory education and comment on
some time since by the Chipman corre-
spondent. Nothing would be of such
vast importance to our province, nothing
in the way of legislation is needed more,
it is shocking to find, even in our best
districts, more or less children who are
growing to the state of manhood and re-
sponsible, without any education what-
ever. And it is a curious fact that these
children are mostly of the same stock,
from ignorant and unthrifty parents, they
possess nothing in the way of hereditary
endowments, except perhaps those per-
verse traits which are sure to be strength-
ened by parental example. Now the
only remedy for this is some form of com-
pulsion. We boast of our school system,
but there is not an European country
save ours, which is not superior to ours
in this and other respects. We judge a
country from an educational standpoint
by its system and its intellectual produc-
tions. Now with this as a criterion we
find that Germany produces 27,000 new
books every year; France 3,000; Italy,
5,500; Great Britain, 7,300; United States
5,300. England leads in novels, Germany
educational and scientific works, France
in history, Italy in political economy.

Now these countries are in the van-
guard of education, which has been com-
pulsory for years; at least in Germany
and France.

Perhaps some statistics in regard to
the cost of education in New Brunswick
will not be amiss. We find in "Report"
for 1899, that there were 13 Grammar
schools in operation with 794 pupils in
Grammar school grades. The grant to
Grammar schools \$6,127, thus gives the
cost to government of \$7.70 per pupil, on
the basis of salaries to teachers \$22.00
per pupil.

Superior Schools: Pupils in required
grades about 739, there being 45 such
schools in operation at cost of \$608.00
per teacher gives closely \$35.00 per pupil
to the country and about \$15.00 to the
government.

Common schools: The cost per pupil
is approximately \$2.20 per pupil to gov-
ernment and \$5.50 to the country. Now
the question is this: Are the secondary
schools producing results commensurate
with their cost compared with the pri-
mary? And are not the poor districts ne-
glected in their efforts to obtain a good
rudimentary education for their children?
We think they are, judging by a re-
cent order of the Board of Education
poor districts employing I class teachers
can only get aid based upon allowance to
II class. This is not fair as out of 538
poor districts in the province many are
very poor and contain a goodly number
of children.

By the above order an indirect result
has been given to the poorer class of peo-
ple. You are poor! Your children there-
fore are not supposed to be taught by a
I class teacher.

By the above order the best stone in
our educational system has been re-
moved; since it does not give the poor
man the same chance as the rich, which

was the primary aim of our system of
Poor Aid, and the maintaining of the
common schools on a level with one an-
other must be more difficult hereafter.

What we want is state control of edu-
cation and a uniform rate of taxation.

Mouth of Jemseg.

Feb. 28.—Owing to the storm there
was no service in either the Episcopal or
Baptist churches on Sunday evening at
this place.

John Bennett Anderson, the singing
evangelist preached to a large and atten-
tive congregation on Saturday evening at
this place.

Mrs. Geo. B. Nevors had a quilting
party Saturday afternoon. She got two
quilted quilts. This shows that the Jen-
seg girls are smart, does it not? The
boys were invited for the evening and a
very pleasant time was spent playing
games, etc. Cake and coffee were served
about ten. The party broke up about
eleven leaving their best wishes with the
host and hostess who had done everything
possible to make the time pass pleasant-
ly.

Quite a number around here are get-
ting out legs among whom may be men-
tioned F. C. Nevors, R. Mason, Heustis
Bros., and Recco Bros.

Mr. James DeWitt is registered at the
Elm Grove Hotel.

We have some very fast horses around
here. E. C. Nevors drove from McDon-
ald's Corner through a distance of five
miles, in twenty minutes, one night last
week. Arthur Wright came down from
Young's Cove in one hour and twenty
minutes last Wednesday.

Miss Doris Gulliver had a birthday
party last Thursday evening. A very
pleasant time was spent playing dominoes
and other games.

The people of Jemseg are pleased to
see the smiling face of H. W. Titus
around again.

Mr. B. Case has been doing this place
and Lower Cambridge with his steam
sawing machine which gives general satis-
faction as it cuts faster and does better
work than the horse power machine.

Mr. James Dece is pushing the work
rapidly forward on his new saw-mill.

Miss Sarah Wright has returned home
to spend the rest of the winter with her
parents.

W. Raess intends making a trip across
the Atlantic in the spring on important
business.

Wickham.

Feb. 23.—The young people of this
place are succeeding well with their Ed-
ucating society. Several members
have joined lately and we hope and pray
it will increase.

The weather for the past few days has
been fine and the people of this vicinity
are enjoying the time.

Mr. John McCrea of this place has
been very ill but under the careful treat-
ment of Dr. Sauerbille he is now as well
as usual. His many friends are pleased
to see him around again.

We are pleased to say that our teacher
here, is much liked.

Mrs. W. S. Golding of this place is
very ill.

Mr. Wm. Golding has returned from
Golden Grove after having a very enjoy-
able visit. His young friends welcome
him back.

Miss Agnes Logue has returned from
St. John very sick and is remaining with
her brother, R. B. Logue.

Mr. Amos Sharp is very ill at present.

Miss Ella Riecker of this place has
been spending a few days with her sister
Mrs. George Bates at Lower P.

Miss Sadie McCrea is going to spend
a few weeks with her friends at Spring-
field.

Mr. Wm. Foster is busily engaged in
lumbering.

Harley Road.

Feb. 24.—An old man living on the
Stevenson Road having lost both his eyes
some years ago took frantic for the want
of tobacco, his people refusing to supply
him with that luxury, turned his wife out
of doors and then groped his way to a
neighbor's house a mile's distance. Find-
ing his way to the door he asked for the
man of the house swearing he would have
tobacco or a life. The women made their
escape and spread the alarm that the
blind man was running the roads crazy.
The news was quickly carried to Mr.
Clark a well known lumberman of this
place who was working with his men in
the woods quite near. He soon arrived
with six or seven men each having an axe
to capture the blind man. Mat stood his
ground and confronted his antagonist,
brandishing a large cane he carried to
guide him in the darkness. Our hero
flunked out and retreated to the woods
leaving the old man still craving for to-
bacco, some of the more generous gave
him tobacco and he returned home and
is living once more in peace with his fam-
ily.

Mr. John Clark who has returned from
St. John where he had been on business
was suddenly attacked with pleuro-pneu-
monia. Dr. H. B. Hay of Chipman is in
attendance.

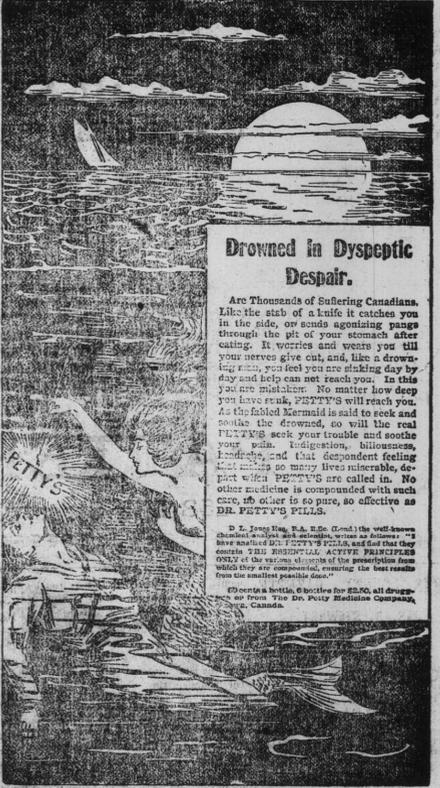
Mrs. James McInnis under the skillful
treatment of H. B. Hay is rapidly recover-
ing from a severe attack of appendi-
citis.

