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—Rev. W. C. RIDEOUT, one of our aged and highly respected ministers, who for many years had labored in the gospel in different parts of the Maritime Provinces, passed away from earth at his home, Wilnot, N. S., on the 8th inst. An obituary sketch of the deceased will be presented in a subsequent issue.

—The Chapel Car has become quite a recognized institution in connection with evangelistic work in the West. The car which the American Missionary Baptist Society has had in use the past year has been so successful that another has been provided by the society for work on the Pacific coast. A New York gentleman has offered to provide a third car on condition that a fourth shall be furnished by other individuals, or by the denomination. During the anniversary at Denver, the society went in a body to the Union Station to dedicate the new car. It was named "Emmanuel."

—In view of the fact that the question of a separate Convention for New Brunswick has already been very fully discussed in this journal, and in view of the action taken at the Brussels street meeting of May 31, the Executive of the Board of Directors have advised that, pending the action of the Associations and the Convention in the matter, the columns of the MESSENGER and VISITOR be not re-opened to a discussion of the subject. In this the editor fully concurs. Any brethren who have recently sent us articles on the subject may therefore take it for granted that the decision not to publish them is based on this general reason.

—The notice respecting the meeting of the N. B. Southern Association, published in this issue, was sent in for publication last week. Afterwards, Mr. Malder's note was received intimating that it was the duty of Mr. Wiggins, as assistant clerk, to notify the churches of the meeting. Mr. Ingram was then out of town, and being unable to confer with him before going to press, we judged it best to withhold the notice. Mr. Ingram subsequently informed us that he was appointed clerk of the association at its first quarterly meeting, and had been acting in that capacity through the year, but said he would write to Mr. Wiggins in reference to the matter that he might send the notice if he judged best. As no other notice has been received and no further word in reference to the matter, we publish to-day the notice previously sent.

—The American Humane Education Society offered three prizes of \$200 each for the most interesting and useful stories on "The kind and cruel treatment of domestic animals and birds." One of these prizes was for the Southern States; one for the Western States and territories, and one for the Northern States. Miss Saunders, of Halifax, daughter of Dr. Saunders, was a competitor for the prize offered to the Northern States. The examiners and judges were Rev. Philip Moxom, D. D., Rev. Edw. E. Hale, D. D., and Heskiah Butterworth, Esq., editor of the Youth's Companion. No prize was awarded to the competitors from the Western States, as no story from that section of the country came up to the required standard in literary merit. Miss Saunders took the Northern States prize. The readers of the MESSENGER and VISITOR—to whom Miss Saunders' ability as a writer are not unknown—will unite with us in congratulating her upon this triumph of Canadian talent.

—It is not surprising if a subject of the Russian Tsar finds something to astonish him in democratic America. Prof. Dimcha, who is head of the University of St. Petersburg, has paid a visit to Chicago and the World's Fair, and has seen some things to cause him to marvel. The women of America have particularly excited his wonder. "They are very strange," says the professor; "I do not understand them. They are not like our women at all. They are as great as the men. I come to Chicago. I look around me. I see a great building. I am told it is the Women's Temple. I am surprised. Such a thing would be impossible among the Russian women. I go to the great exposition. There are many large buildings. There is one as great as any there. I ask what it is. They tell me it is the women's building. I am astonished. The women are everywhere. They do as much as the men. They have held a wonderful congress. I have been much interested in their addresses. They are very daring. They talk of social emancipation. They project in so many ways. I cannot understand it," he said. "It must be that it is dug to your mixed schools, where girls and boys all sit and study together."

PASSING EVENTS.

THE news from Europe in respect to cholera is on the whole of a reassuring character, and the prospect seems to be good, that America will not this year be seriously threatened with a visitation of the dreaded disease. Some cases of cholera were reported to have appeared in Hamburg a few weeks ago, but if this report was correct, the cases would appear to have been isolated ones. In some parts of France, too, the disease appeared in a somewhat alarming form, but the attempt to stamp it out has to a great extent succeeded, and now only a few isolated cases are reported to exist in France. There is now but little cholera in Western Europe according to reports. Cholera exists in Turkey according to despatches, and probably in some extent in Russia and Hungary. The western European cities are no doubt in better sanitary condition this year, and otherwise better prepared to cope with the disease. The more strict examination of emigrant ships at Hamburg renders it less likely that the germs of the disease will cross the Atlantic, and improved sanitary and quarantine conditions on the American seaboard make the appearance of the enemy on this side of the Atlantic somewhat less to be dreaded. The opinions of eminent authorities on the subject are said to be of an encouraging character. It is to be expected that cholera will appear during the summer in various parts of Europe, and it is not unlikely that in some places it will become epidemic; it may not unlikely cross the Atlantic again as it did last year, but those whose opinion in the matter is worth regarding appear to think that, with proper sanitary conditions and reasonable vigilance, American cities are not likely to suffer much from cholera during the present year.

A FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY, if well supported and well managed, is unquestionably an institution of great value to any town, and worthy of the patronage and support of all public-spirited citizens. The St. John library, which was first opened to the public on the 18th of May, 1883, and has accordingly been in existence for a decade of years, has, through its commissioners, just presented its annual report; and it is gratifying to learn that the institution is in a fairly prosperous condition. The library had a modest beginning, "but," says the report, "owing to its inherent utility and to the zeal of its numerous friends, its growth has been steady, until to-day it is one of the most flourishing and beneficent institutions in the city." The means of intellectual culture are being placed within the reach of many to whom it would not otherwise be available, and if the use made of the library is not in the wisest possible, there can be no doubt that the opportunities which it presents are a real boon to many, and its influence for good, it may be hoped, will increase with the passing years. The report informs us that the commissioners have given great care to the reference department of the library, and they are glad to be able to report that it is fairly well supplied with works of great value to students and others. It is worthy of especial note that these costly works—almost without exception—have been freely given by generous friends of the library. The number of books added to the library during the past year was 565, making the total number now on their shelves 8,891. There were also 163 books purchased to replace others which were no longer fit, from ill-usage, to be released. The number of new cards of admission to the privileges of the library issued during the year was 248, the total number now being 3,612. The number of books issued was 21,890. The running expenses for the year have been a little over \$1,200, and some \$1,400 have been expended in books, magazines, reviews, binding and a new catalogue. The account shows a balance due treasurer of \$822, but it is hoped to square the account by the sale of 700 catalogues now on hand. The property of the library is set down at \$17,000, of which \$12,000 is in books, bound and unbound, \$1,000 in furniture, etc., and \$4,000 in debentures. The fact that not a single volume has been lost during the year is greatly to the credit of Miss Martin, the librarian. A rule requiring a deposit of \$5 from casual readers is reported to have worked admirably. The library will be closed during July, but the reading room will be kept open during the year. For valuable publications donated to the library during the year the commissioners present their thanks to the following named gentlemen: Dr. F. E. Barker, Joseph Allison, J. R. Ruel, Dr.

W. W. White, Simson Jones, Hon. Jas. I. Fellows, S. D. Scott, Royal Society of Canada, G. Ernest Fairweather, Rev. Canon Brigstocke, F. P. Starr, State Librarian of Michigan, Secretary of United States Navy, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Naval Observatory, Washington, Geo. F. Matthew; J. D. Short, Railway Department, Ottawa; R. O'Brien. Several donations have been received from anonymous sources.

Halifax Correspondence.

The churches of the Central Association meet with the First church at Halifax, on the 24th inst. The year's work will be reviewed. Forecasts will be made for the year to come. The churches of Halifax will report a prosperous year. Since the Rev. D. G. McDonald took charge of the North church in the early autumn, about sixty have been added by baptism and ten by letter. The Sunday-school numbers about two hundred and seventy-five scholars. The church has engaged a lady missionary, who visits the families connected with the mission station in the North End, under the control of the North church. This lady has visited 175 families. Seven young ladies, at the request of the pastor, have been engaged in mission work at the North End, in the congregation and in destitute families outside the congregation. This is proving very profitable both to the laborers and those whose welfare the laborers seek to promote. They distribute tracts and keep up reports to the pastor. The visit of the Rev. J. W. Manning and Mrs. Manning has greatly refreshed the spirits of all their friends in Halifax. Mr. Manning preached on Sunday in the absence of Mr. McDonald, and administered the Lord's Supper. Two of the veterans in the church have passed away to their eternal rest—John F. Crowe and Mrs. Philip, mother of the Rev. R. R. Philip. The church is in a harmonious and prosperous state.

At the West End church the state of things is encouraging. Rev. Mr. March is in the affections of the little flock. The services are well attended. Two have been received by letter. The Sunday-school has 94 names on its roll. The average attendance is 62. The growth of this church will be necessarily slow, but it is an important point to hold.

Rev. A. C. Chute has baptised twelve in the First church. Eighteen have been received by letter. Last year it was estimated that twenty-five per cent. of the resident members attended prayer meetings. This year it is estimated that thirty-five per cent. attend. Two candidates are now asking for baptism. One is from the Blind School. Dartmouth has had a successful year. Ten have been baptised and five received by letter. The Sunday-school numbers 115 scholars. Two of the useful and highly esteemed members of the church have passed away—Mrs. Charles Weeks and Mr. Ebenezer Inzer. The prayer meetings are well sustained and are filled with spiritual fervor. Rev. W. M. Smallman has resigned his charge of the church. It will take effect about the middle of August. He will go to Newton to take further study in theology. The best of harmony has existed between pastor and people. On Wednesday evening, after prayer meeting, the church presented their pastor with a purse of \$52 and a certificate of membership in the Annuity Fund. Dartmouth church is noted for its liberal giving and activity in Christian work.

The Tabernacle has come into fair weather at last. A serious trouble has been in the church since the vacancy in the pastorate, which was filled by the Rev. W. E. Hall—the man for the place. The new building, so long holding back, surrendered when Mr. Hall came on the ground. It knew there was nothing else to do but go up, and up it went. The spiritual structure, too, has been growing. Thirty-four have been baptised and eighteen have come in by letter. The cloud, so long over the church, has gone, and the bright sun now shines. Peace and harmony prevail. The Sabbath-school, numbering about 200, never before in organic connection with the church, has of late come into this normal relation, and the outlook is most refreshing. Last Sunday evening Chas. S. Margeson was ordained deacon by the pastor, assisted by the Rev. M. E. Fletcher, missionary-elect for Bermuda. He goes out under the American Board.

Rev. H. H. Johnson is still working hard in the Cornwalls street church. Six have been received by baptism and two by letter. There are now four candidates for baptism. A most worthy member, Charles A. Cooper, has lately died, after a long illness. The church

is moving to repair their place of worship. The cost will be about \$1,000. An appeal will be made to the citizens of Halifax to help this church. The Rev. George Carvery (colored), of Preston, has lately passed away. He was advanced in life and will be greatly missed.

