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WAR AGAINST THE WHITE PLAGUE

Philadelphia Department of Health and Charities Making Notable Progress in Reducing the Ravages of Tuberculosis. Public Should Aid in Suppressing Infection.

Deaths from tuberculosis in Philadelphia during the first three weeks of July show a decrease of 15 per cent. as compared with the same period of last year, and, if this percentage is carried through the year, 459 lives will be rescued from the "White Plague" at a saving of approximately \$2,745,000.

In the weekly bulletin of the Department of Health and Charities attention is called to these figures with the purpose of enlisted every citizen's aid in carrying on the war for the extermination of tuberculosis.

"That tuberculosis is a preventable disease which, with the aid of the medical profession, can effectually stamp out, if sufficient interest is taken, is one of the facts laid down by the department in giving out simple rules which it asks all individual citizens to assist in carrying out."

"Every taxpayer has a financial interest in this result," declares the department bulletin, "for in many instances where the wage-earner is incapacitated or dies, the family becomes a public charge to be maintained at the city's expense."

"Tuberculosis, or consumption," says the bulletin, "is caused by the growth of a certain germ in the tissues of the body. There can be no such disease without this germ. The popular theory of its being inherited is erroneous in great part. Babies, as a rule, become infected by intimate and close contact with a tuberculous mother or father."

"The disease is communicated to others by the carelessness of those suffering from it. Each spitting of a consumptive may contain millions of germs, which may be breathed into the lungs with the air, may be taken into the stomach with food or drink, or find lodgment in some wounded surface. It is fortunate, however, that the disease seldom develops unless the body is in a run-down condition."

"Consumption may be prevented and stamped out by the destruction of a consumptive's spittle, by preventing any one from spitting in public places, by public vehicles and street cars; by discarding the long dresses worn by women, as they sweep up infection with dust from the street and carry it into houses; by bringing all persons suspected of having consumption under the care

of a physician, hospital or dispensary, as the disease is curable in its early stages.

"A bad or chronic cough should be treated immediately by a physician. Methods of stamping out the disease are:

"The disinfection of all rooms occupied by a consumptive, as soon as vacated. Such disinfection will be made by the Bureau of Health without cost.

"Repeated cleansing and frequent disinfection of all rooms occupied by consumptives. These rooms should never be dusted; cleansing should be done with soap and water.

"Instructing the consumptive patient what he, being the real source of danger to others, should do to prevent the spread of this disease.

"Notwithstanding a recent editorial criticism on 'don'ts' in general, we would advise the following in particular:

"Don't spit on the sidewalk; it spreads disease and is against the law.

"Don't spit on the floor of your shop or hallway.

"Don't spit on the floor of your mouth.

"Don't cough without holding a handkerchief or your hand over your mouth.

"Don't kiss a person with a cough or cold.

"Don't live in rooms where there is no fresh air.

"Don't work in rooms where there is no fresh air.

"Don't sleep in rooms where there is no fresh air.

"Don't eat without washing the hands.

"Don't neglect a cough or cold.

"Don't waste your money on patent medicines or nostrums for consumption. Go to a doctor or dispensary.

"Don't drink whiskey, beer or other intoxicating drinks. If you have consumption it will make it harder for you to get well.

"Acknowledgment is hereby made to the medical profession at large for its aid to the department in the crusade against tuberculosis by more full reports of cases of consumption. The registration of the disease for the first three weeks in July, as compared with the similar time in 1907, has shown an increase of 56 per cent."

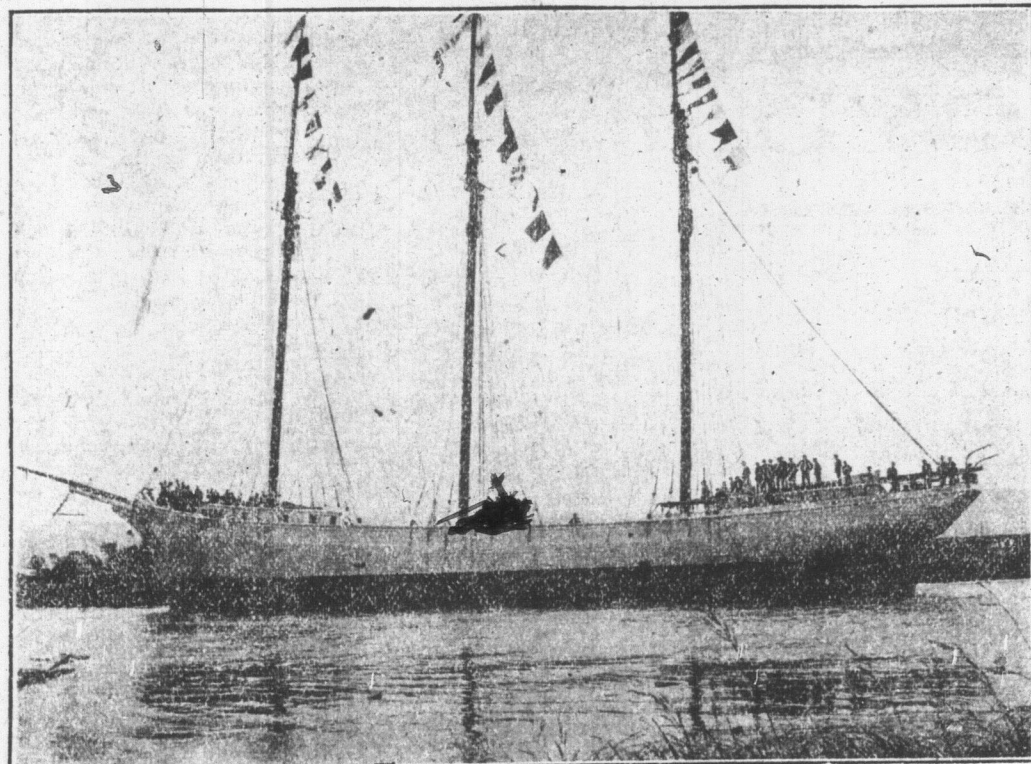
Game Laws for 1908

1. Close season for moose December 1st to October 1st, and under the age of one year at all seasons.
2. No person shall kill more than one moose during one season.
3. Every person who kills a moose shall within ten days report the same to the Chief Game Commissioner.
4. No moose meat shall be exposed for sale until the person who killed the moose shall have obtained a certificate from a Warped or Justice of the Peace.
5. Any person keeping moose meat for sale shall have such certificate in his possession and shall forward the same to the Chief Game Commissioner within ten days from the date of issue.
6. Unlawful to kill any deer.
7. Close season for birch partridge November 1st to October 1st.
8. No person shall in one day kill more than five birch partridges.
9. No game birds, except blue winged ducks shall be killed before sunrise or after sunset.
10. Unlawful to kill spruce partridge at any time.
11. Close season for blue winged duck March 1st to September 1st.
12. The season for woodcock and snipe opens September 1st, and no person shall kill more than 15 woodcock in one day.
13. Unlawful to kill any marmot or bird on Sunday.
14. Unlawful for any resident to kill woodcock or snipe outside of the county in which he resides without taking out a license. The fee is \$5.00.
15. No person shall accompany any person in the woods as a guide without taking out a license therefor. Fee \$2.00.
16. Non residents must take out a license before going into the woods to hunt. Fee \$30.00.
17. Guides are prohibited to act as a guide for non-residents who have not taken out a license.
18. Export of birds is prohibited. Attention is particularly drawn to the open season for ducks and snipe which begins September 1st. Shooting birds with rifles will be carefully watched, and those who have been shooting duck on the Cornwallis river are being watched and, if continued, will be prosecuted.

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Special Prizes for the Fruit Growers of Annapolis Co.

The attention of the fruit growers in this County is called to the special prize lists in fruits of the exhibition to be held in Kentville on October 7th, 8th and 9th next.

We find the following special prizes open to exhibitors from Annapolis County only:

Sec. 62—Best 5 boxes, one of each Blenheim, Ribston, Kings, Spy, Golden Russet, 1st prize, \$24.25, offered by E. H. Lewis & Sons.

Sec. 71—Best 3 barrels, one of each Blenheim, Ribston, Kings, 1st prize, \$25.00, offered by Edward Jacobs.

Sec. 78—Best 5 barrels, one of each Blenheim, Ribston, Kings, Greening, Golden Russets, 1st prize, \$48.50, offered by Walter Ford.

Sec. 81—Best box Blenheim, 1st prize, \$3.00, offered by G. H. Vroom.

Sec. 82—Best 2 barrels Gravensteins, No. 1 and 2, 1st prize, \$10.00, offered by W. G. Clarke.

Sec. 87—Best 2 barrels Nonpareil, Nos. 1 and 2, 1st prize, \$10.00, offered by S. W. W. Pickup, M. P. P.

Sec. 88—Best barrel Ribston, 1st prize, \$5.00, offered by O. T. Daniels, M. P. P.

Sec. 89—Best barrel Bishop Pippins 1st prize, \$6.00; 2nd prize, \$4.00, offered by Maritime Business College.

These prizes offer a splendid opportunity for our Annapolis Orchardists to capture large sums in prizes.

The regular prize list of this exhibition is double the amount ever offered before in Canada.

Send to F. C. Rand, Kentville, for prize list.