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like the man of a knife it catches you
in the side, or sends agonizing pangs
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your nerves give out, and, like a drown-
ing man, you feel you are sinking day by
day and help can not reach you. In this
you are mistaken. No matter how deep
you have sunk, PETTY'S will reach you.
As the fabled Mermaid is said to seek and
rescue the drowned, so will the real
PETTY'S seek your trouble and soothe
your pain. Indigestion, biliousness,
flatulency, and that dependent feeling
of weakness, so many lives miserable, de-
part when PETTY'S are called in. No
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Little Giant Cultivators, Wheelbarrows,
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ROBERT DAVIS,
Agent for the Parish of Gagetown for the
Wilkinson Ploughs,
Upper Gagetown, May 10th, 1899

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All our Colored Shirts are offered to you at this low price, simply because we want to clear the decks before the spring goods arrive. These Shirts are all our former \$1.00 and \$1.25 Shirts, and all as perfect as the day we bought them except they do not come in all sizes of each pattern.

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Queens County Gazette,
GAGETOWN, N. B., MARCH 7, 1900.

A FORECAST.

Mr. Kruger has unwittingly accomplished for the empire what no man has ever before accomplished; he has demonstrated to the world that Britain is ready and able to defend the rights of her subjects whenever they are encroached upon, and that her colonies of English blood are unflinchingly loyal to the motherland. Our friends across the border are no longer delude themselves into the belief that we are spectators in the drama that we are acting of our connection with the people from whom we sprang. This being the case the prestige of the empire is greatly magnified, and other peoples hereafter will be very slow to follow Mr. Kruger's example in denying Englishmen their rights or in sending insulting ultimata to the British government. Mr. Kruger has done more; he has afforded to Britain a new and instructive experience in warfare. The lessons of the South African campaign will not go for naught but will be profited by should other wars be forced upon the empire, as doubtless there will be, for though the dawn of universal peace is rapidly approaching, it is not yet at hand. Spain in giving General Woodford his papers declared war against the United States and Spain was defeated; Aguinado was the aggressor in the Philippines and he is a fugitive. Mr. Kruger's armies are already demoralized, notwithstanding his ten years of preparation and the thousands of soldiers of fortune that have joined his ranks. It seems to be a decree of nature that justice shall prevail, that civilization shall extend its borders until it covers the earth, when the reign of peace shall begin. Great Britain seems to be the instrument by which this it is to be accomplished—Britain, on whose flag and on whose flag the sun never sets.

ST. JOHN LETTER.

Maine sends to market about 100,000 green ducks every year, and the people of Maine have discovered that though web footed, the duck has no more use for water than a hen. The Maine duck farmer wants nothing but a flock of adult ducks, a well fenced piece of pasture land and money enough to buy the grain required before the green ducks are ready for market. An incubator is a handy thing to have but many of the Maine duck farmers get along without one. From the time the young ducks are hatched until they are ready for the market they are fed all the soft mash they can eat. As soon as they are full they sit down in the shade and give their undivided attention to the digestion of their food. A Maine paper says that as they are allowed no water except for drinking purposes, and are confined in narrow yards where exercise is impossible, the young ducks devote their energies to putting on fat. When they are ten weeks old and the pinfeathers begin to push through the skin, the ducks are killed, dressed and sent away. Two brothers who conduct a big duck yard in Sand Point, sell from 10,000 to 15,000 green duck every year. The sudden death of Miss Helen Gertrude Allison, last Monday, from pneu-

monia, was a great shock to her friends. She was a daughter of Joseph Allison, of Manchester, Robertson & Allison. There has rarely been so large a display of bunting or such general rejoicing in St. John as there was last Tuesday over the late victories in South Africa. On Thursday the city went wild; business was suspended, and notwithstanding the violent storm the streets were thronged from early morning till late at night with people congratulating each other on the splendid achievements of General Buller. It is evident that British supremacy will soon be re-established in South Africa in spite of the doleful predictions of the pro Boer Quebec editor of the St. John Telegraph.

Last Thursday a steamer sailed from here for Cape Town with 1500 tons of hay on board. Hundreds of the children of the loyalists would have been glad could they have sailed away on the same vessel.

In the market prices of flour and meal are unchanged. Provisions show an upward tendency; pork and beef are 20 cents higher than last week. Lard has advanced 1 cent. Cheese is very scarce at 17 cents. No. 1 Shelburne berries are quoted at 35 per barrel, \$2.05 per half barrel. Dried fish are unchanged.

Hops are lower, being quoted today at 7 1/2 and 8 cents. Stocks of molasses are light; new Barbadoes will arrive by next steamer and will probably sell at 33 cents. The sugar market is firm, and as the war among the United States refiners is about over higher prices are anticipated. Great activity and competition are noted in the tea business. George S. deForest & Sons have 3000 packages in transit, the first shipment of which, consisting of 620 half chests of India and 100 chests of Ceylon is due this week.

EDWARD EDWARDS.

St. John, March 3.

Agents:—"War in South Africa." Two volumes. First contains complete history of country and war to date; tells about our contingents, giving names of officers and men. Second volume to be published when war is over. Only Canadian manufactured book. Everybody cancels their order for American books when seeing ours. If a hustler, this is your gold mine. Prospectus free.

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Farmers and Dairywomen.

FARMINGTON, March 1.—Bliss M. Fawcett treasurer of the Farmers' Association, submitted his report at Wednesday afternoon's session, showing receipts of \$240.80 and expenses of \$242.51 for the year.

The corresponding secretary, W. W. Hubbard, in his report regretted that no progress had been made in the direction of securing a market for our pork, but returned with satisfaction to the increased

interest in poultry raising and in the subject of agricultural education generally. Dairying, he said, was pure, and was likely to be for some years our chief anchor. Better facilities were needed for proper curing of our cheese. Among other needs were better communication during the summer season with the English markets and cheaper internal carriage for freight. He thought the association should send a delegate to the proposed steamship conference at St. John.

Mr. R. Robertson, superintendent of the Maritime Experimental Farm, read an instructive paper on the importance of live stock to agricultural development, which was followed by other instructive papers by E. B. Ellerkin, president of the Maritime Breeder's Association, on the importance of live stock industry in the Maritime Provinces and by Dr. Saunders of Ottawa, on natural and artificial fertilizers.

Last night a large audience listened in the assembly room of the Normal School to addresses by J. K. Fleming, M. F. P., and Prof. Robertson, of Ottawa. Mr. Fleming's theme was the progress of the nineteenth century, and he handled it in an interesting and markedly able manner. Prof. Robertson spoke of education in agriculture, and in the course of his address announced that before leaving Fredericton he hoped to complete arrangements for the establishment here of one of Sir Wm. C. McDonald's technical schools.

This morning there was an interesting discussion on poultry raising, led by Geo. E. Baxter, of Andover, and W. S. Tompkins, of Southampton, with an exhibition of specimens from the chicken fattening station at Andover. This was followed by a paper on potato growing by O. W. Wetmore, of Clifton, and another on that growing by Geo. J. Dickson, of Clifton.

The following officers were elected: President, A. G. Dixon, Chatham; vice-president, O. W. Wetmore, Clifton; recording secretary, Jos. R. Taylor, Taylor Village; corresponding secretary, W. W. Hubbard, Sussex; treasurer, Bliss M. Fawcett, Sackville. County vice-presidents: Restigouche, Jas. E. S. Ward, Dalhousie; Gloucester, John Kenney, Bathurst; York, Frank R. Brooks, Upper Southampton; Charlotte, Geo. Moraw, St. Andrews; Carleton, James Good, Jacksonville; Northumberland, C. Dixon, Chatham; Westmorland, Howard Treman, Point de Bute; St. John, S. Creighton, Silver Falls; Kings, David M. Hanna, Grand Bay; Sunbury, C. F. McLean, Burton; Queens, A. E. McAlpine, Lower Cambridge; Kent, John J. Jardine, Richibucto; Albert, E. L. Colpitt, Pleasantville; Victoria, Stephen Scott, Bear's Point; Madawaska, Levi Soucis, St. Basile.

THE PREPARATION MADE by the Baird Company, Wines of Tar Honey and Wild Cherry, is having a good sale and is very popular, as a Cough and Throat remedy.

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Canadian Inventions.

Below is a list of Canadian inventors who have recently obtained patents through the agency of Messrs. Marion & Marion, New York Life Building, Montreal, who will send the "Inventor's Help" to any address upon receipt of 10 cents.