All the churches in the city are glad that Rev. M. W. Brown has taken charge of the St. Margaret's Bay district. Mr. and Mrs. Brown like the field and the field likes them. Fifteen have been baptised at the head of the Bay. The prospects at the other stations are good, especially at Dover. Deacon Fader, at the head of the Bay, has, in his advanced years, renewed his youth. The people are about to build suitable stables in connection with the parsonage at French Village.

Mr. L. Slauenwhite, student of Acadia College, has Hammond's Plains, Lucas Settlement and Sackville. The outlook on this field is good. Mr. H. Y. Corey has Fall River and Bedford. Mr. Bishop is at Jeddore. I have no late intelligence from that field. The Ministerial Conference and the Halifax District Committee held their meetings on Monday morning at the Book Rooms. Beside the Halifax ministers, Mr. H. Y. Corey and Rev. M. E. Fletcher were present. Mr. Corey has just entered upon his work. Among other things, the district committee recommended to the association that the Home Missionary Board should cooperate with the district committees, appoint missionaries in the several districts on their recommendation, and put the missionaries under the supervision of the district committees. This committee has done good work in the past year. Work has been done for the colored churches at Africville, Beach Hill and Hammond's Plains. One thousand dollars was the amount this committee recommended as the sum to be collected for the missionary Centennial Fund by the churches in Halifax county. Efforts have been made to raise this amount. The ladies have been busy in their successful work during the year.

Careful arrangements are made for the association. REFLECTOR.

Associations.

There is a matter I want to say a few words about in our paper, before the associations. It will do no harm if it does no good, and who knoweth? A reform is needed, and "small beginnings," etc., you know. We all know that there is often a difficulty in finding at the association that delegate who is entrusted by his church with a cordial invitation to the association to "meet at our house next June for a week, and bring all the children." Sometimes it has taken nearly a year to find him, and when found he was not eager to extend an invitation. The question used to be asked, "Why is it thus? But the reason of so much timidity on the part of said delegate, or rather the church that didn't send him, is so well understood at the present time that no questions are asked. Now I know where several such delegates are hiding, and a few hints may be helpful in finding them.

At the present time there are many that look upon the association as a great yearly picnic, to which whoever wants to may go at cheap rates and be entertained free and have what they call a good time generally. This is carried to such an extent that four or five hundred people gather at some of the associations, largely composed of those who take no part and very little interest in the business of the association.

Now there are very few of our churches outside of the towns that can accommodate so large a company, and invitations are not sent. How would a new order of things like this work? Let each church hold some meetings at home and see what questions they want to ask for themselves, and then those questions of importance likely to come before the association, such as separate Convention, etc., and settle on a verdict. Then secure the man in the church best calculated to debate those questions, and give him his orders and send him with the pastor to the association. Perhaps the man best calculated to represent the church cannot afford to go. Then let the church bear his expenses. He is the messenger; why not pay him? Then there would be a council of picked men from all the churches ready for business, and that number would be most welcome at almost any church. Try it and I will guarantee there will be plenty of invitations.

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For our Associational gatherings, that the presence and power of the Holy Spirit may be felt in a marked degree, so that liberal things may be devoted for the extension of the Saviour's kingdom.

Provincial Notes from New Brunswick.

In appealing for renewed effort all along the lines, we must call again on our county secretaries. Ascertain, if possible, the standing of each society, either by letter or, what is better, by personal visitation. If the county secretary will then confer with the corresponding secretary, the work may result in mutual benefit.

It was with much regret the resignation of Miss Hoben was accepted. We must ask the sisters of the Fredericton Aid to look after the interests in York county until another county secretary is procured. There are weak societies requiring personal visitations, and there are places where Aids or Buds ought to be organized. Will our stronger societies take this suggestion and work upon it? Sisters, this activity will impart life and health to us, such as we never before have experienced.

We hope Mrs. Estabrooks, assisted by Miss L. A. King, of Port Elgin, will be able to carry on the work our dear Sister Lavers reluctantly gives up in Westmorland Co. The Sackville society has recently lost two of their best workers—Mrs. Josiah Tingley and Mrs. I. C. Harper—both life members. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." Of these sisters it can be said, "Their works do follow them." On Sunday evening, May 20, a missionary meeting was held in the Bethel section. The programme consisted of readings, recitations and music from the young people, and addresses from Pastor Warren and Prof. Dalpe and his wife, who were former teachers at Grand Ligne, but are now teaching at Mount Allison University. The collection taken at this meeting was in the interest of home missions. We hope to hear of similar meetings in other places. Miss Fillmore, owing to the claims of other duties, has just sent her resignation. We hardly know how to release this sister. Missions lie so near her heart, the work is a part of her every-day life, and she has proved a successful worker. We pray the way may be opened for her to continue in the service.

Mrs. G. A. Cowan, of Harvey, writes cheering words concerning the interest in Harvey. Where the zeal is alive and there are earnest desires for growth, the cause is encouraging. Sister Pearce, of Queens Co., is kept busy all the time. The women's meetings held during the ministerial conference at Lower Cambridge and Chipman during the winter, were seasons of refreshing. This work is showing its effect upon all the societies around, and a rich harvest may be expected.

From the Woodstock Mission Band we have the following:
The Mission Band in connection with the Albert street Baptist church, Woodstock, held its annual meeting Feb. 13th. The treasurer reported that \$22.08 was received; the amount paid out \$17.08. The secretary reported fourteen meetings during the year—average attendance, 21; enrollment, 50. Held one concert and took the exercises in the Sabbath-school twice on missionary Sunday. The officers for the ensuing year are: President, Miss Gilmore; Vice-president, Mrs. Archibald; treasurer, Fannie Fickles; secretary, Kate Saunders; organist, Carrie Scribner. This year to pay towards Mr. Morse's salary.