Degrades the Taste of the Public

The Sunday newspaper. Its chief harm is not that it is prepared and printed on Sunday, for it is almost wholly completed before midnight on Saturday. Its distribution is direct desecration of the Sabbath, however, for the work employs a great army of men and boys, to whom Sunday morning is anything but a holy season.

The Sunday newspaper deliberately provides for the day of rest the most sensational and distracting paper of the week. It is there as ever good in it, the coarseness and vulgarity it contains have long ago over-balanced that.

The Sunday newspaper's special Sunday features, on which it depends so largely for its sale, are doing more to degrade the taste of the people than any other one agency. Its notions of artistic humor are set forth in the hopelessly vulgar "comic supplement," and its ideals of good literature are crystallized in illustrated articles on "the richest dor in the world," and like elevating themes.

It is not strange, when the Sunday paper comes in, that love for the Bible and for worship should go out.

R. P. Williams, Champion All-around Athlete.

Professor R. P. Williams, who has been for the past six years physical director at the New London Y. M. C. A. and public schools, is now holder of seven world's records. They are as follows:

20 yard dash, 2 1/5 seconds.

50 yard dash, 5 5/8 seconds.

100 yard dash, 9 1/5 seconds.

Standing broad jump, w. weights, 15 feet, 4 inches.

Standing back jump w. weights, 12 feet, 5 inches.

Running high kick, 10 feet, 3 inches.

Running high kick, 9 feet, 6 inches.

During his athletic career he has been track team coach of Tufts' College three years, two years physical director of the Washington, D. C. one season physical director Bridgetown, N. S. Y. M. C. A., one season playground association, two years athletic coach of Orient Heights Athletic Club. He has also placed nineteen young men as athlete and physical directors and trained them for it. He is acknowledged as being one of the best all-around gymnasts in America. Among his most notable performances are the following:

May 24th, 1905, Mr. Williams invaded England where at the Campborne Championships on June 24th, he defeated Jack Sampson of Pennsylvania, 6 yards on a grass track in 9 4/5 seconds, and also won 440 yards in 48 2/5 seconds. On May 21st, 1904, he won 100 yards dash at Harvard games in 14 2/5 seconds, and 440 yards in 48 seconds, off 5 yards.

On Sept. 1st, 1905, he made the following records in an athletic meet: 100 yard dash, 9 1/5 seconds; running high jump, 6 feet, 1 inch; running broad jump, 22 feet, 8 inches.

Aug. 23rd, 1904, at Johnston, Penn.—Run 50 yards in 3 1/5 seconds; 100 yards in 9 1/5 seconds; running high kick, 10 feet, 3 inches.

July 12th, 1905, at Millford, N. S., made the following records, in an athletic meet—50 yards in 5 1/5 seconds; 100 yards in 9 1/5 seconds; standing broad jump w. w., 15 feet, 4 inches; standing back jump w. w., 12 feet, 5 inches; running high kick, 10 feet, 1 inch.

June 2nd, 1906,—run exhibition, 100 yards, and was timed 9 seconds flat by several watches.

July 10th, 1906, at Madison, Wis., made the following records in an athletic meet—50 yards, 5 1/5 seconds; 100 yards, 9 1/5 seconds; 12 lb. shot put, 31 feet, 7 inches; running high kick, 10 feet, 1 inch.

A physical director athletic meet was held at Cobanite May 6, 08. The summary of events is as follows: 100-yard dash—R. P. Williams, 9 1/5 seconds; scratch, 1. H. Nousek, 22 yards, 2. F. B. House, of Providence, 13 yards, 3.

100-yard dash, special—H. McLaughlin, 1. Nousek, 2. Rouse, 3. Time, 11 1/5 seconds.

60-yard handicap—R. P. Williams scratch, 1. McLaughlin, 8 yards, 2. Nousek, 10 yards, 3. Time, 6 seconds.

Running broad jump—R. P. Williams, 24 feet, 4 inches; McLaughlin 15 feet, 4 inches; Rouse, 15 feet, 2 inches.

12-pound shot put—Williams, 49 feet, 2 inches; McLaughlin, 31 feet, 11 inches; Nousek, 30 feet, 9 inches.

Running hop step and jump—Williams, 45 feet, 11 inches; McLaughlin, 34 feet, 11 inches; Rouse, 32 feet, 9 inches.

Rev. H. R. Grant in Scott Act Legislation

Rev. H. R. Grant thinks that the new amendment is practically valuable. In a communication to the Editor of the Halifax Chronicle, he says:—

In a recent issue of your paper a writer gives his views of legislation upon our statutes, against the liquor traffic. Permit me to place before your readers the view of the Nova Scotia Temperance Alliance. We believe in the work of moral suasion for the individual, and the enforcement of law for the suppression of the traffic—in other words the Gospel for the individual and the law for the liquor business. The work of moral suasion is being carried on in our churches and temperance organizations very earnestly and systematically.

There is an overwhelming sentiment against the liquor business. This sentiment calls for its abolition and here the Alliance takes issue with those who say "present legislation is all that reasonable temperance workers should demand." We claim that it is very inefficient. Permit me to note some defects, which could be remedied by a Provincial law:

(1)—The Inspector may make every offence a first, and he almost without exception does.

(2)—The Magistrate may impose the jail penalty for a first offence.

(3)—Under the Scott Act a search warrant must be executed in the day-time. It should permit of a search at any time.

(4)—The Scott Act and the License Act can not be used to suppress clubs. The Acts are too local and too optional.

The above are a few of many defects in the Acts.

The clause which permits the shipment of liquor into Scott Act Counties "for personal or family use" makes all recent amendments practically valueless. Any boy, or group of boys, can order a bottle or a barrel, and as heretofore the L. C. R. can carry loads of liquor into Scott Act counties.

When will our legislators come to the rescue of people cursed by the traffic, and give to this province a law which will be of real service, in the work of reform?

MINARD'S LINIMENT
RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

MARITIME BOARD OF TRADE

Discussing Resolutions to Promote Tourist Travel, Railway Improvements, Reduction in Freight Rates, To Prohibit Exportation of Pulp Wood, etc.

The annual meeting of the Maritime Board of Trade is in session today, August 19th, at Halifax. That the time of the members will be well occupied is shown by the list of subjects for discussion which will be introduced by the local boards.

The different boards proposing questions will be supposed to be ready to debate them when called, and to submit such resolutions on them as they desire to have approved. The list is as follows:

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.

Resolved—The subject of advertising this Province by issuing a Sporting Guide to Nova Scotia so as to induce a larger number of tourists and sportsmen to visit the province be endorsed by the Maritime Board of Trade, and it is recommended that all Boards of Trade furnish necessary information from their respective counties.

And further resolved—That a special committee be appointed to devise ways and means to print a guide so as to furnish books at the lowest cost for distribution and sale.

BERWICK.

Resolved—That the laws of our Province should be so altered, that the valuation of property in the various school sections for the purpose of assessment or taxation for the support of schools therein, should be made by assessors appointed by the rate payers of the school section, at the annual school meetings.

DARTMOUTH.

Whereas—An effort is about to be made to shorten the line of the Intercolonial Railway between Moncton and the Port of Halifax.

And Whereas—it is understood that the Dominion Government is about to make a survey for the purpose of finding out if it is possible to shorten said line.

And Whereas—it is reported that a line from Grand Lake to Dartmouth can be obtained, which would shorten the distance between these points about nine miles.

Therefore Resolved, the Secretary write the Minister of Railways, calling his attention to this fact, and asking him to have such route surveyed.

HALIFAX.

- (1) Running rights to the Canadian Pacific Railway over the Intercolonial Railway.
- (2) Improved cable communication between Canada, the British West Indies and Demerara.
- (3) Resolution endorsing the All Red Route.
- (4) Appointment of Canadian Atlantic Fisheries Board.
- (5) Enforcement of Act regarding the provisioning of dories for fishermen.

INVERNESS.

- (1) The general fulfilment of the Contract between the Government and the Inverness Railway and Coal Co., such as better passenger service, freight rates, accommodation at the junction of the Intercolonial Railway etc.
- (2) Consideration of the subject of opening up Inverness Harbor, with a view to strengthening the hands of our Federal representatives in seeking Federal Government Aid for this important project.

KENTVILLE.

- (1) Resolved—That this Board is of the opinion that the exportation of Pulp and Pulp Wood from Canada should be prohibited by the Federal Government.
- (2) Resolved—That this Board considers the express charges on all lines of railways in Canada to be excessive, that the same should be reduced to a fair basis, and that the Federal Government be asked to have the Railway Commission investigate and remedy this wrong.
- (3) Resolved—That whereas many Canadians are returning from the United States to Nova Scotia to permanently reside in their native land, the Maritime Board of Trade have a booklet prepared containing a description of farms and residential places which are on the market for sale, and have the same placed at proper distributing centres.

PICTOU.

That a united effort be made by the Maritime Board of Trade to secure a reduction in the telephone toll rates throughout the province.

TRURO.

Insurance on stocks of retail merchants.

WINDSOR.

- (1) The inconvenience, delay, and wasting of people's time by the unpunctual manner in which the passenger trains on the various railways of Canada are run.
- (2) The high and excessive rates on Nova express business in Western Nova Scotia.

WOLFVILLE.

- (1) That the Local Government be asked to offer a prize for the best scheme to make possible the continuous use of tidal rivers of the Basin of Minas and Bay of Fundy, for the development of power for manufacturing and electrical purposes.
- (2) That the Government be urged to acquire the important historic lands (now private), of this province for the purpose of protecting and preserving them.