CANADA.

66,216—Walter McLeod Scott, Stouffville, Ont.—Insecticide powder.

68,216—Robert Ireland et al. Beachville, Ont.—Stubble burner.

WRITTEN BY:

643,365—George A. Smith, Albemarle, B. C.—Baby carriage spring.

643,819—Wm. C. Herbert, Statistad,

P. Q.—Soldering iron. 643,844—David Holford, Birnie, Man.—Device for supporting horses' heads. 643,676—James W. Murray, St. George, N. B.—Window shades. 643,695—Maxime J. Lambert, Katakaw, P. Q.—Combination tool.

Saved their Child.

MR. T. W. DOXTATER EXPRESSES A FATHER'S GRATITUDE.

His Little Girl was Attacked with Heart Trouble and Doctors Said She Could Not Recover—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Have Made Her Sound and Lively as a Cricket.

From the Sun, Belleville, Ont.

In a comfortable farm house in Sydney, near Belleville, lives Mr. T. W. Doxtater, a prosperous farmer and most respected citizen.

In this pleasant home the wife of a father and mother best with gratitude to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, believe they firmly believe they saved the life of their little daughter. A reporter of the Sun having heard of the case drove out to Mr. Doxtater's for the purpose of getting at the facts, and found both father and mother of the little girl very enthusiastic in their praise of the medicine that was unquestionably doing so much to relieve suffering in this country. Said Mr. Doxtater: "Yes, we have good reason for praising Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I think they are worth many times their weight in gold. When our little daughter was about eight years old she was stricken with what the doctors said was heart trouble. Up to that time she had been a strong healthy child. The first symptoms shown were fainting spells, and these would attack her without a moment's warning. We consulted a doctor, under whose care she was for a time, but the treatment did her no good—in fact she was growing worse. Then we called in another doctor and he frankly told us that he could hold out but little hope for her recovery. By this time she was confined to bed, and for three months was as helpless as an infant. In some of the fainting spells she was attacked with convulsions. Her appetite seemed entirely gone and she was reduced to a living skeleton. At this time I read the particulars of a cure through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which gave me hope, and I determined that our little girl should try them. I first got one box and when they were used she seemed brighter. Then I got five more boxes and by the time she had finished them she was as sound a child as you could find in the neighborhood, bright and lively as a cricket. She has been going to school for the past eighteen months, and has absolutely no symptoms of the old trouble. I attribute her cure entirely to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and if anyone doubts the truth of this statement you can refer them either to myself or my wife."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are just as valuable in the case of children as with adults, and many little ones would soon thrive and grow fat under this treatment, which has no equal for building up the blood and giving renewed strength to brain, body and nerves. Sold by all dealers or sent post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. Do not be persuaded to try something else said to be "just as good."

Found Dead on the Ice.

RICHIBUCTO, Feb. 26.—The dead body of James Murphy, eldest son of Con. Murphy of Kouchibouguac, 12 miles distant, was found on the ice 200 yards from his home, where he perished in the storm on Thursday night. His body was discovered by his father yesterday, partly covered with snow on the roadside. Deceased was 40 years of age and unmarried.

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HANDSOME QUILT.—Mrs. James Hawkshaw, of Summer Hill, recently completed a handsome quilt containing 2500 pieces.

Without an exception every retailer who keeps an accurate check on results of his trade exceeds the largest results to Union Blvd.

METHODIST SUNDAY AFTERNOON.—Rev. I. N. Parker, pastor. Services will be held at Barton, Pine Grove, at 10.30 a. m.; Shirley at 2.30 p. m.; Ormoco Village at 7 o'clock p. m.

LOYALTY.—On Sunday evening last, at the close of the service in the Methodist Church, by the request of the Pastor, the large congregation most heartily joined in singing two verses of the National Anthem.

QUEENS COUNTY QUARTERLY MEETING.—The next session of the Queens County Baptist Quarterly Meeting will be held at Jemseg, beginning on Friday, March 9th, at 7 p. m. Sessions continue over Saturday and Sunday.

DIED IN MAINE.—Mrs. John A. Grant, formerly of Gagetown, died at her residence Yarmouth, Maine, on January 28th. Mrs. Grant's maiden name was Cassia Martin, and she was a daughter of the late Michael Martin of this place.

GOKE TO BOSTON.—Mr. Harry Vail, organist, left for Boston on the 21st inst., having secured a position as organist for the Harvard Students Bunting Club. Mrs. Vail expects to go to Boston to join her husband early in the summer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.—Divine services will be held (D. V.) at Summer Hill on Tuesday, 13th inst., at 7.30 p. m. At Lawfield, services will be conducted at 7.30 p. m., on Wednesday 14th inst. Rev. Mr. McNamara, Rector St. John's Church, Gagetown.

DR. H. J. PROSELY, V. S., the skillful young operator will make a tour through the Counties of Sunbury and Queens beginning May 7th. This young man is unexcelled as a castrator and will be pleased to accommodate the public in any line of the Veterinary Profession.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING.—The Hampton W. C. T. U. again bears unanimous testimony to the liberality of Editor Stewart of the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE to the Temperance cause, in having placed a column of his valued paper at their disposal during the last three years, and hereby tender their sincere thanks.

A. SLIPP,
Secretary.

HEAVY STORM.—The storm of Thursday night was quite severe here, and is reported in other sections to have been the worst for years. The mail train due at Westfield at 8 o'clock on Friday morning did not arrive until 1 p. m. Mr. Thompson arrived at noon on Saturday with Friday's mail. The roads between here and Westfield are reported to be in good condition. The travelling on the ice is first class.

DIED AT JERUSALEM.—The death occurred at Jerusalem, on Feb. 26th, of Mr. William S. Inch, after a lingering illness of one and a half years of consumption. Deceased was 49 years of age and leaves a wife, one daughter and two sons also a father, mother and two sisters. Mrs. Alfred E. Burgess of Jerusalem, and Mrs. Giggey of Hampton. Mr. Inch was a member of Court Inebby I. O. F. The funeral took place on Thursday 1st inst. The remains were interred in the Methodist cemetery at Jerusalem.

A PIECE OF ROPE may save life or it may cause death; depends on how it is used. The Bald Company's Wine of Tar Honey and Wild Cherry is always safe, no matter how you use it. It is the perfect cough and throat remedy. We cannot recommend you to any better house remedy than Kendrick's Liniment.

When horses have Fever, the hair and hoofs are dry and the legs frequently swell, give Granger Condition Powders.

KENDRICK'S LINIMENT.

DEATH CLAIMED HIM.—Death claimed an old and respected citizen last Friday in the person of Ex-Alt. Elijah Estabrook who passed away at his home on Queen street at 5.30 o'clock, after a week's illness from paralysis. His death, though scarcely unexpected, will nevertheless be sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The deceased gentleman was in his 75th year and leaves a sorrowing widow but no children. One sister, Mrs. James Mander is a resident of Andover, Victoria county. The late Mr. Estabrook was a native of Canning, Queens County, but had been a resident of Fredericton about 30 years.—Herald.

EAT WELL AND SLEEP WELL, but don't use drugs to make you sleep. The Bald Company's Wine of Tar Honey and Wild Cherry is free from all injurious drugs. It is the "perfection Cough and Throat Remedy."

To keep in good health, keep the system regular. Use Wheeler's Botanic Bitters.

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KENDRICK'S LINIMENT.

COMMENCED SAWING.—The portable mill owned by Mr. D. Palmer, of Hibernia, commenced sawing saw lumber for Mr. R. F. Davis, at the latter's ship yard on Monday.

DID NOT ARRIVE.—Mr. George A. Welsh has not arrived with the Cambridge mail as we go to press, Tuesday, 2 p. m. It is reported that George has the measles at Jemseg.

SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY.—Rev. W. Kirkpatrick of Gagetown Station will preach in the School House at Mill Road on Sunday next, the 11th inst., at 7 o'clock p. m.