The work in the St. John and Fairville societies is hopeful. The interest of the union monthly meetings has been well sustained. The last one was held at the Tabernacle church, presided over by Mrs. Manning. Enthusiastic addresses were given by Revs. J. J. Baker and J. W. Manning. The Corresponding Secretary made a brief appeal to the Tabernacle sisters and the young people for their co-operation in mission work. We are gratified to hear that our President has, since then, been invited to meet with this church to aid Pastor Ingram in organizing a Mission Band. May this prove to be a mutual blessing—in helping others we are always strengthening ourselves. At the last meeting of Executive, it was decided to discontinue the union missionary meetings until September, owing to the fact that so many of the sisters are out of town during these months.

A union Mission Band entertainment was held on the 27th of April in the Leinster St. church, St. John. The attendance was good and the bands well represented. Mrs. J. W. Manning presided. Mrs. York read the Scriptures and Rev. J. J. Baker offered prayer.

The chairman then spoke of the purposes for which the meeting was held; that the bands might see each other and become acquainted; that they might compare methods of work and learn one from the other; that they might stimulate and encourage each other in their great mission work. Reports were read from Carleton, Germain St., Leinster St., Brussels St. and Portland. These reports were very encouraging, and told of good and successful work being done in each band. The entertainment consisted of recitations and dialogues, interspersed with music, also a very interesting letter from Mrs. Archibald to the Germain St. Mission Band. The pieces were well rendered and reflected great credit on those who took part. A silver collection was taken; words of encouragement spoken concerning future work, and the meeting closed with prayer by Rev. J. W. Manning. The representation from the Fairville Mission Band was unavoidably detained, so their work was not reported. This band was organized last October, and has temperance incorporated with it. All the members are asked to sign the pledge: "I, _____, hereby solemnly promise, God helping me, that I will neither make, buy, sell, nor use as a common drink, any intoxicating liquors (including wine, beer and cider). Also to abstain from reading bad books, using profane language, and the use of tobacco in any form." One cent per week is expected from each member. The meetings have been regularly held semi-monthly. The pastor's wife is superintendent; but the meetings are presided over by the president—one of the boys of the band. The programme consists of recitations, a short exercise in the rudiments of vocal music, a brief temperance and a mission lesson. The exercises have proved most interesting; inasmuch as the boys found it an attractive place. We are now preparing for a concert to be held some time in June, after which the regular meetings will be closed for a few weeks. A. C. M.

W. B. M. U. RECEIPTS.

Monies received from May 31 to June 13: Westport, F. M., \$10; Caledonia, F. M., \$4; Windsor, to constitute Mrs. Rachel Nalder a life member, F. M., \$25; Aryle Head, F. M., \$10; Digby, F. M., \$4; Canard, F. M., \$5; H. M., \$5; Point de Bute, F. M., \$18; Milton (mite box), for Jesus' sake, F. M., \$1.29; Riverside, F. M., \$5.50; New Albany, F. M., \$7; Mrs. E. R. Black, Amherst, for Edmonton, \$1; West Onslow, F. M., \$12.40; H. M., \$2.70; Port Greville, G. L. M., \$3.45; N. W. M., \$8.45; Jeddore East, F. M., \$6; 1st Salisbury, F. M., \$7.25; Tusket, F. M., \$5; H. M., \$5.

I regret a mistake which appears in last year's "Reports." Money credited to St. Rond, P. E. I. (new society), should have been credited to St. Peter's Road. This mistake was caused by the remitter not writing the name of place properly. Please be careful and always give name of place in full.

As we are drawing near the close of another year, it is wise not to allow the end to come and then bemoan our condition; but let our women understand now just where we stand financially, while there is time to act and refill our treasury. Our appropriations for this year are \$9,000; sum total of monies received up to date amount to \$4,045.82. We require in order to meet our liabilities \$4,954.68. You will notice not one-half has yet been paid in. I have been unable to send third quarter's instalments to any of our Home Mission Boards. Now, sisters, let us look at, pray and work over this matter fairly and honestly. It is not too much for us to do; but the question is—is the cause of Christ dear enough to our hearts to make us give of our abundance, or sacrifice if needs be for it? I urge upon every member of our W. M. A. Societies to read this statement over carefully, and then prayerfully decide what her fair share of this amount is, and give it "heartily as unto the Lord," in order that out of every nation and kindred and people Christ may gather in His own. MARY SMITH, Treas.

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St. Martins Anniversary. The first part of last week was occupied by the closing exercises of the seminary. These exercises have been of a character to do credit to those who participated in them as well as to the institution, and although the financial situation is still an embarrassing one, a general feeling of gratification and hopefulness seems to prevail.

When the apostle said, "Owe no man anything," he did not add, "except the publisher of your religious newspaper." Possibly this is to be accounted for by the fact that in those days there were no religious newspapers.

We have said that the first days of the week were occupied with the closing exercises, but the exercises may be said to have begun with a literary entertainment on the previous Saturday evening.

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Ladies and gentlemen—taking advantage of the special travelling arrangements—set out from St. John by the morning train for St. Martins. Some were dubious as to the weather, but as the morning advanced all doubts on that score were dissipated.

Dr. deBolis addressed a few earnest and wise words to the graduating class. The point at which they had now arrived, he said, was not to be regarded as a goal but rather as a starting point.

Principal deBolis then addressed the audience, giving some account of the work of the school during the year. When many of the friends whom he addressed were present there a year ago, he felt that the school had their best wishes.

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DENOMINATIONAL NEWS.