YARMOUTH.

The advisability of the Dominion Government taking over the railways of Western Nova Scotia, and making them a part of the Intercolonial system.

SACKVILLE.

Whether it would be well for the Board of Trade to make enquiry as to the effect of the liquor business upon commercial life, and whether for economic reasons the nation, or any part of it, might not well prohibit the sale of intoxicants just as many large corporations have deemed it wise to do.

ST. JOHN.

- (1) Granting to mail steamers, subsidized by the Federal Government, privileges of choosing the terminal port in Canada at which they may find it most advantageous to land mails.
- (2) The cost of coal in the Maritime Provinces, for manufacturing purposes.
- (3) The desirability of conducting retail business on a cash basis.
- (4) Permanent highways to Provincial centres.

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ATTENTION. Notices to delinquent tax payers is hereby given that the water will be turned off if all arrears are not paid forthwith, and the water will not be turned on again until the arrears and expenses of turning off and on are fully paid. F. L. MILNER, Town Clerk. July 7th., 1908.

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday the 28th August, 1908 for the conveyance of his Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, between LAWRENCE TOWN and NICTAUX CORNER (SCHOOL HOUSE) from the 1st October next. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Lawrence town and Nictaux West and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Halifax. G. C. Anderson, Superintendent.

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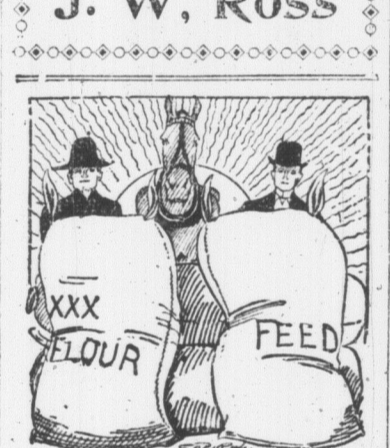
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The Fishery Commission

The members of the Special Fishery Commission, Professor Prince, of Ottawa, and Mr. S. P. Morrison, Folly Village, N. S., have in the course of their tour held sittings at Digby, Annapolis, Scotts Bay, and Canning. On the 14th inst., they reached Wolfville and on Thursday, the 6th inst., sat in public session in the Riley Hall, Windsor. The Wolfville sittings took place in the Board of Trade Chambers on Wednesday morning, when there were present, Mr. B. H. Dodge, M. P. P., Professor Tufts Dr. George Johnson and a large number of fishermen and citizens.

Professor Prince, as chairman of the Commission, briefly stated the purpose of the investigation authorized by the Federal Government, and said that great difficulty had been experienced in framing suitable regulations for the protection and, if possible, the restoration of the shad fisheries of the Bay of Fundy. The evidence gathered at the sittings in progress, would be hoped enable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to effectively accomplish the object all desired, viz: the improvement of the shad industry, and the preservation of the salmon, gaspereaux and other valuable fish in the Kines and Hants County waters.

Mr. Adolphus Bishop, Grand Trea was the first witness. He commenced shad fishing when sixteen and he was now eighty. In early days shad were easily caught in great quantities. Everybody had fresh shad to eat, but of late years they had become very scarce. The size had improved as the total catch declined. No number 3 shad are caught, but no. 2's and no. 1's form the staple takes and these are the largest shad. The fish are so large that a 1/2 barrel he got at Boat Island consisted of sixteen shad only. The price is high, \$4.50 or \$5.00 a quarter barrel; but formerly \$1.50 was the price, i. e., \$6.00 per barrel or \$3.00 per hundred. Over fishing had caused the depletion. Formerly the usual catch per night of shad was 200 to 400 per boat. Night was the best time, and an ebb tide, as the shad stem the tide. Shad gill nets are from 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 inch extension measure, and the length is 100 fathoms as compared with 60 or 70 fathoms per boat formerly. Sometimes 150 fathoms may be used, but no small fish are taken because undersized shad pass through the large mesh. Shad feed by suction, and they come in obstructions, where fish passes and slicks had been placed to aid the ascent of the fish. The earliest fish were the gaspereaux which ascended from the sea May 10th to June 10th and November. With proper care the Gaspereaux River could be made an anadromous river without a rival.

Mr. Charles O'Leary, White Rock, said that the sportsman spent money when he came to the district to aid the salmon he took cost him \$1.00 to \$2.00 per pound, whereas the net fisherman only got \$1.00 or \$1.50 for these weeks after they begin to take the salmon was a public benefit; the planting operations of the Dominion Government had introduced a salmon not native to the local waters. It had less vim in taking the fly, and was a poorer color in the flesh than our local salmon.

Dr. McKenna stated his opinion that there were such fine pools on the Gaspereaux River, it would rank as a first-class sportmen's river if protected from destructions, destructive nets and traps, spearing, etc. It has greatly deteriorated, and stems were urgently needed to make it the river it would naturally be, superior to other salmon rivers. The season begins as early as May 10th, and continues into June—indeed to the last of June.

Mr. R. W. Starr gave a history of the fisheries in the Cornwallis estuary from 1825, and said that the shad question involved the Hudson River as far north as the St. John and the Annapolis Rivers. The Dominion Government should secure the conjoint action of the United States if the shad supply was ever to be restored.

Mr. Ainsley Bishop stated that the run was so poor his catch this season did not exceed thirty shad. They weighed 90 pounds dressed, but five years ago shad of 5 pounds and 6 pounds were common. He had known a 9 pound shad occasionally in former years. So many nets are now fished it is a wonder that any shad at all get past, and this season is the worst ever experienced.

Mr. Gaspard Roy claimed that September shad are the best, but they are now very scarce. At his three fisheries cod are taken very early, and about June 25th shad, all so quite a few bass, some 30 pounds weight, and a halibut of small size occasionally. The shad are fat with very small roe. An experiment should be tried, by marking shad and liberating them, to find out where they spawn. Possibly our shad spawn in January or February somewhere.

Mr. O. D. Harris said that in North Carolina roe shad were obtained on the 15th of April. The roe shad were worth \$1.00 each, while the male shad brought 75 cents. In May about the 10th, of 13 shad caught in the Annapolis River two were males but eleven were roe shad.

Dr. George Johnson pointed out that in 1860, Kings County had a yield of 1,228 barrels of shad, where as in 1906 it was only 194 barrels valued at about \$1,000. It was easy to calculate the loss to the fishermen and the county by this depletion. Possibly the deterioration was due to deforestation. The clearing away of the trees may have affected such waters as Scotts Bay by permitting poisonous matters to drain into the areas frequented by shad. Other witnesses were Messrs. H. A. Dalmaine, Alf. Fullerton and Brenton Borden.

WINDSOR SITTINGS. The Commission resumed its public sittings on Thursday, the 6th inst., in the Riley Hall, when Dr. J. B. Black, M. P., Hon. M. H. Gopage, Sheriff James O'Brien, Dominion Inspector Hookin and a representative gathering of fishermen and the public were present.

Mr. Norton Card, of Burlington spoke of his twenty-three years' experience as a fisherman. In addition to shad he fishes for salmon, cod gaspereaux, etc. Formerly the usual catch per night of shad was 200 to 400 per boat. Night was the best time, and an ebb tide, as the shad stem the tide. Shad gill nets are from 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 inch extension measure, and the length is 100 fathoms as compared with 60 or 70 fathoms per boat formerly. Sometimes 150 fathoms may be used, but no small fish are taken because undersized shad pass through the large mesh. Shad feed by suction, and they come in obstructions, where fish passes and slicks had been placed to aid the ascent of the fish. The earliest fish were the gaspereaux which ascended from the sea May 10th to June 10th and November. With proper care the Gaspereaux River could be made an anadromous river without a rival.

Mr. William Withrow agreed with the previous witness. He said that sawdust spread for thirty miles from the mills, and it got into the gills of the shad. It does not kill salmon, but it fills up the spawning pools, Simpson's Hole, on the Kennebec River is now filled up with decayed sawdust. We rarely see a spawn shad, but one 10 pounds in weight was got in the Kennebec at Stanley below Clarksville.

Mr. John Spencer stated that he fished for shad, salmon, cod and herring. He used nets which forty years ago were 50 to 75 fathoms long; but ten years ago longer nets (50 fathoms) were used. Though many fishermen still use short lengths, the total quantity of drift nets has decreased in this locality as formerly there are now not more than seven or eight boats.

Joker's Corner.

HE WAS QUALIFIED.

"In that crisis," said a theatrical manager, speaking of a stage blunder he had committed, "I made a mistake, as queer a mistake as one that was made by a friend of mine, a clergyman." "The clergyman had advertised for a butler, and the next morning after breakfast a well dressed, clean shaven young man in black was ushered into his study." "Name, please?" said the clergyman. "Hilary Arbuthnot, sir." "Age?" "Twenty-eight." "What work have you been accustomed to?" "I am a lawyer, sir." "The clergyman started. This was odd. However, as he knew many were called in the law, few chosen. "But," he said, "do you understand the conduct of a household?" "In a general way, yes," murmured the applicant. "Can you carve?" "Yes." "Wash glass and silver?" "I—er—think so." The young man seemed embarrassed. He frowned and blushed. "When the clergyman's wife entered." "Are you married?" was her first question. "That," said the young man, "was what I called to your husband about, madam. I desire to know if he can make it convenient to officiate at my wedding at noon next Thursday week."