IS JUST HERE THE ROBEY SHOW, is what people say who have used The Robey Company's Wine of Tar Honey and Wild Cherry. This perfection Cough and Throat Remedy contains no deleterious drugs of any kind whatever.

Be sure you get Kendrick's Liniment. If your horse is run down, give Granger Condition Powders, a true tonic and blood purifier.

KENDRICK'S LINIMENT.
Moody's Remarkable Life.

We have received a book of much importance at the present time, from The Poole Publishing Company, Toronto, "THE LIFE OF D. L. MOODY." The book is attractive and is well printed on good white paper. Thirty-three pages of illustrations embellish its pages, covering the outstanding career in Mr. Moody's career some life and religious experience. His circulation will probably be very large, as Mr. Moody had a powerful influence in Canada, was known here quite as well as across the line, and was a potent name in thousands of Christian households. The book is published at 25 cents in heavy paper cover, or 50 cents bound in cloth, is for sale at all bookstores or will be sent postpaid by the publishers on receipt of price. Everyone will want to read the story of the life of this remarkable man.

S. O. T. ENTERTAINMENT.

The Queen's Division Sons of Temperance held a most successful entertainment last Tuesday evening. The following programme was carried out:

Chorus—Vote.
Recitation, "The Union Jack," Miss Nina Bolyas.
Duet—Misses Dottie and Bertha Bolyas.
Recitation, "When Papa's Sick," Miss Arthura Babbitt.
Club Singing—Masters Arthur Bolyas and Welford W. Parker.
Song, "Drives from Home," Miss Sylvia Allingham.
Recitation, "That Egg of Butter," Miss Lewis Dinges.

Instrumental Music—Miss May Scott.
Dialogue, "Peg and Patience," Miss Nellie Bolyas, Winifred Babbitt, Stella Parkhill, Messrs. Thom. Allingham, Fred Gerry and Lewis Dinges.
Recitation, "The Music Stool," Master I. Welford W. Parker.

Chorus—The Goblins, and "Don't,"
and "Bessie B. Blanche Parker."
Song, "By Your Side," Miss Bertha Bolyas.
Instrumental Music—Miss May Scott.
Dialogue, "Married by the New Justice of the Peace," Messrs. Fred Gerry, Rupert DeB. Scott, John Allingham, and Miss Minnie Savoy.

Chorus—"Honeycomb," and "Leave your heart to the bottom of the Hill," Master John Allingham.
Chorus—Rale Britannia.

National Anthem.

Among the parts especially pleasing were the songs by Sylvia Allingham, the recitation by Arthura Babbitt and Bessie Parker, the dialogue "Married by the New Justice of the Peace," and the songs by John Allingham. The singing of Miss Bertha Bolyas is always a feature of Gagetown entertainments, and her voice was never sweeter than on Tuesday evening.

But this notice would be incomplete without the mention of Mrs. Parker who presided at the organ, and to whose energetic management and good taste in such matters the success of the entertainment was largely due.

Rev. Mr. Parker acted as chairman and took occasion at the close of Sylvia Allingham's song to say a few appropriate and forcible words on the evils of the drink traffic.

The thanks of the community are due to the committee, Rupert Scott, Harry Gilbert and Arthura Babbitt for affording them so pleasant an evening.

The literary part of the program we being finished a number of baskets and pies were sold by Mr. William Cooper which added considerably to the evening's receipts.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Johnson Cooper of St. John was in town last week.

Mr. Clement Mahoney went to Fredericton on Monday.

Mrs. Isaac Foster returned to her home in Wickham last week after spending a few weeks with friends here.

Mr. Wm. Hamilton was in St. John on Monday.

Mr. Wm. Foster and Miss Jennie Mott of Wickham spent Sunday at Mr. James Bennett's.

Judge Ebbett was in town on Monday.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 27.—Provincial Secretary Tweedie, who was leading the House to-day, referred to the victory in South Africa and moved that a congratulatory message to the Queen.

Mr. Hazen seconded the resolution, and it was supported by Messrs. Osman and Shaw and unanimously carried.

Messrs. Tweedie, Hazen and White were appointed a committee, and they presented the following draft of a despatch, which was forwarded:

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 27, 1900.
Her Majesty the Queen,
New Brunswick, 17 Leather Market, London, S. E.

The Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick to-day unanimously directed that the following message be sent to Her Majesty Queen Victoria. Please have it conveyed to her through the proper channel:

Most Gracious Sovereign.—We, Her Majesty's most loyal and devoted subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, in parliament assembled, desire in our own names and in behalf of the people of the province, to approach your Majesty with assurances of our attachment and loyalty to your throne and person, and to extend to your Majesty our heartfelt congratulations upon the success achieved by the soldiers of the Empire in South Africa.

With great British determination to protect her subjects from tyranny and oppression and to secure them that measure of civil and religious liberty which we have so long enjoyed in this province, we heartily sympathize, and we rejoice to know that from every portion of the Empire volunteers have gone forth to aid the British arms in securing those rights for our fellow subjects, and we are proud to belong to an Empire which has shown that it never stands ready to face as one man to resist the tyrant, if he needs be, the hands of the oppressor, though laid upon the remotest portion of its vast extent.

(Signed) **GEORGE F. HILL,**
Speaker of the House of Assembly.

Mr. Todd introduced a bill to authorize Charlotte Municipality to exempt J. Sutton Clark's property from taxation; Mr. Lawrence a bill to revive and continue in force and amend, and extend chapter 48 of the Statutes, extending the powers of the Madawaska Log Driving Co., of Madawaska, to the provincial waters of the river St. John, above Grand Falls.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 28.—Bills were introduced to-day by Dr. Pugsley, amending the act incorporating the Imperial Dry Dock of St. John; by Mr. Legor, enabling Kent Municipality to issue debentures in lieu of other securities; by Hon. Mr. Tweedie, to amend and amend chapter 65 of the Consolidated Statutes relating to schools and the acts in amendment thereof; by Mr. Mott, respecting the water and lighting systems of the town of Campbellton and further relating to the said town; by Mr. Robertson, relating to the value of the real and personal property of William F. Humphrey in the city of Moncton (known as the lock factory property) for taxation purposes, and his right to free water through manufacturing purposes; also by Mr. Robertson, relating to the Moncton Street Railway, Heat and Power Co.; by Mr. Shaw, further amending the law for the better prevention of conflagrations in the city of St. John; by Mr. Walls, relating to the application and distribution of certain school moneys in the parish of Bedford.

Mr. Tweedie submitted the estimates for the current year. They are as follows: Administration of justice—Equity chambers, St. John, rent, \$650; judges' chambers and law library, St. John, \$300; lighting court room, St. John, \$60. Total, \$1,010.

Printing and publishing unpublished reports Supreme Courts, \$500.

Agriculture—Department of Agriculture, additional, \$500; butter and cheese factory additional, \$1,000; encouragement of dairying, \$4,500; dairy school, \$500; farmers' and drivers' association, \$1,000; institute meetings, \$1,500; school for horticulture, \$150. Total, \$9,150.

Contingencies—Legislative and public departments—total, \$14,000; deaf and dumb institution, Fredericton, \$5,000.

Education—School houses, poor districts, \$1,000; summer school of science, \$100. Total, \$1,100.

Fisheries protection—total, \$1,700. Free grants act, \$2,000. Game protection, additional, \$4,000. Legislature librarian, \$500; books for library, \$500. Total, \$1,000.

Officers, etc.—Assistant Clerk, \$500; secretary of committees and engraving clerks (3), \$1,100; chaplain, \$50; sergeant at arms, \$1 per diem, \$140; book-keeper, \$2 per diem, \$70; messengers, \$2 per diem, \$70; five messengers, etc., \$150 per diem, \$252.50; three pages, \$1 per diem, \$105. Total, \$2,327.50.

Lunatic Asylum maintenance, \$5,600. Natural History Society, of St. John, \$200.

Natural History Society, Chatham, \$100.

New Brunswick Historical Society, \$125.

Public health contingencies, etc., \$1,000.

Public hospital, \$4,700.

Public printing, \$11,000.