[All money (except legacies) contributed for denominational work, i. e., Home Missions, Foreign Missions, Acadia Seminary, Ministerial Education, etc.]

Lame Horses.



FELLOWS' LEEMING'S ESSENCE CURES Spavins, Ringbones, Curbs, Splints, Sprains, Swellings, Bruises, Slips and Stiff Joints on Horses.

Receipts for Denominational Work. From May 1 to June 1: Omitted to acknowledge for April—3rd Hillsboro...

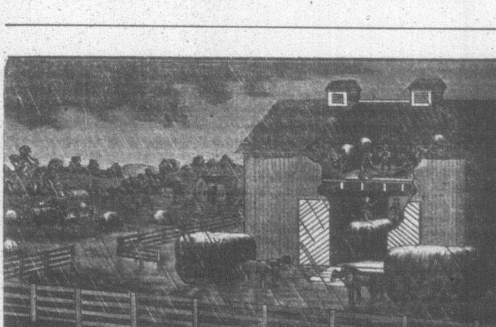
Business will be before the association.

The following is a list of committees: Association sermon, Rev. W. H. Warren; alternate, Rev. S. H. Corwall...

Receipts for Acadia Seminary. INTEREST ACCOUNT. Rev. E. N. Archibald, Wolfville, \$5; Saml. Freeman, Amherst, \$10...

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We want to sell you one. We have got just what you want. A first-class Suit, made from the best imported goods, at \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00.



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NOTICES.

The next session of the Albert county quarterly meeting will be held with the Baptist church at Alma, the second Tuesday in July, at 2 p. m., and societies and Sunday-schools are expected to be represented.

The New Brunswick Western Baptist Association will meet (D. V.) with the Jacksonville Baptist church at Jacksonville, Ontario Co., on Friday, June 28, at 2 p. m.

Delegates coming to the Jacksonville Association will observe the following: Those coming by the Gibson Branch of the C. P. R. will leave the cars at Upper Woodstock...

Delegates to the Western Association of New Brunswick, to be held at Jacksonville, June 28th, travelling by the Canada Eastern Railway or steamer to Fredericton...

The Nova Scotia Central Baptist Association will (D. V.) meet with the 1st Baptist church, Halifax, on Friday, June 28th, at 2 p. m. The churches are delegates attending the Nova Scotia Central Baptist Association may obtain reduced rates on the following lines...

The N. B. Southern Baptist Association will convene (D. V.) with the 1st St. George Baptist church on Saturday, July 30, at 10 a. m. Will the clerks of the churches kindly forward the letters to me at St. George as soon after the 1st of July as possible...

Delegates attending the N. B. Southern Association, and having paid one full first-class fare will be returned free over the I. C. R. and Shore Line on condition that they obtain a certificate from the ticket agent when they purchase their tickets...

The Eastern N. B. Baptist Association meet with the Valley Baptist church in Hillsboro, Albert Co., on the third Saturday in July at 2 o'clock, p. m. All the churches in the association are earnestly requested to send their reports to the clerk of the association at least two weeks before the meeting...

Rev. E. E. Gates, H. C., who has just completed his middle year at Rochester, is supplying the Lockeport church for the summer.

Rev. D. H. MacQuarrie has resigned the charge of the Brookfield-Caledonia field to take effect the last of June, and has accepted a unanimous call to the pastorate of the Calvary Baptist church, North Sydney.

Rev. B. N. Nobles finds himself very pleasantly situated at Bear River, N. S. On the occasion of his leaving Gibson, a resolution was unanimously adopted by the church, making reference to the prosperity, financial and spiritual, which the church had enjoyed under Mr. Nobles' pastorate and to the kindly rela-

SHILOH'S CURE. TAKE THE BEST. COUGH CURE. SHILOH'S CURE. Cures Consumption, Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat. Sold by all Druggists on a Guarantee.

Fountain Syringes. Prices in last issue were reduced prices. We are headquarters for Fountain Syringes of warranted make.

LITTLE HOMER'S SLATE.

After days old grandma died,
Branched through an oak tree
In the night, we slept
What repaid our child's quest,
'Was a homely little slate,
Seemingly of ancient date.

THE HELPING HAND.

"How do you do, Mr. Grandis?"
"I'm sorry to say that I don't do very
well this morning; I'm just on the verge
of despair."

see that you get acquainted. The
people wouldn't alight any man whom I
introduced as my friend."
" Well, sir, I'll - I'll go."

"I am very glad to meet you, Mr.
Grandis," said the woman, kindly but
not effusively. "I hope you will have a
very pleasant day."

Dolly's Jumbles.
Dolly was fond of jumbles; and next
to eating them was the pleasure of seeing
Sarah make them.

"Sarah's making jumbles, I do believe.
She never puts in sugar enough, and I
am just going to," she said, climbing into
a chair and tugging at the cover of a
small wooden box.

An Evening "Set Apart."

Margaret Miller's home was one of
great beauty, as was Elizabeth Stone's.
The comforts and luxuries of life had
come about equally to both of them.

"Come over this evening," a friend
would say on prayer meeting evening;
"we're going to make candy and have a
jolly time."

General Sherman and the Lost Boy.

Last summer, when the G. A. R. had
their great reunion in Boston, a Con-
necticut boy of 12 years of age,
Excursion trains were run from all
points, furnishing transportation at
greatly reduced rates; so our boy deter-
mined to go and "see these things."

"You cannot find any one now, once
lost in Boston. You had better stay
with us, and we will take care of you."

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Make New, Rich Blood!

These pills were a wonderful discovery. No other
like them in the world. Will purify your blood
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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, 17th October, 1893,
the trains of this Railway will run Daily
(Gondays excepted) as follows:

AT THE GATES.