IF THAT'S SOCIETY.

The Rev. C. W. Gordon, of Windsor, better known as Ralph Connor, recently compared the honest and sincere ways of the frontier with the false and venomous ways of certain circles of society. He illuminated the comparison with a dialogue. "I overheard this dialogue," he said, "at a reception that I once attended in Washington. The speakers were two grandee dames—I believe that is the word—two powerful social leaders, one from Philadelphia, the other from New York." "Well," said the first grandee dame, "I must be off. I've got to go and see my mother."

"The second put up her cigarette and drawled: "Really—ah—you don't mean to say you've got a mother living?" "The first grandee dame laughed a high thin laugh, with something biting, like acid, in it. "Oh, yes," she said, "my mother is still alive, and she doesn't look a day older than you do, I assure you."

PERHAPS YOU HAVE.

A certain worthy Bishop was fond of a quiet smoke and did not think that the habit was out of keeping with his high office. The Archbishop of the Diocese, however, thought differently, and did not hesitate to proclaim his opinion. On one occasion the Archbishop was the guest of the Bishop, and preached at the Cathedral evening service. Having returned to the Episcopal Palace he was gazing from the library window when he detected the Bishop walking in the garden below, and smoking a cigar, as he thought in safe privacy. "Ah, Bishop," said the Archbishop, as he opened the window, "no I have caught you burning incense to the devil." "Perhaps you have," returned the Bishop, "but I didn't know he was so near."

PERIODICALS.

"Do you take any periodicals?" asked the clergyman on his first round of parish visits. "Well, I don't," replied the woman, "but my husband takes 'em frequent. I do wish you'd try to get him to sign the pledge."

SHE KNEW.

He (at the summer hotel)—a scandal is very much like a vacant place left by a drawn tooth. She—That's right. It's hard to keep one's tongue out of it.

The Famous Pedestrian

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Short Story for

Our Boys and Girls

Everybody had told Jamie he was stupid until he began to think it might be so. His parents were dead and he lived with Uncle Peter in the city. Uncle Peter sent him to school to Miss Nellie.

One day Miss Nellie told her boys she was going to the seashore, to Herrick Island for her vacation, but she did not like to go alone. It was much pleasanter to have someone for company, to run along the beach and find shells, to pull flowers on the marshes, to go out sailing, or for a dip in the sea. She had no brother, so she wanted one of the boys to go with her, and this was how she would decide which one of them it should be. Each boy should bring a collection of something selected by himself, either from his own home or the stores or from what might be given him by friends—whatever he chose, but it must consist of a collection of articles all belonging to one class, and every boy should describe his particular collection, tell where the articles were made or grown and their use. Three weeks would be allowed them to make ready, and then, on a Friday afternoon, a committee, formed of the trustees and relatives and friends of the boys, should decide which collection was best and who was entitled to the prize—a two weeks' stay at Herrick Island.

How the youngsters' eyes shone at this announcement. "What is the ocean like? I never saw it, did you?" asked Jamie of his school-fellow at luncheon time. "Coolest! Lots of times!" responded Tommy Waddell, grandly as though oceans were common where he lived. "It's something like a kettle of boiling soda, only a great deal bigger, you know."

"Does it smell like that?" asked Jamie, doubtfully. He did not much fancy the smell of boiling soda. "No, it smells salty, 'cause there's codfish in it," he supposed.

"It sounds like a buzz when it's going," said Ned Dolan, with an air of wisdom, "and it always is going."

Jamie knew all about buzz saws. Uncle Dan had one in his mill out in the country, and Jamie used to live with Uncle Dan. The boy could seem to hear that saw roar now, and hear Uncle Dan shouting he must keep away from it. He wondered if he would have to keep away from the ocean if he was near it? It was considerable of a puzzle in his mind what it could be like. How he did wish he could see it, and with Miss Nellie! He was devoted to Miss Nellie in his shy, boyish fashion.

The boys were wild with plans; all talked at once, and each, it would seem, had already begun to make a collection of one thing or another, everyone but Jamie—he had no little store of treasures, not a single article of value.

TRAIN FOR BUSINESS

Most men train their brains and almost entirely neglect their bodies. They do not seem to realize that keenness of judgment and clearness of thought depend on much on the body as on the brain itself. Any man can prove this to his own satisfaction by attempting to decide a weighty business problem while suffering with an acute attack of indigestion or a violent spell of biliousness.

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with them, saying, "Just wait and see."

At last the fatal day arrived. The corals were laid out; everybody said so. The pieces were laid out on blue velvet. "They cost hundreds of dollars," grandfather said, "announced their exhibitor proudly.

The candies were sweet indeed. "It took every cent I have saved this quarter," besides what was given me," Tommy informed his friends with much satisfaction. "I made the little shelves to put them on myself," he added.

To Bobby Jones' friends there was nothing so nice as pins; and no one would have thought pins would have displayed so well. Bobby had stuck delicate little pink ones next to the blues, and lemon colored beside the greens; lovely pearls, flaxen silver and cut steel contrasted with gold, garnets, and jets; the effect was beautiful.

Johnnie Towne had a fine assortment of fans. Ben Morris had buttons, Charlie Williams soap, in a variety of shapes displayed in an attractive box; and Silas Casey had sponges of all kinds and sizes, arranged on a pink cotton flannel table cover, and there were many others.

Jamie's turn came last. He had knots; nothing else. But such knots! He had corals, the shadings and streakings are so blended that no one could show distinctly, but are all merged together in a heavy beauty. He had corals, the shadings and streakings are so blended that no one could show distinctly, but are all merged together in a heavy beauty. He had corals, the shadings and streakings are so blended that no one could show distinctly, but are all merged together in a heavy beauty.

Jamie had shown himself to have an eye to effect, too. At his suggestion, Uncle Dan had permitted one of the men to make the shadings and streakings are so blended that no one could show distinctly, but are all merged together in a heavy beauty.

The visitors were loud in their expressions of approval of everything. "Such an excellent idea of teaching!" they said; and all agreed that the boys had shown wonderful taste in the arrangement of their displays. Finally the committee sat down and conferred in low tones, the youthful exhibitors remaining standing.

In the silence that followed, Miss Nellie announced, with heightened color in her cheeks, "We will not listen to the committee's report."

Then there was silence again. In his suspense, poor Jamie imagined he heard buzz saws everywhere. Of course he did not really suppose his collection would be thought the best; but—perhaps—oh, he did want to know! He was so wrought up that he started at the strapping of a chair behind him as one of the trustees arose, and wheeled around so suddenly that he bumped up against that gentleman.

"Oh, please, I—did not mean—I mean—I'm sorry," stammered Jamie, hardly knowing what he was saying in his confusion.

NEVER MIND, WE CAN EXCUSE YOU UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

"Never mind, we can excuse you under the circumstances," said the trustee, good-humoredly. "You are the boy who collected the knots, are you not? Well, you have won the prize!"

"You have won the prize," he repeated, in response to the unexpected appeal in the boy's eyes.

Then how the buzz saw whizzed in Jamie's ears! But no, it was applause. Gentle at first, then louder and louder. It didn't seem to him that clapping and cheering could be for him. But he reached out his arms with a swift impulse toward visitors and school-fellows as if he would take them all in. His eyes were moist and his voice trembled as he murmured his half-credible thanks. His once known what to do or say he was so happy.

"To think of his winning the prize with nothing but knots!" exclaimed Tommy Waddell, munching one of his peppermints. "But you're the right sort, Jamie. We all think so, and here you have the tip-top me!"

"CHRONIC DIARRHOEA BELIEVED. Mr. Edward E. Henry, with the United States Express Co., of Chicago, writes: 'Our General Superintendent, Mr. Quick, handed me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy some time ago to check an attack of the old chronic diarrhoea which I have used since that time and cured many of our train who have been sick. I am an old soldier who served with Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley four years in the 23rd Ohio Regiment, and have no ailment except chronic diarrhoea, which this remedy stops at once.'"

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More War Talk

(St. John Telegraph.)

In Great Britain, going to start Germany? This somewhat startling question is suggested by several features of the news of the day in England. Every morning the people of the Mother Country are told that there is danger of invasion. Every day, without exception, some serious and respected journal complains because British preparations by land and sea against Germany are inadequate. The naval building programme is measured by Germany's. The concentration of all forces is planned to check a movement of German transports and ships of war. The coast defences are infirmed with the idea of retarding steps by the Germans. In Germany, say new military progress or invention is considered with respect to its value in a campaign against the United Kingdom.

In London, Germany is held up day after day, by fame, as the one nation which Britain must watch with the keenest vigilance. To some extent, it is true, the talk of war is due to partial attempts to secure political advantage by representing opponents as careless of the national safety; but unfortunately there is more than that in it. There is, however we must repeat to see it, a strong, and evidently a growing current of opinion which holds that Germany cherishes sinister designs which it would attempt to carry out whenever circumstances appeared to promise success. If Canadians were told morning, noon and night, that their country was in danger of invasion, they would grow uncomfortable to say the least. In Britain the sustained note of menace cannot but be irritating and productive of a sense of strain. An examination of the latest British newspapers shows that almost every news reference to naval affairs contains some mention of the possibility or probability of a conflict with Germany.

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12.20 Granville Cte 14.57

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1908.