Public works—Roads and bridges, \$165,000; steam navigation, \$7,950; road machinery and plant, \$5,000. Total

\$177,930.

Public buildings—Legislative buildings and offices, \$8,500; Normal School, \$2,500; Lunatic Asylum, \$8,000—total, \$17,000.

Miscellaneous expenses of department—total, \$2,850.

Refunds, crown lands—total, \$200.

Surveys and railways' inspection—total, \$3,000.

Assistance to New Brunswick volunteers in South Africa—total \$5,000.

Towards defraying expenses of agent general at London in publication of pamphlet, etc.—total, \$1,000.

Tourist Association—total, \$1,000.

Hanson index to grants—total, \$500.

Unforeseen expenses—total, \$2,000.

Grand total, \$30,291,250.

Messrs. McKinnon, Shaw and Laforest made patriotic addresses on the motion to adopt the report of the committee appointed to send a congratulatory telegram to the Queen on General Roberts' victory.

Mr. Tweedie then delivered the budget speech.

E. G. Siggers, Patent Lawyer, Washington, D. C., U. S. A., reports the following patents granted by the U. S. Patent Office, February 20, 1900, to inventors residing in the Dominion of Canada. He will mail copy of specification and drawing of any patent for 10 cents. Postage stamps will not be accepted.

M. Bellinger, Toronto, Electric submersible cable; R. D. Fraser, Hamilton, Umbrella cover; S. A. Fraser, New Glasgow, Gripper for cable cars; B. G. Garrison and J. A. Finlayson, Vancouver, Amalgamator; F. S. Humming, Toronto, Sectional water heater; W. C. Herbert, Stanstead, Soldering Iron; D. Hafford, Brattle, Device for supporting horse heads; M. G. Lambert, Kataville, Combination tool; T. Mills, Soudon, Scaffold or portable truss; J. W. Murray, St. George, Window sash; E. Robin, Belleville, Cutting apparatus for reaping or mowing machines; S. Turner, Toronto, Stop mechanism for wire-colling machines.

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Bob McCready.

Above is a splendid portrait of Bob McCready, one of the best football players in Canada. He is a member of the Ottawa University team, and has been in all of its championship matches. He is a splendid specimen of robust Canadian manhood, but strong as he is, he has known what it is to suffer from dyspepsia. So seriously afflicted was he at the opening of the past (1899) season, that he was not able to go out with his team. Pains in the back and sides, intermittent headache, and the awful pangs he suffered after eating the result of an impaired digestion, warned him that he was in no condition to play football, the hardest of all games. Besides, he lacked the energy to carry him through a campaign. He consulted his physician, but that gentleman gave him no relief. "At this stage," he writes, "I was advised to try Dr. Pett's Pills, the new remedy that one of my friends assured me was wonderful in its effects. I was skeptical, but he would not let me go until I had tried them. I was at length induced to try them. The very first dose drove the pain away, and at the end of a week I regained my form, and I have come through one of our hardest seasons in the best form that I have ever known. Dr. Pett's Pills are alone to thank for my recovery. They are the best medicine I have ever taken. They make me so strong, and so full of energy, I, for one, shall never take any others when I feel in need of a strengthener." Such is the recommendation of the well-known athlete, and such will be the experience of everyone who tries the wonderful "Pett's Pills." If your druggist cannot supply you, write to us, enclosing price, 50 cents a bottle, six bottles for \$2.50. Address The Dr. Pett Medicine Co., Ottawa, Canada.

DIED.

INCH—At Jerusalem, Queens Co., N. B., William S. Inch, aged 49 years, leaving a wife and three children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father.

WRAITH—At Big Cove, Queens Co., on the evening of Feb. 21st, 1900, Elizabeth, widow of the late James Wraith, passed peacefully away, in the 85th year of her age. She was born in Nottinghamshire, England, Dec. 20th, 1815, and leaves three sons and five daughters, eighteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother.

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The up-to-date physician ascertains the health of the kidneys by an examination of the urine. It is not necessary, however, to be an expert in order to tell if the kidneys are deranged. You can conduct an examination yourself.

Allow the urine to stand for twenty-four hours in a glass bottle or vessel. If at the end of that time it contains a sediment resembling brickdust, you may be certain that the kidneys are sluggish and inactive, and that they are leaving deadly poisons in the system which will in time produce terribly fatal complications.

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LOST.

On Friday, Feb. 16th, on the road between Mill Cove and Gagetown, a goat, skin robe, Plaid coat, a Fur Glove. Will the finder please leave it at W. H. White's, Esq., Cambridge, or with Gen. A. Wilson.

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Marsh Hay for sale at \$3.00 per ton. Grain taken in by sale.

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Gagetown, Feb. 6.

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LOST.

On Saturday, the 3rd inst., between Mill Cove and Gagetown, a goat, skin robe, dark grey with brown lining and red trimmings. The finder will confer a favor by communicating with this office. Gagetown, Feb. 13th, 1900.

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Wood's Phosphodine is sold in Gagetown by J. W. Dickie and C. S. Babbitt.

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QUEENS COUNTY

ETTE, GAGETOWN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1900.

Literature.

MARRYING A MILLIONAIRE.

Maimie Wrottesley dreaded the interview, yet she would not have foregone it. Even to hear from Ralph's lips what she knew she was going to hear was—well, a pleasure. But it was dangerous.

She was in her own room when her maid came to tell her that Mr. Rayton had called. She was fingering the necklace of pearls that Mr. Donald Ferguson had sent her last week just as a trifling birthday present. It had cost hundreds, said the jeweller to whom her proud mother had shown it casually. There was also the little gold watch with the monogram M. W. wrought in diamonds on the back. That had arrived on Christmas Eve, an hour or two before Mr. Ferguson himself.

"It's no good," sighed Maimie; "it has got to be. Poor Ralph must see it." Then she went down to "poor Ralph." He was standing gazing sadly at Maimie's latest photograph. It was in a gold frame, the frame the gift to Mrs. Wrottesley of the inevitable Mr. Ferguson.

"She deserves to be mounted in gold, and in gold she shall be mounted if you will allow me," Mr. Ferguson had said; and of course Maimie's mother had no objection.

"Mr. Rayton," Maimie whispered. He turned and showed her his saddened face. "It's got to be that, has it?" he said. "After being 'Ralph' for about a score of years, too."

"My dear old boy," then said Maimie, impulsively, "circumstances have got to be accepted, and it's no use thinking anything else." "I suppose," Maimie continued, "circumstances embellished by about a million or so sterling."

"You have no right to reproach me like that!" "No?" Then I reckon no one has that right. However (Ralph pulled himself together and looked the gallant fellow he was) as I have no intention of surrendering without a murmur, let me say my little word and depart."

"What has got you to say?" asked Maimie. Her voice trembled ever so slightly. "Why just this, Maimie, if you will excuse the liberty I take with your name: I love you as fondly as man can love a woman, and if I do not marry you I suppose I shall go single to the grave. But that wouldn't matter much, I expect. The main thing is this: I've had a lift in my department and my income is now eight hundred pounds per annum. On that, if you would look on me with favor—"

He hesitated. In spite of his restrained, half-ironic humor the yearning tone got into his words. "It is impossible, Ralph; quite impossible." Ralph shrugged his shoulders.

"So I supposed," he remarked. "You may as well have my seal, though. I've been told ladies enjoy these ornaments when their red-and-yellow-leaf time comes." "You are cruel," murmured Maimie, tearfully.

"Am I? Then I apologize. Until three months ago I was under the impression that we were all the world to each other and that a suitable income was the only hindrance to me as an acceptable suitor for your dear hand."

"I never said so." "No. It was your mother. There's no I infer nothing. Good by." Maimie's blue eyes had tears in them. She knew now what this parting meant to her as well as to him. She did not put her hand into his for a moment or two. She did not even look at him.

It was not without a strong effort that Ralph kept from taking her in his arms in spite of everything. Those tears maddened him. "Good-by, Maimie," he said again, "and good luck." "Good-by, Ralph," she then replied, with a muffled sob in her throat. His hand closed upon hers and held it while he could have counted ten.