O Thou, the Dispenser of Life and Health
Who hast waited that throughout Thy
creation the spirit breatheth
To unto the gates of birth,
I am ready. The curse and the chains
Hold Thou to my lips the ray
Before they may leave life's radiant way
Thou must drink pain's bitterest brew
Yet for love of these little lives so frail,
Each lough with a part of mine,
For the sake of these baby souls that have
Their being from breath of Thine,
As the body, the spirit breatheth
In assigned of fear I see,
Though my feet go down to the gates of
Graham Thou that pass not through,
Yet, O my Father, help me to pray,
" If it be possible,"
" Thy will be done," as well
Forgive the frailty that questioneth
Thy power to protect Thine own.
From the gates of birth to the gates of
Death Thou let them never close.

THE HOME.

Wives often regret that their
do not talk to them. This is
place to discuss the shortcomings
man, but sometimes when
listened to the fault-finders, it
low repetitions, frivolous and
childish exactions of sympathy
attention with which some won-
their husbands when they care
dened and anxious with care a
we have not wondered that so
grow taciturn in their homes,
a great loss if a man is silent as
wife and children. The hus-
wife live so much of the time in
ent world that a free intercourse
a great help and pleasure to
them. You will not be likely
a man talk by telling him that
to talk, or scolding him because
not to do so. Make it a pleasure
to talk with you. Exercise good
good temper and tact in draw-
out on topics of interest to the
patient under his moods of
deserving the companionship
reasonable man. Avoid talking
or insignificant details concern-
self or your work. Have some
interesting or valuable subject
of your child's prattle may be
interest. The number of pieces
made, or the rooms you have
not be worth repeating. Cult
graces of character, special in-
and you may be likely
who was glad to escape from the
whose long stay in the law of kin-
Christian at Work.

Yarmouth and Annapolis Railway.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
ON and after Thursday, 1st June, 1893,
trains will run daily (Gondays excepted) as follows:

WANTED!

Nova Scotia Stamps
for which I will pay the following prices:
One penny..... \$1.50 2 cents..... \$0.06
Three..... 40 5 cents..... .08
Sixpence..... 1.50 8 cents..... .75
One shilling..... 15.00 10 cents..... .15
2 cents..... 60 12 cents..... .10

Just Like Her Mother.

"Yonder comes Hilda Hall. I can
tell her just as far as I can see, and I
can see pretty well for an old man,
too."

Bring the thrilling news

Home to my beloved son, the
"Father, if it be possible,
Take them away. Yes, not only will, but
"Sleeping beauty who could not watch one hour."



Mrs. H. D. West of Cornwallis, Nova Scotia.

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Of Other Medicines Failed
But a Bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla
Cured.
" It is with pleasure that I tell of the great
benefit I derived from Hood's Sarsaparilla.
For 9 years I have been badly afflicted with
Erysipelas
breaking out with running sores during hot
summer months. I have sometimes not been
able to use my limbs for two months at a time.
Being induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, I got
out a bottle, and, commencing to use it, felt
much better; so, continuing to use it, I got
much better during the summer, was able to do my
housework, and was cured."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

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worth of other medicine. I think it the best
blood purifier known. Mrs. H. D. WEST,
Church street, Cornwallis, N. S.

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AT THE GATES.

O Thou, the Dispenser of life and breath,
Who hast wilted that throughout Thy earth
The mother most challenge the gates of death
To undo the gates, and the children be mine.
I am ready. The curse and the crime be mine.
Hold Thou to my lips the rose;
Before they may taste life's rarest wine
They must drink pain's bitterest brew.
Yet for love of these little lives so frail,
Each bought with a part of mine,
For the sake of these baby-sons that halt—
Their being from breath of Thine,
O body, the spirit's faithful
In anguish of fear I see,
Though my feet go down to the gates of death,
Grant Thou that they pass not through.
Yet, O my Father, help me to pray,
"If it be possible."
O Thou of celestial, help me say,
"It will be done," as well.
Forgive the frailty that questioneth
Thy power to protect Thine own.
From the gates of death's gates of death
Thou hast left them never alone.

THE HOME.

Silent Husbands.

Wives often regret that their husbands do not talk to them. This is not the place to discuss the shortcomings of a man, but sometimes when we have listened to an interesting, gossamer, childish exactions of sympathy and attention with which some women bore their husbands when they are over-burdened and anxious with care and work, we have not wondered that some men grow taciturn in their homes. But it is a great loss if a man is silent among his wife and children. The husband and wife live so much of the time in a different world that a free intercourse can be a great help and pleasure to each of them. You will not be likely to make a man talk by telling him that he ought to talk, or scolding him because he does not do so. Make it a pleasure for him to talk with you. Exercise good sense, good temper, and tact in drawing him out on topics of interest to himself. Be patient under his moods of silence. He deserves the companionship of a sensible man. Avoid talking of persons or insignificant details concerning yourself or your work. Have something interesting or valuable to say. The story of your child's prattle may be full of interest. The number of pies you have made, or the rooms you have swept, may not be worth repeating. Cultivate the graces of character, speech and tones of voice, and you may find that the man who was glad to escape from the loquacious, complaining, exacting woman, goes reluctantly from her who knows when to talk and when to be silent, who opens her mouth with wisdom, and in whose tongue is the law of kindness.—*Christian at Work.*

Stains and Spots.