A general movement to place politics on a higher plane, to cleanse it of the more palpable evidences of graft and to look more closely at the moral character and private conduct of the people's representatives is one of the gratifying signs of the times.

Another devastating fire in the finger of the Dominion's timber lands is reported. Two millions dollar's worth of timber on the island of Vancouver had been swept away while the fire was reported as still raging and threatening camps and dwellings.

The city of Spokane, Washington, is making an effort to save its children from truancy influences and associations.

Quite a number of our boys have taken advantage of the excursion and gone to the wheat fields. Alva Miller Robinson brothers, and Messrs Love being amongst the number.

ORIGIN AND MEANING OF THE WORD "YANKEE"

(Correspondence in Truro News.) In last week's News, on the authority of one Charles Wilcox, we say the word "Yankee" is Indian and means "sneak."

WHENCE THE GERM OF LIFE IN THE REED? Whence the germ of life in the reed? Whence the germ of life in the reed? Whence the germ of life in the reed?

Hymeneal.

WHITMAN-FITZ RANDOLPH

A very pretty home wedding was given by Mr. and Mrs. William Fitz Randolph, of Williamstown, on the evening of August 12th, when their daughter, Emmie May, was married to Mr. Crofton F. U. Whitman, eldest son of C. E. Whitman, of Lawrencetown.

GUNN-DELONG.

At the home of L. B. DeLong, a prominent merchant of New Germany on the evening of the 11th instant, a very interesting and informal event took place in the presence of a few of the most intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom.

Upper Clements

Mrs. E. G. Kline, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. D. Miller, accompanied by her son, Earl, has returned to her home in Massachusetts.

PROTECTING PLUMAGE BIRDS.

LONDON, August 3.—A bill to protect the wanton slaughter of beautiful plumage birds was introduced in the House of Lords, May 12th, by Lord Avebury (Sir John Lubbock) and passed its second reading on a select committee for recommendation as to the best method of carrying out the object.

Obituary.

JAMES DEWOLFE SPURR.

With tragic suddenness the death occurred at St. John, N. B., on Saturday last of James Dewolfe Spurr as he was about to board the railway train for Rochesay, where he was to attend a meeting of the Natural History Society.

MRS. MARY A. J. BARTEAUX.

The death occurred at her home, Dalhousie West, on August 12th, of Mrs. Mary A. J. Bartheaux, wife of Mr. Ambrose Bartheaux, aged 61 years. Her death was very unexpected, as she enjoyed her usual good health until a month ago when she contracted a cold and suffered a severe hemorrhage which weakened her so she never recovered.

SPORTS NO LONGER JOYOUS RECREATIONS.

LONDON, August 4.—Dr. Warren, former headmaster at Eton, has made a noteworthy contribution to the discussion of the vexed question of the value of athletic in educational training.

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The subscriber offers for sale his valuable farm in Granville, a short distance from Bridgetown.

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(From the London Daily Mail.) The Olympic will probably be the name of the new White Star liner to be built at Belfast.

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Salmon, can, 12 Petticoats, pkg., 15

Pears, can, 16 Seeded Raisins, Santa Claus, 12

Strawberries, can, 18 Vanilla, bot., 09

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Great growing weather. Rev. W. H. Langille will preach in Providence Methodist Church next Sunday evening, August 23rd.

Mr. Milton Nelly has sold his property at Lower Middleton to a Mr. Gould, from Kings county—Outlook.

Three cases of typhoid fever are reported in the vicinity of Bridgetown, only one within the limits of the town.

Councillor deWitt has sold his driving mare to Dr. McClelland, who is opening a practice in Carleton, Yarmouth County.

The steamer Granville will carry an excursion party to Digby tomorrow. The Bridgetown Band will be members of the party.

Miss Blanche Charlton, of Rosedale, Mass., and Mrs. Ena Charlton, of South Williamston, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall.

The streets are looking neater for a cleaning up of the gutters. Now if necessities for waste could be placed in the corners, it would aid in keeping the streets cleaner.

The Presbyterian congregation held its annual picnic at Hampton on Friday last. The occasion was a very enjoyable one and the day was one of the finest of the season.

Don't borrow the Monitor-Sentinel from your neighbor. It is inconvenient for you and for him. See our twenty-five cent offer open to new subscribers and take advantage of it today.

A new sidewalk is being laid out under the superintendence of Mr. George Snow, at the end of the Bay Road leading to the H. & S. W. Railway station. This will be much appreciated by the travelling public.

Kings County claims the leader of "B" successful candidates for the province, Lormore, a boy of fourteen, who made an aggregate of 566. His marking of 100 on each of his mathematical papers is claimed to be unprecedented.

The Methodist congregation will hold its annual picnic at Hampton on Tuesday next, August 25th. It is hoped that the older members of the congregation will be well represented in addition to the children of the Sunday School. None too old or too young to join in the outing.

St. James' Sunday School picnic is to be held (weather permitting) on Friday next, at Hall's Island, Lawrencetown. The party will go by the two o'clock train, returning by the "Owl." Arrangements are being made for the issue of excursion rates for the adults attending.

Special prizes are offered to Annapolis County Fruit Growers by the Horticultural Exhibition, a list of which is given on our first page. Doubtless our fruit growers will have some handsome exhibits and we trust will do all possible to retain the favorable impression which our fruit has made at former exhibitions.

The Maritime Board of Trade is in annual session in Halifax this week. Probably no movement if carried out would be of greater importance to Annapolis County than that of the Yarmouth Board of Trade, which suggests the advisability of the Dominion Government taking over the railways of Western Nova Scotia and making them a part of the inter-colonial system.

Rev. James Carruthers, Professor of Education, Presbyterian College, Halifax, and Dalhousie University, will give a series of two lectures in the Court House, Bridgetown, on the evenings of August 21st and September 21st, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Gordon Memorial Presbyterian Church. The subjects of the lectures will be announced in next week's issue.

Word has been received of the safe arrival of Mrs. Walter White in England, after a pleasant voyage. She is now staying with the Misses White, at "The Old Manor," Rampton. A little later she will probably enter a Children's Hospital for a three-year training course. Whilst there her children will remain at "The Old Manor." Her many friends here will be pleased to hear of Mrs. White's safe return to her native land.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL.

Rain every other day keeps vegetation and foliage as verdant as in the month of May.

Members of the 6th regiment are attending the Bedford shoot this week. Messrs. F. L. Milner, Joseph I. Foster, and Horace Bishop, senior, left for Bedford on Monday.

The schooner C. D. Fickels left for Annapolis Royal on Saturday to complete her cargo of lumber for her first voyage to a West Indian port. She will be in command of Captain Meisner.

A collection of poems, "Acadian Lays and Other Verse," by Rev. William Inglis Morse, has just been issued. A review of this interesting volume will be given our readers next week.

The Royal Arcanum is holding a convention in Sackville this week and a number of charter members in this town left on Monday to attend, accompanied by a number of others, candidates for membership. Among the number are Dr. Armstrong, M. W. Graves, F. E. Bath, Aron Kinney and Ford Stevens.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farrell, of Boston, are visiting Mr. John Stevens. Miss Marion Dearness left Monday to spend a month with friends in St. John.

Mrs. E. M. Crossman, of New York, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. S. Anderson.

Rev. W. H. Langille and son, Carmo, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hiett.

Mrs. C. A. Mumford, of Halifax, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Ernest Miller, Clarence.

Mr. J. A. Macdonald, of Fredericton, N. B., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Jewett.

Dr. Robert Miller, of Ashmont, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Miller.

Miss Mabel Marshall, of Boston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marshall, Clarence.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Eldorin, of Fort Greenville, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Jost during the week.

Mr. Charles Marsh is dangerously ill at the home of W. R. Stannoch, Mass., as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Otterbein.

Miss Essie Parker, of Berwick, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Lizzie K. Marshall, returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. H. V. Barrett returned to her home in Boston on Friday last, after a few weeks spent with her father, Dr. Gellish.

Miss Laura B. Phinney, of the Leonard Morse Hospital, of Natick, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Otterbein.

Miss Bessie Blanchard, who has been the guest of Mrs. Frank Pratt and family for several weeks, returned home Monday.

Mrs. Crofton F. U. Whitman, Lawrencetown, will be "At Home" to her friends on Aug. 18th and 19th, afternoon and evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Jost, Mrs. Miller, Miss Fowles, Miss Mabel and Sister Troop, Misses Lena and Lila Parker attended the camp-meeting at Berwick.

Miss Blanche Spurr, Mrs. Jones and two children, of Deep Brook, Yarmouth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Marshall, during the past week.

Mrs. Norman Nelly and daughter of Bridgetown, have been the guests this week of Miss Florence Skinner, of Brooklyn street—Kentville Advertiser.

Mrs. Allen, formerly Miss Minnie McCormack, of New York State, was the guest of Councillor and Mrs. Otterbein last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carsten, Miss Carsten and Mrs. Hansen, of Boston, returned home on Monday. They were the guests of Mr. L. P. A. Durbin, Central Clarence.

Captain Roberts visited his family in town last week and left yesterday for Bridgewater to join his ship, the Invicta, which is leaving that port with a cargo of lumber for New York.

PERSONAL.

Miss Brenda Troop is visiting Mrs. E. B. MacDaniel, Annapolis Royal. Mrs. (Dr.) Armstrong and Maurice are visiting relatives in Yarmouth.