"I do not despair," he said, "for I both suspect and love my rival." There was a rattle of silk and in sailed Mrs. Wrottesley. She had heard these last words and was angry. "My daughter will marry Mr. Ferguson next month," she said with the stoniness of demeanor that must have reconciled her late husband to his early demise. "There can be no question of rivalry in this matter. Good afternoon, Mr. Rayton. Ring the bell, Maimie, dear."

Ralph Rayton went back to town both irritated and depressed. Not being a very original young man he could think of no more original way of fighting the great Donald Ferguson, late of Melbourne and Coalbridge, than of calling in the aid of a detective.

Mr. James Porter, the detective he engaged, encouraged him mightily by not laughing when he heard all Ralph had to say. "You see," said Ralph, apologetically, "there's nothing really against him that I know of, but—"

Ralph, dismally. "We must thank Heaven for the inventions of telegraphy. You wish no expenses spared?" "Up to a few hundred, you know," replied Ralph.

"Very good. Then I will be off to the city immediately. If Mr. Ferguson has any virtues and any failings I shall certainly hear of them there."

"Then I may really hope?" "To the extent of the few hundreds you can afford to spend in the matter, Mr. Rayton," said the detective.

In these words there seemed to Ralph, after the expiration of a week, no encouragement. Mr. Porter had absolutely nothing to tell him in derogation of Mr. Ferguson's pocket which had, perhaps, naturally appeared his only available side.

"Well, sir," said the detective, "what my credit was as good as this Australian gentleman's. Folks smack their lips when they speak of him."

"Whereas Ralph growled. "We may as well stop, then," he murmured. But Mr. Porter waved his hand in a superior manner.

"You just leave it with me," he said. "We're not done with him yet. I'll tell you soon enough when it's a hopeless case."

And so Ralph went his way with a shoulder shrug and made all manner of foolish mistakes at the altar, for the nearer Maimie's wedding day approached the less he was able to live like the promising young man he had been accounted—before Mr. Donald Ferguson came on the scene.

The last week arrived. The impending marriage had been mentioned in the papers and Maimie's wedding gown had been described in two or three of the ladies' weeklies. Ralph's own particular charms, who knew how hard he was hit, had done their best with him—and failed. They could not convince him that there were as good fish left in the North Sea as any that reached Grimsby market. Neither could they persuade him that Maimie Wrottesley was a heartless mix and worth no true man's adoration.

Meanwhile Mr. Porter had not been accessible. The truth was that his client irritated the good detective, who preferred, not to see Ralph until he had hit what he was aiming at, or was positive he never could hit it. Mr. Porter was, by fact, "not at home" to Mr. Ralph Rayton.

This, Mr. Ralph could have known if, would have been yet one more of those pleasant arrows which the fates just then took delight in shooting at him.

As it was, he thought comparatively little about the detective and all about Maimie. He had seen her and the Coalbridge man driving together (with Mrs. Wrottesley) in the Row, and he had seen them together in a Bond street shop. If he could judge by Maimie's face, she was prodigiously happy. And he did so judge.

Mrs. Wrottesley was wiser. She knew better. Now that the marriage was only three days distant this entire lady felt sure that nothing could keep her from being mother-in-law to a millionaire. But instinct told her so much that was in her daughter's mind that she longed intensely for the quick and safe transit of these last three days.

"Needless anxiety you would have thought if you could have seen the marriage ceremony, which was duly celebrated with all the pomp exacted of the rich by Dame Fashion. There was not a hitch anywhere. True, Maimie was very pale, and once held her hand to her heart. But other brides did the same thing, and were not a whit less happy for it as wives."

Then came the breakfast, and soon afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson were carried north. Maimie bankered after the lakes for a honeymoon, said her mamma, and so Mr. Ferguson had engaged rooms at a Windsor town hotel.

Matters had got thus far, indeed, ere Mr. Porter obstructed himself upon the unhappy Ralph. The latter was at the office, after an ineffectual luncheon, when the detective appeared.

"Well, Mr. Por—" Ralph was beginning with great irony, when the other stopped him. "There's no time for talk, sir," he exclaimed, "come with me at once."

"But do you know—" "I know everything. That confounded ship only came in at eleven o'clock this morning, and I couldn't trust my documents until then, I've thought it best to charter a special for us all."

The detective spoke with urgency. He enjoyed his clients surprise immensely. "I'll explain it as we go along in the house," he added. "The others are all ready at Easton."

It was Ralph's turn to feel faint. However, Mr. Porter's subsequent words were better for him than all voluble. "There was another woman in the case," ran Porter's tale. I learned that from a Melbourne man who knew the parties. He vowed Ferguson was married to her eight years ago. That was what he had to establish, and it's taken some doing. I can tell you, in the time. However, they're a wide-awake lot in

and thanks quite as much to the man (who has a mighty fine eye) as to the woman, everything's clear. The wife herself and her oldest boy are at Easton. She has the certificate, and the lad's face tells its own tale. Oh, it's just a beautiful bit of piecing throughout, and all we have to do is to fix up the rug about supper time."

Ralph's feelings may be imagined. Happily there was no difficulty about the train. It could be so managed that this special arrived even before the other, carrying Maimie and the man who was not her husband.

Of the journey in both ways nothing need be said except this: Maimie came near wishing there could be a collision, with her death as one of the consequences. Mr. Ferguson's vengeful refinement was cast ruthlessly aside between London and Windsor.

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CRONJE'S SURRENDER.

Canadians took an important part in bringing it about.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The War Office has also received the following additional despatch from Lord Roberts:

"PAARDBERG, Feb. 27, 7.45 a. m.—General Cronje and all of his force capitulated unconditionally at daylight and is now a prisoner in my camp. The strength of his force will be communicated later. I hope that Her Majesty's Government will consider this matter satisfactory, occurring as it does on the anniversary of Majuba."

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The Secretary of State for war, the Marquis of Londonderry, announced in the House of Lords this afternoon that the prisoners captured with Cronje numbered 8,000 men. Cronje will be sent to Cape Town.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The Boers are reported to be attacking Lydenburg in force, trying to avenge Cronje's surrender.

PAARDBERG, Feb. 28.—The list of casualties among the Canadian non-commissioned officers and men in the last fighting is as follows:

KILLED.

Corporal S. B. Whitney.
Private F. C. Page.
Private G. Esmond.
Private F. W. Withers.
Private W. A. Riggs.
Private M. J. Quinn.
Private Scott.

WOUNDED.

Corporal W. S. Drake.
Corporal E. W. Connors.
Corporal C. S. Hulue.
Private A. Bagot.
Private J. L. Bradshaw.
Private H. E. Durant.
Private F. J. Living.
Private A. Roy, "7693."
Sergeant W. Peppatt, F. Co.
Private F. W. Sprague.
Private K. Wilks.
Private E. W. Hughes.
Private J. F. McConnell.
Private A. Pelkey.
Private H. Probert.
Private J. Siewert.
Private A. Theraul.
Private F. Washell.
Corporal F. S. Rutherford.

Ten others are to follow bringing the list of wounded up to 38.

Durant, whose name appears in the list of wounded, belongs to Moncton and his father lives here. There are no particulars as to the nature of his wounds.

Corporal W. Withers, who is among the killed, was a St. John man, and belonged to the Artillery.

Riggs belonged to the Charlotteville Engineers.

There was a Quin among the Section Infantry School.

Separate Companies belong to St. John. He was well known, while there as a bicycle rider and all round athlete.

Several Scots, including one from Golden Grove, St. John, and one from Moncton, are in the regiment.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The war office publishes a despatch from Lord Roberts supplementing his announcement of Cronje's surrender late this afternoon as follows:

PAARDBERG, Feb. 27, 11.20 a. m.—From information furnished the intelligence department it became apparent that Cronje's forces were becoming very depressed; discontent among his troops increased; and the Boers were rapidly increased.

"That feeling was doubtless accentuated by disappointment when the Boer reinforcements which tried to relieve Cronje were defeated on Feb. 25. I resolved therefore to bring pressure to bear on the enemy."