The careful housekeeper looks over her laundry for stains of coffee, tea, milk, and oil, which are so frequently found and so often "set" by being soaked in cold water before they are seen. The stains of coffee are the most objectionable, but they can be easily and successfully treated if taken in time, but if neglected leave a permanent defacing mark. The treatment of these stains should always be kept in mind, as they are diametrically opposite to each other. For coffee stains, soak the spots in clear, cold water for at least twelve hours, adding a little borax to soften the water, and the subsequent washing will generally remove the stain. A tea stain, on the contrary, should be taken up when it is fresh with boiling water poured through the fabric. Fruit stains, so common in the summer time, may be removed by pouring hot water over them, when they gradually disappear. Where they have been "washed into" the goods, they may be removed if the fabric is pure white by soaking them in sour milk for several days and then rubbing them with the hardest soap. If the fabric is colored, especially if it is blue, the greatest care should be taken in using the sour milk, or the color will certainly be removed as well as the stain. As this is due to the acid in the milk, it may sometimes be remedied by an application of weak ammonia. Alkali stains caused by lime or soda may often be removed or the color restored by an application of vinegar or lemon juice. A grass stain is one of the most difficult to get out of all the spots that bother the patience of the laundress. A correspondent recommends for this purpose a solution of chloride of tin used warm and immediately washed out with clear cold water. This is a powerful remedy and should be purchased from a druggist, who will be able to furnish the solution in proper strength. Machine oil is very difficult to remove if it is not treated before it is set. Each spot of oil should be well soaked and then washed out in clear cold water. Ink is one of the most troublesome of stains if it is left to dry in the fabric. If it is washed out in clear cold water or in milk while it is fresh, it may often be entirely removed. Sympathetic or strained ink, which possesses no heavy particles to hang in the fabric of the cloth, may always be taken out in this way. Where ink has become dried in the cloth, it may be removed by soaking in the sweet milk until the milk becomes sour, and then leaving it in the sour milk for two or three days. A treatment of sour milk will generally remove milder stains, but if they are obstinate, a tablespoonful of oxalic acid and a tablespoonful of lemon juice dissolved in half a pint of rain water will usually remove them, if the spots are thoroughly rubbed in this solution and then rinsed in clear cold water. Iron rust stains may be easily removed from white goods, even if they are of long standing. They should be spread across a board or plate, wet with a thick paste made of salt and lemon juice, and exposed to the strong summer's sun, which will draw out the spot in a wonderfully short time. Tar spots must first be rubbed with lard or some other grease, and then washed out with soap and water, or treated with benzine. Plain stains are always removed with turpentine.

Heart Trouble.

HEART TROUBLE.—A lady afflicted with heart trouble keeps a simple apparatus by her bedside for quick cupping. A tumbler, a piece of paper and a match have been, she says, more than once the simple means of saving her life. She drops the paper in the glass, and lights it, placing the mouth of the glass directly over the heart. As the paper burns the air within the glass is exhausted, the flash rises nearly an inch into the glass, the congestion over the heart is relieved, and it assumes its regular and comfortable beating.—*Christian at Work.*

Bathing.

BATHING.—Weak constitutions that cannot stand a great amount of vigorous bathing will find an excellent use for the flesh brush in taking what might be called a dry bath. There are seasons when, from having a cold or some other ailment, one becomes particularly sensitive, and at such times a brisk brushing with a good flesh brush will do much towards keeping the skin clean and smooth and the flesh firm, and may with advantage take the place, say every other morning, of the regular daily bath. But the dry bath is only for unusual occasions the proper use of the flesh brush being as an adjunct to the bath, not as a substitute for it. The most effective bathing, from a sanitary point of view, for the average person in ordinary health, is every morning a rather cold, quickly taken bath (the water being about the temperature of the surrounding atmosphere), followed by a brisk and vigorous rubbing with fish brush or bath towels, and once a week, or perhaps twice in winter, a bath in tepid water, for the purpose of keeping the skin soft. This, of course, may be varied to suit each constitution or the same constitution in different states of health.—*Demorest's Magazine.*

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Summer Bedding.
Very few housekeepers now make any change in their winter and summer bedding. The hair mattress is generally conceded to be the most wholesome for winter as well as summer use. Many people also prefer a hair bolster, especially in summer time, to the old-time feather bolster, which is condemned by the best authorities as heating to the head. Within the last decade various fragrant pillows have been introduced. Some nervous sleepers find that pillows of the balsam fir will induce a restful sleep. The fragrance of the balsam tends to soothe the nerves in the same way that the fragrance of lavender does, and it was probably due to some such idea as this that the herb lavender was always carefully dried by the old-time housekeeper to strew among the sheets and pillow-cases. According to some hygienic authorities the natural wool of the camel, which grows under the hair about the neck and forelegs, makes an especially soft, cool and wholesome pillow. Although it has a slight natural odor, it is not at all disagreeable on that account.

For summer bedcovering, a light blanket of pure wool is certainly the first choice, where the cost is not a matter of moment. Next in choice to this is a light comfortable made of wool or patent cotton, which is simply a good quality of cotton held together by stitches, so that it may be easily unrolled in sheets of even thickness to make comfortable. The best covering for these comfortables is a silk lining, or fine, firm cheesecloth, which is tied down with bright colored worsteds. The old-fashioned comfortable, tied down with heavy cotton twill, is completely a thing of the past. The edge of the comfortable is generally turned in, run up and button-hole stitched with worsted to match the tufting. A linen pillow-case and bolster-case is a summer luxury, but most persons prefer a fine cotton sheet to one of linen on the ground that it is more wholesome.