Miss Mary Quirk has returned from her trip to the Adirondacks, accompanied by her father, Mrs. (Dr.) Grant.

Mr. W. Neilson Mills, of Truro, son of the editor of the Midland Times, is a guest of Rev. E. Underwood this week.

Mrs. Lewis, Miss Vidito, and Mrs. Peters went to Amherst yesterday as delegates to the Baptist Women's Convention.

B. M. Williams returned from his trip to England last week. Mr. Williams thoroughly enjoyed his trip in every respect. He leaves today for Bedford.

The friends of Mrs. F. S. Brett, of Truro, were in town last week. Mrs. Brett went to Amherst yesterday as delegates to the Baptist Women's Convention.

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MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

The Mid-Summer Clearance sale of our big stock will commence on Friday next, July 17th and continue four weeks. We find that we have purchased too heavily on certain lines of goods, but our error of judgement in this respect means gain to our customers.

To give you the advantage of buying at lowest possible cost, we cut out middle men whenever it can be done and every extra expense, consequently you can make no mistake in purchasing from us. Friday next will open up money-saving possibilities.

Table with 2 columns: LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS and LADIES' COATS. Lists various items and prices, including 'Ladies' Dress Skirts from \$2.00 to 2.50' and 'One Ladies' Fawn Coat, size 34, Price \$15.00'.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS. We have a line of Dress Goods, selling at 35c to 60c which we will sell to clear at 25c. Three pieces light striped dress goods worth 45c for 20c.

It would take too much space to describe our great sale of bargains, therefore we will just state that we will give 20 p. c. off the dollar during this sale for all other lines of goods.

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In The Fog

BY
Richard Harding Davis.

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Every hour he seemed to grow weaker, but although his bodily strength is apparently leaving him forever, his mind has remained clear and active. Late yesterday evening word was received at our office that he wished my father to come at once to Chetney House and to bring with him certain papers. What these papers were is not essential; I mention them only to explain how it was that last night I happened to be at Lord Edam's bedside. I accompanied my father to Chetney House, but at the time we reached there Lord Edam was sleeping, and his physicians refused to have him awakened. My father urged that he should be allowed to receive Lord Edam's instructions concerning the documents, but the physicians would not disturb him, and we all gathered in the library to wait until he should awake of his own accord. It was about one o'clock in the morning, while we were still there, that Inspector Lyle and the officers from Scotland Yard came to arrest Lord Arthur on the charge of murdering his brother. You can imagine our dismay and distress. Like every one else, I had learned from the afternoon papers that Lord Chetney was not dead, but that he had returned to England, and on arriving at Chetney House I had been told that Lord Arthur had gone to the Bath Hotel to look for his brother and to inform him that if he wished to see his father alive he must come to him at once. Although it was now past one o'clock, Arthur had not returned. None of us knew where Melchior Zichy lived, so we could not go to recover Lord Chetney's body. We spent a most miserable night, hastening to the window whenever a cab came into the square, in the hope that it was Arthur returning, and endeavoring to explain away the facts that pointed to him as the murderer. I am a friend of Arthur's, I was with him at Harrow and at Oxford, and I refused to believe for an instant that he was capable of such a crime; but as a lawyer I could not help but see that the circumstantial evidence was strongly against him.

Toward early morning Lord Edam awoke, and in so much better a state of health that he refused to make the changes in the papers which he had intended, declaring that he was no nearer death than ourselves. Under other circumstances, this happy change in him would have relieved us greatly, but none of us could think of anything save the death of his elder son and of the charge which hung over Arthur. As long as Inspector Lyle remained in the house my father decided that I, as one of the legal advisers of the family, should also remain there. But there was little for either of us to do. Arthur did not return, and nothing occurred until late this morning, when Lyle received word that the Russian servant had been arrested. He at once drove to Scotland Yard to question him. He came back to us in an hour, and informed me that the servant had refused to tell anything of what had happened the night before, or of himself, or of the Princess Zichy. He would not even give them the address of her house.

"He is in abject terror," Lyle said. "I assured him that he was not suspected of the crime, but he would tell me nothing."
"There were no other developments until two o'clock this afternoon, when word was brought to us that Arthur had been found, and that he was lying in the accident ward of St. George's Hospital. Lyle and I drove there together, and found him propped up in bed with his head bound in a bandage. He had been brought to the hospital the night before by the driver of a hansom that had run over him in the fog. The cab-horse had kicked him on the head, and he had been carried in unconscious. There was nothing on him to tell who he was, and it was not until he came to his senses this afternoon that the hospital authorities had been able to send word to his people. Lyle at once informed him that he was under arrest, and with what he was charged, and though the inspector warned him to say nothing which might be used against him, I, as his solicitor, instructed him to speak freely and to tell us all he knew of the occurrences of last night. It was evident to any one that the fact of his brother's death was of much greater concern to him, than that he was accused of his murder.

"That," Arthur said contemptuously, "that is damned nonsense. It is monstrous and cruel. We parted better friends than we have been in years. I will tell you all that happened—not to clear myself, but to help you to find out the truth." His story is as follows: Yesterday afternoon, owing to his constant attendance on his father, he did not look at the evening papers, and it was not until after dinner, when the butler brought him one and told him of its contents, that he learned that his brother was alive and at the Bath Hotel. He drove there at once, but was told that about eight o'clock his brother had gone out, but without giving any clue to his destination. As Chetney had not at once come to see his father, Arthur decided that he was still angry with him, and his mind, turning naturally to the cause of their quarrel, determined him to look for Chetney at the home of the Princess Zichy. Her house had been pointed out to him, and though he had never visited it, he had passed it many times and knew its exact location. He accordingly drove in that direction, as far as the fog would permit the hansom to go, and walked the rest of the way, reaching the house about nine o'clock. He rang, and was admitted by the Russian servant. The man took his card into the drawing-room, and at once his brother ran out and welcomed him. He was followed by the Princess Zichy, who also received Arthur most cordially.

"You brothers will have much to talk about," she said. "I am going to the dining-room. When you have finished, let me know."
"As soon as she had left them, Arthur told his brother that their father was not expected to outlive the night, and that he must come to him at once.

"This is not the moment to remember your quarrel," Arthur said to him; "you have come back from the dead only in time to make your peace with him before he dies."
"Arthur says that at this Chetney was greatly moved."
"You entirely misunderstand me," Arthur, he returned. "I did

not know the governor was ill, or I would have gone to him the instant I arrived. My only reason for not doing so was because I thought he was still angry with me. I shall return with you immediately, as soon as I have said good-by to the Princess. It is a final good-by. After to-night, I shall never see her again."

"Do you mean that?" Arthur cried.
"Yes," Chetney answered. "When I returned to London I had no intention of seeking her again, and I am here only through a mistake." He then told Arthur that he had separated from the Princess even before he went to Central Africa, and that, moreover, while at Cairo on his way south, he had learned certain facts concerning her life there during the previous season, which made it impossible for him to ever wish to see her again. Their separation was final and complete.

"She deceived me cruelly," he said; "I cannot tell you how cruelly. During the two years when I was trying to obtain my father's consent to our marriage she was in love with a Russian diplomat. During all that time he was secretly visiting her here in London, and her trip to Cairo was only an excuse to meet him there."

"Yet you are here with her to-night," Arthur protested, "only a few hours after your return."

"That is easily explained," Chetney answered. "As I finished dinner to-night at the hotel, I received a note from her at this address. In it she said she had just learned of my arrival, and begged me to come to her at once. She wrote that she was in great and present trouble, dying of an incurable illness, and without friends or money. She begged me, for the sake of old times, to come to her assistance. During the last two years in the jungle all my former feeling for Zichy has utterly passed away, but no one could have dismissed the appeal she made in that letter. So I came here, and found her, as you have seen her, quite as beautiful as she ever was, in very good health, and, from the look of the house, in no need of money."

"I asked her what she meant by writing me that she was dying in a garret, and she laughed, and said she had done so because she was afraid, unless I thought she needed help, I would not try to see her. That was where we were when you arrived. And now," Chetney added, "I will say good-by to her, and you had better return home. No, you cannot trust me, I shall follow you at once. She has no influence over me now, but I believe, in spite of the way she has used me, that she is, after her queer fashion, still fond of me, and when she learns that this good-by is final there may be a scene, and it is not fair to her that you should be here. So, go home at once, and tell the governor that I am following you in ten minutes."

"That," said Arthur, "is the way we parted. I never left him on more friendly terms. I was happy to see him alive again, I was happy to think he had returned in time to make up his quarrel with my father, and I was happy that at last he was shut of that woman. I was never better pleased with him in my life." He turned to Inspector Lyle, who was sitting at the foot of the bed taking notes of all he told us.

"Why in the name of common sense," he cried, "should I have chosen that moment of all others to send my brother back to the grave? For a moment the Inspector did not answer him. I do not know if any of you gentlemen are acquainted with Inspector Lyle, but if you are not, I can assure you that he is a very remarkable man. Our firm often applies to him for aid, and he has never failed us; my father has the greatest possible respect for him. Where he has the advantage over the ordinary police official is in the fact that he possesses imagination. He imagines himself to be the criminal, imagines how he would act under the same circumstances, and he imagines to such purpose that he generally finds the man he wants. I have often told Lyle that

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARGET IN COWS.