"Each night the trenches rushed forward toward the enemy's laager to gradually contract his position and at the same time I bombarded heavily with artillery which materially aided by the arrivals of howitzers from De Aar, helped in carrying out these measures."

"A captive balloon gave great assistance, keeping us informed of the enemy's dispositions and movements. At 3 a. m. today the Canadian regiment and some engineers supported by the first Gordon Highlanders and second Strathshires made a most dashy advance which resulted in our gaining a point six hundred yards nearer the enemy and within eighty yards of his trenches where our troops entrenched themselves and maintained their position until morning."

"My reply told Cronje that he must present himself in my camp and his force must come out of their laager after laying down their arms. At 7 a. m. I received Cronje and despatched a telegram announcing the fact."

"This apparently clinched matters, for at daylight a letter signed by Cronje, in which he surrendered unconditionally, was brought to our outposts under a flag of truce."

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"In the course of conversation with the Boer general he asked kind treatment for his men at our hands and also that his wife, grandson, private secretary, adjutant and servant might accompany him wherever he went."

"I reassured him and told him that his request would be granted and further in-

formed him that the general was to accompany him to Capetown where, as soon as his being treated with proper respect on route. He will start this forenoon under charge of General Pettman who will hand him over to the general commanding at Cape Town.

"The prisoners number 3,000. They will be formed into commands and under our officers also leave to-day, reaching Modder tomorrow when they will be taken to Cape Town in detachments."

"The above despatch was read in both the House of Lords and the House of Commons to-day. The reference to the Canadians called forth immense and prolonged cheering."

"The enthusiasm exhibited in Parliament over Lord Roberts' graphic details of the surrender of General Cronje spread quickly to the streets."

"Crowds of people again gathered about the war office and other bulletin places, in spite of the rain that was falling at the time and which had been falling since morning."

"Frequent cheers were given for 'Bubs' who is the hero of the hour, and one of the soldiers became so excited in recounting the details of the victory that he fell dead."

"In more frequent parts of the metropolitan district were far and between and in Pall Mall where the war office is situated there was not a bit of bustling flying, while only one flag flew over the Strand."

"But in the end of London there were many small flags waving from windows and awnings and a few evening fell Londoners gave themselves up to unrestrained enthusiasm."

"On all sides the gallantry of the Canadians was much commented upon. Cable despatches received from colonies and settlements announcing that rejoicing in these parts of the world over Roberts' victory was no less enthusiastic than in Great Britain itself. Bombay and Gibraltar for instance reported masses of hunting and cheering crowds filled their streets."

LONDON, Feb. 28.—After repelling a terrific night attack and suffering from a general British bombardment of shorter range, Cronje surrendered when he had his army at daybreak yesterday to the besieging force. Roberts is silent on the losses of the Boers, but the British estimate that the burghers numbered 8,000 two days ago was correct; that half of Cronje's army must have fallen, he Roberts says "About 4,000" are prisoners. There is, however, no other indication of the Boers' losses.

"The actual story of the day's events is the best that has yet reached London. Cronje's surrender has given immense relief in England, not because it no longer feared that he might escape, but because Englishmen were repelled to find themselves engaged in a local massacre of men who persisted in choosing death rather than loss of independence."

"The situation is certainly extremely favorable to the British and the relief of Lydenburg is regarded as a long-term conclusion within a few days; skillful movements of French or some other division of Roberts' army should succeed in breaking in a large force of Boers between Roberts and Garsden and it is expected the Roberts will immediately advance against Bloemfontein, towards which place a column was advancing before Cronje's surrender. This column probably found itself opposed by Joubert with an army partly drawn from Natal and partly from Northern Cape Colony and Pretoria. It would be useless to speculate regarding the Boers' plan of campaign but there appears little reason to credit the many rumors that it is the intention of the Boers to sue for peace."

Correspondents with Roberts have not yet succeeded in forwarding details of the termination of Cronje's resistance but there are brief references to a final attack by the Canadians and their comrades which indicates that they charged among the Boers.

After advising the continuance of the war preparations, the Times says: "If anything could enhance the intense and widespread satisfaction of the nation at the achievements of our troops it is the knowledge that the Canadian contingent played a principal part in the decisive movement which forced the stubborn Boer leader to own that he was beaten."

The Daily News says: "To the Canadians belongs the honor of having hastened the inevitable. It would be rash, however, to suppose that the Boers will sue for peace or that all our difficulties are removed."

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The war office this afternoon makes public a despatch from Lord Roberts detailing the last charge on Cronje's laager. He says the Canadian regiment and some engineers supported by the Gordons and Strathshires made a most dashy advance which resulted in our gaining a point six hundred yards nearer the enemy and within eighty yards of the trenches where our troops entrenched and maintained their position till morning. Lord Roberts is high in praise of the Canadians and says, the losses are light.

Cronje was taken to Cape Town to-day.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The Evening Journal's special Paardberg despatch thus describes Gen. Cronje's surrender.

"Gen. Cronje sent an officer through the British line at dawn this morning with a flag of truce. The officer said he had a message for the British general commanding. He was taken to Lord

Kitchener and said Cronje was willing to surrender, having found his position untenable and he wished to avoid the shedding of blood, in order to save the women and children.

He requested that they be given safe conduct. Lord Kitchener granted the request so far as women and children were concerned, but insisted on the surrender in all other respects as absolutely unconditional. To this Cronje agreed. The Boer commander at once left his laager and escorted by a dozen officers entered the British line. The greetings of the rival generals was extremely sympathetic on the part of Cronje.

The condition of affairs in the camp of the Boers is frightful. They had run entirely out of food except the track cattle. These were eaten rapidly as soon as killed by the British shells. The ammunition had given out and most of the artillery was damaged by the British fire. Most of the wagons were burned. Everything possible is being done to alleviate the condition of the captives."

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Rev. Mr. Wasson conducted the funeral services. Scott Foster who had his leg broken in doing as well as can be expected.

Charlie Patterson, son of Isiah Patterson of Salmon Falls, is very sick. Mrs. Perry was the guest of Richard Hetherington on Sunday.

Mrs. Walker Perry, of Corn Hill, Kings Co., was the guest of Mrs. E. L. Perry yesterday.

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The totality eclipse of 1900 will be seen from three continents, viz., America, Europe and Africa. Beginning by the Pacific ocean the line of duration crosses Mexico then the path lies through Louisiana and other Southern States and leaves the American coast at Norfolk, Va. Thence it crosses the Atlantic to Portugal across through Spain and the Mediterranean Sea, by North Africa and leaves the earth at the Red Sea.

Mr. Evans has applied to the government for a square mile of coal area at Newcastle. Mr. Peter Yeomans is running the line. This gives rise to rumors that the Central line may be extended to Newcastle next summer.

This large egg, claimed by Mr. John Briggs as his property must have had a remarkable hard shell. If Subscriber's idea is correct that neither he nor any reader of the GAZETTE could beat the egg, yet Mr. Briggs' grand daughter did not yet old enough to read the paper, found no difficulty in beating it into a foam for her mother to put her cake.

Dr. Chase removed three aged persons from our midst during a brief season of time, one from the other. Mrs. Anderson died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Pollock and was buried at St. John's on Sunday. Mrs. Robert Smith died on Sunday and Mrs. Briggs died at the residence of her son George Chase Esq., and was buried at the church of St. John's on Sunday. All of whom were full of years and respected in their day and generation.

A small but loyal British subject, a few days ago (par in an appearance in the home of Mr. Wm. Henson of St. John's and the little visitor was made welcome in the family.

Messrs. S. and T. Baird have four testis engaged hauling stone to fill the pier of the new bridge they are building at the Gaspareux Forks.

Senator King who is home this week on a visit stays for Ottawa next Monday morning.

Three gentlemen of color, accompanied by three colored ladies belonging to Cumberland Bay drove from the Coal Mines to the Queen Hotel and were storm strayed over Sunday; but they stood the racket well and were back again on Tuesday.