Eight Fishermen Drowned

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 9.—The Gloucester, Mass., fishing schooner Margie and May, Captain Eric McCathern, was run down and sunk by the German ship Freya, Captain Mase, sixty miles south-east of Halifax at 11.30 p. m. on 8th inst., and Capt. McCathern and eight of the crew of the fishing schooner were drowned. At the time of the collision a dense fog prevailed and the fishing schooner quickly went to the bottom.

Seven of the crew were from Yarmouth, N. S. The Margie and May was under sail creeping along when out of the mist the lookout on the washup sighted the vessel's lights looming up. The washup was about eight knots at the time, and the course of the ship was altered as quickly as possible, but a collision could not be avoided. With a fearful crash the big steel prow of the Freya crashed the side of the fishing vessel, cutting her almost in two.

DIARRHOEA CURE.

"My father has for years been troubled with diarrhoea, and tried every means possible to effect a cure, without avail," writes John H. Zerk of Phillips, W. Va. "He saw Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy advertised in the Philadelphia Republican and decided to try it. The result is one bottle cured him and he has not suffered with the disease for sixteen months. Before taking this remedy he was a constant sufferer. He is now strong and well, and although sixty years old, can get on as much work as a young man." Sold by W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, W. VA. WADE AND PEAR RIVER DRUG STORE, PEAR RIVER.

Prospects for a Good Show

Speaking with a reporter, Mr. M. McP. Hall, Manager of the Provincial Exhibition, said that the prospects for a good show and a large attendance at the big Fair are excellent.

The exhibits will be first class. The Races are bound to be interesting, the Grand Stand Show and fireworks will be well worth seeing. What remains is for the people to make up their minds to be present. The Fisheries Exhibit, the Building devoted to that great industry is in the hands of the Fisheries Committee of the Halifax Board of Trade. They carry out of the proposal to include in this exhibit many strange fishes brought up by the steam trawlers now on the Coast, will add greatly to the interest of the Fisheries Building.

Entries in Ladies' Work, Fine Art and Agriculture close on August 24th, and in Live Stock, Poultry and Dairy Products on August 24th. "Will the Race Meeting be up to the usual mark?" Manager Hall was asked. "Yes," he replied, "I am satisfied that the race will be highly interesting, with competition keen enough to make close and exciting races. The people want races, not processions, and we will give them races."

The Grand Stand performance will consist of six great acts, in which A. L. Schreyer is a leader in a most sensational act. Schreyer begins a thrilling ride and dive at the height of 100 feet at the top of a chute, peeling the distance at lightning speed, making a flying high dive over his wheel at the lower end of the chute, which is 35 feet high, clearing a distance through space of from 50 to 75 feet before landing in a tank of water.

"There will be as a conclusion to the night's performance a splendid performance of fireworks, including about fifty pieces, the grand climax coming with the spectacular 'De-struction of St. Pierre.'"
FRESH AIR.
(Dr. J. H. Clarke, in London Chronicle.)
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Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Supplying Coal for the Dominion Buildings," will be received at this office until 4.30 p. m. on Monday, August 24, 1908, for the supply of Coal for the Public Buildings throughout the Dominion.

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Lawrencetown.
 Mrs. H. H. Whitman spent last week in Berwick.
 Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Bishop visited their friends in Berwick last week.
 Miss Barrett, of Truro, is the guest of Miss Lizzie Morgan.
 Mr. and Mrs. Hasard are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitman.
 Miss Burdige, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. Albert FitzRandolph.
 Miss Beatrice Young, of Bridgetown, is the guest of Miss Clara Bishop.
 Miss Olive Palfrey spent Sunday in town, at the home of Mrs. W. E. Palfrey.
 Miss Bertha Hall has returned home after spending several weeks in Wolfville.
 Mrs. Blair and son, of Massachusetts, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Finmore.
 Church services for Sunday—Baptist, 11 a. m.; Episcopal, 3 p. m.; Methodist, 7.30 p. m.
 Mrs. Mrs. and Miss Parker, of Kentville, were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Whitman.
 Miss Blanche L. M. Charlton, of Rosedale, Mass., is a guest at the home of Mr. Phineas Charlton.
 Miss Ethel Purdy, who has been the guest of Mrs. R. J. Schaeffer, returned to her home in Bear River.
 Miss Horner, of New York, and Miss Marshall, of Bridgewater, have been the guests of Miss Edna Marshall.
 Mr. S. A. Marshall and Miss Margaret Vance, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hall, returned to their homes in Halifax yesterday.

Rictar West
 Mrs. Almon Parker, of Belleisle, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Chipman.
 The Misses Emma and Margaret Shaw of Wolfville, spent last week with their cousins, Mrs. Percy Nelly.
 Mrs. Asa Morse, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Renford Elliot, has returned to her home in Lawrencetown.
 Mrs. Lenfest Ruggles, of Bear River, and Miss Letta Brown, of New York, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Whit Ruggles last week.
 Among those who attended Camp-meeting were Mr. F. M. Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Elliott, and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morse and Clyde.
 Mrs. Wallace Covert, junior, and baby, of Karadale, and Fred C. Parker, of Belleisle, spent last Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Fred Chipman.

Hampden.
 The packet, Mayflower, was in port on Friday.
 The steamer Ruby L. made her usual call on Monday.
 Our school opened on Monday under the care of Miss Troop, Granville.
 Mrs. Muriel Condon, of Digby, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. Titus and Mrs. Henry Chase, of Digby.
 Mr. Joseph Snow, of Cliftondale, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Snow.
 Mrs. Herbert Reynolds, of Lynn, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster, and other friends.
 Mr. Isa Brown and family, of Malden, are visiting Mr. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isiah Brown.
 Mrs. Phineas Phinney, of Granville was visiting her sisters, Mrs. Henry Chase and Mrs. J. Titus, quite recently.
 Our Sunday School held its annual picnic on the grounds of Mr. Chase. Quite a party from the Valley were holding a picnic at the same time and the two parties mingled quite freely. The young folk enjoyed themselves with races, games, etc. Several races were quite amusing. The juveniles were fed at five o'clock, then the seniors, and others occupied the table till all were satisfied. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

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Annapolis.
 Miss M. Halliburton is visiting on the Gasper in the Annapolis.
 Miss Lulu Bishop spent the weekend in St. John.
 Miss Mabel Poole, of Windsor, is visiting the Misses How.
 Mr. J. J. Ritchie, of Halifax, went through to Milford on Saturday.
 The new schooner, C. D. Pickett, is finishing loading at the Acadia pier.
 Miss Gertrude King, of Boston, is spending her vacation with her relatives.
 Mr. John How, of Halifax, is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. How.
 Mr. and Mrs. Alice and family are spending the week at "Rest Cottage," Lake La Rose.
 Miss Berli Fenwick, who was a guest at the rectory, left for Wolfville on Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Handfield Whitman and family, of Halifax, spent Sunday with Mrs. I. S. Whitman.
 Mrs. Beucher, of Dalhousie, and the Misses Harris, of Boston, are visiting in town.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. Andrews, of Halifax, returned home on Saturday.
 Miss C. Hardwick, accompanied by her niece and nephew, Miss Fitch and Master Harold Clark, are on a visit to Boston.
 Professor J. B. Barnaby of Springfield, Mass., who was at one time organist of St. Luke's church here, is visiting in town.
 Messrs. F. Whitman, E. Brock, and S. Riordan, the delegates from the Halifax to attend the meetings of the Maritime Board of Trade.
 Rev. Prof. Caruthers has been prevailed upon to give a course of readings in the Academy of Music August 21st and 22nd. The manager, who has his last series of lectures were received assures him of a full house.

Port Lorne
 Sunday School, 2 p. m.; Mission Band, 3 p. m.
 Mrs. Lois Allen, of Farmington, is visiting relatives here.
 Johnson Bardsley, of Bridgetown, spent Sunday at home.
 Mrs. Thomas Sabean is visiting relatives in Bridgetown.
 Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bardsley are spending a few days in St. John.
 Captain Joseph Anderson is spending a few weeks with relatives in Dalhousie.
 Mrs. Lewis Sabean visited her mother, James Snow, at Hampden, last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelly, of Brooklyn, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Banks.
 Mr. William Sproule, of Clarence, has been spending the past week at the home of Mrs. Phineas Banks.

Torbok
 The school-house at Meadowvale is being repaired.
 Rev. C. H. Haverstock and family have returned from their vacation at Margaretville.
 F. S. Nowlan, B. A., of Havelock, Digby Co., is the guest of his friend, W. B. Foster, B. A.
 J. R. Newhook left on Wednesday for New Brunswick, in the interests of the Annapolis Iron Co., Limited.
 The organ belonging to the Torboko Division, Sons of Temperance, which disappeared some time ago, is reported to have been discovered at Bloomington.

Greywood.
 Some talk of a shingle mill in Greywood.
 J. Gordon Stallings is visiting relatives here.
 Mr. Charles Harsh is running his lumber mill.
 Mr. William Sabean is visiting at Bear River.
 Mr. John Charlton spent Sunday at Lake La Rose.
 Mr. Eustace Orde spent Sunday with his wife and family.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunn have removed to their new house.
 Mr. Joseph Orde, of Lake La Rose is assisting John Charlton's house.
 Mrs. Edward Silver spent a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Eustace Orde.
 Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stallings and son, Lewis, spent Sunday with Mrs. Edward Orde. The talk is that Oliver Stallings is about to build a new house.

Scar River.
 Miss Ella Rice left for Boston on Thursday.
 Mr. Eli Smith left for Mrs. Eli N. Ho, on Tuesday last.
 Miss Laura Donohue returned to Boston on Wednesday last.
 Captain Emmanou went to his home at Lunenburg on Saturday.
 Mr. Joseph A. Parry has had a roof put on his blacksmith shop.
 Miss S. M. Hennehan goes to Lunenburg tomorrow on a two weeks visit.
 Miss Stella Rice went to St. John via S. S. Bear River on Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Turner and child are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Crosscup.
 Mr. W. I. Walsh was a guest of Rev. I. and Mrs. Phalen for a few days.
 Mr. and Mrs. B. Morehouse and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fleet have returned home.
 Miss Fannie Crouse and Miss Beatrice Harris have gone to Weymouth on a visit.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell, of Milton are guests at the Methodist parsonage for a few days.
 Miss Helen Rogerson, of St. John arrived Saturday and is a student at the Bear River Hotel.

Centreclea.
 (Aug. 12th.)
 Mr. Lloyd Caldwell is visiting friends in Berwick.
 Mr. Havelock Lantz left on Monday for the great west.
 The remains of Mr. S. S. Dwyer, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Burns, Bridgetown, on Sunday last.
 Mr. Caleb MacQuarrie, of Bridgetown is spending a few days with Spruce in this place.
 Mrs. Charles Walker, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. C. Brooks, returned to her home on Monday last.
 We are glad to state that Mr. Harry Brooks, who has been sick for the last few weeks with typhoid fever is recovering from the illness.
 A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Miss Grace Brooks on Friday last, where she entertained a large number of her young friends.
 Mr. Reginald Brooks and family, of Penikese, Mass., who have been visiting his mother, Mrs. R. C. Brooks, for a few weeks, returned home on Monday.
 We are glad to state that Miss L. Caldwell has secured the Primary department of the Carleton's Corner school. We wish her success in this most important work.
 Mr. Louis Brooks, one of Centreclea's most intelligent young men is to be married on Wednesday to Miss Alice Gillis, of Dalhousie. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Brooks a happy wedded life.

Albany Crose.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saunders, of Nictaux South, recently visited friends at the hotel, of Kentville, is visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connell.
 Mr. John A. Lyons and Mr. Timothy Sullivan, of Boston, have been guests at the hotel the past two weeks.
 Mrs. Stanley Moore and two little children, of West Paradise, accompanied by Mrs. John Darsie, spent a few days of last week visiting friends at the hotel.
 Recent guests at the hotel have been—R. R. Rite, David Dukeshire, Bear River; J. M. Kentzill and wife, Maplewood; J. Pink, Yarmouth; J. J. Whitman, Toronto; T. Hines, E. W. Borden, Sackville; N. B. J. B. Hall, Wolfville, and Elias Whitman, Lawrencetown.

Paradise
 Miss Laura Phinney, of the Leonar Morse Hospital, is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Phinney.
 Miss Leota Balcom, of the United States, is visiting at the home of Mr. L. B. Balfour.
 Mr. T. A. Elliott is spending a few days in Paradise.
 Mrs. Fackard, Mrs. Alden and Miss Hopes, of Brockton, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bishop.
 Miss Myrtle Starratt, of Boston, is spending her vacation at her old home.
 Mrs. Alvin Starratt entertained a large number of young friends very pleasantly, in honor of her daughter, Myrtle, last Tuesday evening.
 The annual picnic was held at Port Lorne on Wednesday, quite a number took advantage of a few days' outing.
 The pulpit was occupied on Sunday morning by Rev. Mr. Schurman, of Middleton, who preached a very inspiring sermon. Miss Jones, of Campbell, Mass., also rendered a solo in a very pleasing manner.
 Mr. Wilbur Banks, formerly of Weymouth, has been engaged as principal of our school for the coming year, with Miss Chesley, of Brooklyn, as assistant.
 A business meeting of the church was held on Monday morning, which was unanimously resolved to elect a new parsonage in the near future.
 Mrs. Cole, of North Brookfield, Mrs. J. C. Newey, and Mrs. A. F. Whaley, of New York, were guests of Mrs. J. H. Balcom last week.
 Mrs. Charles Hines, of Lynn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Covert.
 Mrs. Watson Rumsey, of Boston and Miss Beattie Balcom, of Dalhousie, visited Mrs. E. L. Balcom recently.
 Among those who left for the west on Tuesday were Messrs. J. C. Morse and T. D. Ruggles.
 Rev. J. H. Balcom is expected to occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday evening next. Mrs. Fackard is expected to sing.

Clemensport.
 Mr. E. Ramsdell and family, from Maine, are the guests of Mr. George B. Jones.
 Miss Beulah Benson, of Bear River, is the guest of Mrs. John Love for a few days.
 Judge Owen, of Annapolis Royal, was in the village on Saturday last, partly on business.
 Revs. C. Crowell and Pagan, of Halifax, with their families, are taking an outing here.
 Mr. Otto Ray, son of Colonel Ray, from Sydney, C. B., spent a few days with his father last week.
 Dr. Young, of Lawrencetown, was in the village on Saturday last, in connection with his profession.
 Mr. William Ritchie and family, of Marblehead, Mass., are stopping at the Sunny Side Hotel here for a time.
 Mr. Percy Rawling, son of Capt. Joseph Rawling, from Boston, is spending a few weeks at his old home.
 Three daughters of Captain John N. Berry, from the domain of Uncle Sam, are spending a few weeks at their home here.
 We are very glad indeed to be able to state that Colonel Ray, who has been confined to his bed for some time, is now much better, and has been able to go out several times.
 Schooner B. B. Hardwick, Captain Berry, arrived from Boston on Friday of last week. Captain Berry reports some heavy weather, having lost one of his sails and another being torn quite badly.
 Albany will hold its Sunday School picnic at Frost Lake on Saturday the 22nd. A good time is expected.
 Mr. Murray Morrison, of Springfield, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Palm on Sunday last.
 Mrs. Milberry, of Massachusetts, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Whitman, of Niataux Falls, is now the guest of Mrs. Charles Whiteman.
 Miss Edith Wilson, of Massachusetts, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Whitman, of Niataux Falls, is now the guest of Mrs. Charles Whiteman.
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West Paradise.
 Mrs. J. D. Dargie visited friends at Albany Cross recently.
 Mrs. F. J. Poole has returned from a visit to Melville Square.
 Miss Pearl Whitman arrived home from Clementsport last week.
 Mrs. Hines, of Lynn, was a recent guest of her brother, Mr. Battelle Saunders.
 Mrs. Patterson, of Aylesford, is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Morse.
 Mrs. Harris, of Ganning, spent the week end the guest of Mrs. B. Starratt, "The Croft."
 Miss Florrie Brant, who has been visiting Mrs. Alonzo Daniels, returned to her home in Halifax.
 Our Sabbath School intends holding their picnic on Saturday afternoon, at Spurr's Pine Woods.
 Miss Jessie B. Balcom, of Halifax, is the guest of her cousin, Miss H. A. Atkins, "Evergreen Cottage."
 Mr. Howard Marshall, of Roxbury, Mass., Mrs. Violet, of Framingham, Mass., arrived on Monday, and are guests at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. Frank Bauckman.

Round Hill
 Mr. Elias Tupper is on a business trip to Sydney.
 Mr. C. H. Sargent and son are camping at Hampton.
 Mrs. L. G. Hervey is spending a few weeks at Parker's Cove.
 Mrs. Boliver and son, of Digby, are the guests of her daughter, Mrs. Eliza Tupper.
 A shooting match took place on Sunday last between the Granville Ferry rifle team and the Round Hill team. The Granville Ferry boys were defeated 107 points.
 The remains of Mr. James Devoute Spurr will be laid to rest in the Round Hill cemetery today. (Tuesday) The service will be held at St. Paul's Church, Mr. Spurr will be remembered by some of the older people in this vicinity, he being once a Bridgetown boy. He was eighty-eight years of age, and is survived by his third wife.

Lower Granville
 Mrs. J. K. Winchester came from Lowell on Tuesday.
 Fred Bogart, wife and child, of Philadelphia, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Libbie Bogart.
 James Casey, an aged resident of Victoria Beach, is very low, and his death expected shortly.
 Miss Alice Woodworth, of Bear River, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. Foster and Mrs. McElhinney.
 Ernest I. Shaffer, after making his father, B. W. Shaffer, Esq., a lengthy visit, returned to Cleveland, Ohio, on Saturday.
 Stephen W. Winchester, of Liverpool, England, is visiting friends and relatives here. Mr. Winchester was born here in 1835 and left the place about fifty years ago and located in Liverpool, where he has had a large measure of success in his business.

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Albany.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Oakes, of Halifax, welcomed a son, on August 9th.
 Miss Beacie Palm has obtained the teacher's certificate for which she applied.
 Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Oakes, of Kingston, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Oakes on Sunday last.
 Albany will hold its Sunday School picnic at Frost Lake on Saturday the 22nd. A good time is expected.
 Mr. Murray Morrison, of Springfield, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Palm on Sunday last.
 Mrs. Milberry, of Massachusetts, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Whitman, of Niataux Falls, is now the guest of Mrs. Charles Whiteman.
 Miss Edith Wilson, of Massachusetts, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Whitman, of Niataux Falls, is now the guest of Mrs. Charles Whiteman.

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