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To all who have felt the evil effects of deranged kidneys it is interesting to know that Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills are meeting with enormous sale and unparalleled success in this district. Backaches and aching kidneys are fast becoming a thing of the past where Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills are known. One cent a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers.

Cambridge.

March 3.—The relief of Ladyemith was glad news to the inhabitants of this locality. When the news was received word was sent forth throughout the whole district that a grand meeting would be held in the Temperance hall in honor of Sir Robert Balfour's great victory, but owing to the heavy storm no meeting was held.

A question that is asked by several is: Why is it that the children of the country schools could not enjoy the same privilege as those in the city schools? In the city schools the scholars were allowed a holiday in honor of the event of the relief of Ladyemith. Nowhere in the rural districts do we hear of a holiday being granted to the children. The scholars of the country schools could show their loyalty as well as those of the city schools if they were given a privilege. Although

It is several days since the event happened and it is not too late for those in power to say to the county schools that the same privilege will be allowed to them as has been granted to the city school.

The following speakers are expected to be present and address a public temperance meeting at Macdonald's Corner on March 17th: Rev. R. B. Smith, of Dorchester, Rev. I. N. Parker, R. T. Babbitt, Esq., Gagetown, Rev. Henry Perry of Hamplated and others.

Miss Ella MacLaine of Upper Hamplated is the guest of her friend Miss Ollie Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey returned from St. John today. They report the traveling hard.

Messrs. Robert Gilchrist, Sydney Cook and Will L. Macdonald spent Friday evening the 2nd inst. at Mr. H. Humphrey's.

Miss Lucy Belyes, of Central Cambridge, is the guest of her aunt Mrs. (Dr.) Macdonald.

Owing to the heavy snow storm the mail did not reach the Cambridge office until about 7 o'clock p. m. on the 3rd inst.

OUR CORRESPONDENT.—Having made arrangements with the Publishers of the "Family Herald and Weekly Star," of Montreal, we are prepared to give that excellent paper with the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE and the two beautiful pictures "Alms" and "Easy Willow" for \$1.50. Payable strictly in advance. All who wish to secure the above will send their orders as soon as possible to

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March 1.—This and adjoining communities were greatly shocked upon hearing of the cremation of almost an entire family at Lakeville Corner, Sunbury Co., consisting of the father, mother and three children, only one escaping. Mr. Lawrence and family were well respected and their untimely death has been the source of much comment and universal regret.

Death in its natural way has invaded our immediate vicinity of late and two victims have fallen to the inevitable doom of all, and in their demise the place has lost valuable and highly respected citizens, Mr. T. A. Palmer, to whom reference has already been made in the press, was a man of high moral and social attainments, being a prominent officer in the Grand Lodge Branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society; the present healthful condition of the same is largely due to his untiring efforts. The other person above referred to being Mrs. Abner Balmain, widow of the late Abner Balmain, and for many years postmistress at Douglas Harbor. She leaves four sons and two daughters, six of her sons are carrying on quite an extensive business in farm machinery, etc., at Woodstock, N. B., one is in the United States, and the other on the homestead; her two daughters are at present home. In her life she ever manifested a high appreciation of that character which constitutes a true mother and neighbor and thought but pleasant recollections of her memory will be cherished.

Dr. Palmer, who has been taking a Post Graduate course at the New York Polytechnic, has returned after an absence of six months, and is now making preparation for the opening of an office at Daniel Palmer's, Douglas Harbor, where after the middle of the present month he will be prepared to answer the call of any in need of treatment in matters pertaining to his profession.

Quite extensive lumber operations are being carried on at the Harbor, the most important being those of Daniel Palmer and Charles London; they expect each to cut upwards of 400,000 feet.

A heavy rain accompanied by a violent wind from the south has somewhat diminished the snow which has not been at any time this winter sufficient for good hauling in the woods.

Intense interest has been manifested in the present war in South Africa, and strange and unaccountable as it is, there are several sympathizers with the Boers even in this highly civilized and truly loyal community, whether from a misconception of the true facts concerning the issue involved or from some other cause which cannot be explained remains a mystery; suffice it to say to the contrary that upon the news of the late British successes the greatest of enthusiasm prevails, and though the costs must be heavy yet the ultimate triumph will be correspondingly pleasant to all lovers of British freedom and justice, which has been ours to enjoy. Plainly can be seen the blessings that will result to those who are now endeavoring to thwart the object of the Great Civilization of nations in opening up the dark spots in Africa, and among which the entire country is forced to acknowledge the supremacy of British arms will they fully realize to what an extent they are now endeavoring to thwart the object of that which constitutes true manhood. The contemplated railroad from Cairo to the Cape will soon be realized; this with all modern and scientific advancement which must of necessity follow the inauguration of good government such as England is willing to give them will make a garden of that which has long been looked upon as a desert.

God save the Queen.

Copies of this paper may be found on file at the office of our Washington correspondent, E. G. Siggers, 918 F street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

NEARING HIS END

Was Mr. James Fraser, of Picton, in Spite of All Medicines.

Until He Began to Use Dodd's Kidney Pills—Then Kidney Disease Vanished—Now Life Was Given Him—Read His Story.

Picton, N. S., March 5.—A well known philanthropist, reading last week of the remarkable cure of Mr. James Fraser of Kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, called on that gentleman to ascertain whether or not the report was correct. "Yes," said Mr. Fraser to him, "Dodd's Kidney Pills put me on my feet from a bed of agony, gave me health, strength and vigor. Though I am sixty-five, I feel better and stronger than I have felt for twenty years past. Dodd's Kidney Pills did it all. I tried a course of remedies before I began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. They did me no good. When I began to use Dodd's, I was taking no other medicine, nor have I taken any other since."

"You really have an honest faith in Dodd's Kidney Pills, then?"

"I have, indeed. I am glad to testify to it as a man, as an honest man, to the wonderful power of that remedy."

"I was a very sick man. Every remedy I tried failed. My limbs and body were crippled and almost lifeless. The end of my life seemed very near. I passed sleepless nights."

"But no matter how I began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills I can't feel the blood running through my system, my life and strength giving. The terrible palpitation of the heart stopped, the blood clots ceased coming, and I knew I was being cured. I could talk for a year and not say enough for Dodd's Kidney Pills."

To the Teachers of Queens Co.

At the annual meeting of the Hamplated Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The teachers of the public schools of the County of Queens have given much assistance during the past year, in the matter of securing Temperance and Narcotic pledges from the pupils of their schools—each pledge roll having been sent out by the Hamplated W. C. T. U.—therefore

Resolved, That we hereby express our sincere thanks to the teachers of our county who so readily responded in this way, and assure them of our appreciation of the many kind words of encouragement received from them—further

Resolved, That we extend our thanks to Inspectors Briggs and Steves who so kindly gave us the names of the teachers and the addresses of their respective schools.

Ordered that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Queens County GAZETTE.

To those who are interested in this work the quarterly reports 840 temperance and 735 narcotic pledges received with still a small number of schools to have from, and would ask all teachers who have not responded to do so as soon as possible, also if there are any schools in the county that have not received the pledge rolls they will kindly send a card to the Secretary, General Hamplated, who will be pleased to supply any school.

A Skin Beautifier

Of Inestimable Value, which Positively Cures Pimples, Blackheads, Eczema and every form of Skin Disease, is Dr. Chase's Ointment.

As great as may be the difference of opinion as to the various types of beauty, no one can see beauty in a face that is disfigured by pimples and blackheads or seared by traces of eczema or other skin disease.

The low-neck society dress frequently reveals shoulders and back covered with pimples or other skin eruptions repulsive to the sight. Why are women content to use powders and harmful preparations to cover up such blemishes when they could as well cure them and make the skin clear, healthy and naturally bright by using a preparation so well known as Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Eczema, or Salt Rheum, may be taken as the most severe form of skin disease which may be cured by using a preparation so well known as Dr. Chase's Ointment.

No preparation is of such inestimable value in a woman's toilet, for besides curing the pimples that are usually troublesome at the intervals, it gives instant relief to the itching to which women are subject, and absolutely cures piles.

Get a box at all dealers, or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.

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