It is a mistake for housekeepers not to provide sufficient bedding in the summer. At the seaside and the mountains chilly nights most often succeed the most sultry days, and there should always be a light blanket ready to meet such an emergency. The summer bedding, however light it may be, should be thoroughly aired, and where it is possible, laid in the sun occasionally.

Fruit Pancakes.
The fruit pancake is a dish almost unknown in this country. Yet it is a delicious dessert in familiar use among the Germans, and one very easily made. The European pancake, however, which is baked in a sheet-iron frying-pan, does not compare with our American griddle-cake. The griddle is a distinctly American institution. The batter used for the European pancake is quite similar in consistency to our American griddle-cake batter, possibly a little thinner.

Make a plain batter of half a pound of wheat flour, add three eggs, yolks and whites, and a tablespoonful of powdered sugar. Stir the mixture well with a wooden spoon. Then add slowly a cup of cold milk. Beat the batter thoroughly until it is perfectly smooth and light. For an apple fruit pancake pour enough of the batter into a thin frying-pan to cover the bottom, and spread a layer of sliced apples over it. Let it cook for about three minutes on top of the stove, and then set the frying-pan in a hot oven to bake for about five minutes. For an orange pancake prepare the batter in the same way. Cut the oranges in thin, round slices, crosswise, remove the seeds, cover the bottom of the frying-pan in the same way, and spread a layer of oranges over it, mashing each slice with a little of the uncooked batter. Finish it in the oven in the same way as the apple.

A mixture in equal parts of oranges and bananas, sliced and treated in this way, makes a nice pancake. Peaches make a delicious pancake. Strawberry pancakes are best prepared in the following manner: Bake the batter as before, but without adding the fruit. When it is baked, spread it with fresh strawberries, slightly crushed, and sprinkle them lightly with powdered sugar. All fruit pancakes should be eaten with powdered sugar, and the Germans and French often add slices of lemon, the juice of which they squeeze over the pancake. It is not desirable to serve these pancakes in rolls like a French pancake, but spread out flat as they are baked.

Water for Horses.
One of the greatest difficulties we have to contend with is when horses are on a journey and have to be put into strange stables. Your average hostler will never water a horse, and consequently the animal gets cold first, and water afterward. This is a very likely way to cause indigestion and colic. The best way to meet this difficulty is to water before getting in, and while the horse has still a mile or two to go. When on a long journey horses ought to be allowed to drink as much as they care to take every eight or ten miles, and there is no better place for them to take it than from the watering-pipe; such water is soft and warm, and horses invariably prefer it to hard, cold spring water. Watering after a feed is a common fault in the management of horses in other than public stables. Its first effect is to largely disturb the stomach. When the stomach is partially empty water does not long remain there, but passes rapidly into the large intestines, but when the organ is full of corn it remains longer, dilutes the manure already in the system, and distends the sudden and excessive influx of water is also likely to wash much of the contents of the stomach into the intestines before the nitrogenous elements have been separated from the rest of the fermentation, extrication of gases, distends it, flatulent colic, inflammation and death. Copious draughts of ice cold water are hurtful alike to man and beast, but even a quantity of water of a moderate temperature just after a full meal of grain is full of peril to the coliced. After a feed of hay there is, however, comparatively little danger, because from the excessive salivary addition to hay and the comparatively small amount of albuminoids, these are readily dissolved out and digested, and the further addition of water is often rather favorable than otherwise in hastening its progress into the bowels, where the digestion of its starch, sugar, fat and other respiratory elements may be completed. Thirst should always be allayed before corn is given, and if any water is given after, it should be merely a mouthful, unless the lapse of two hours has been the interval since the last feed. But will not the horse that has water before them outrage these laws? I have never found them to do so, for the horse does not become so thirsty as to take any large quantity of water at once while he is in a stable, and when he has been out he invariably takes a drink immediately on his return, and satisfies his requirements and allays his thirst before his corn is thrown into the manger. I have, however, often seen horses sip water while eating hay. Veterinary surgeons are almost all in favor of an unrestricted supply of water, and in their writings, lectures on the management of horses, before farmers' clubs and similar bodies, where they are in charge of large stables and in giving private advice to clients, we find them,

THE FARM.
Mud Shoes for Horses.
We doubt if very many persons ever saw mud shoes for horses. They are used on horses in ploughing the low and wet lands of the valley north of Sumner, nearly every spring. The mud shoes consist of a heavy board about eight inches wide and from eight to ten inches long, rounding in front. On this board, a red-hot shoe of the size worn on the horse's foot for which it is intended, is placed until it burns into it to a depth almost sufficient to bury itself. It is necessary that the shoe have a long toe and long corks. A piece of circular hand iron to fit over the top part of the hoof is then attached to the board and over the hoof to hold the mud shoe solidly to the foot. One end of the band is fastened to the board with a screw, which, when tightened, holds the board as squarely to the bottom of the hoof as if it had grown there. The horses become accustomed to wearing them, and after a day or two experience no difficulty in working in them. By this means farmers are enabled to plough land in the spring where, without the use of the mud shoes, horses would mire down. Summer blacksmiths have had considerable experience this spring in thus equipping teams for ploughing the low lands.—*Sumner (Wash.) Herald.*

Timothy Hay.
After twenty-five years of experience and careful observation I have arrived at what I deem the best all-around time for cutting the timothy crop. Of the several different products of the farm, none is of more importance than the timothy hay crop. No better hay for horses is grown, with the notable exception of prairie hay; therefore, it is of importance that it be properly harvested, inasmuch as upon this the quality depends largely. The proper time to cut timothy is when the nutritive qualities are at their maximum. Now, as a matter of fact, this all-important period is reached about six to ten days after the bloom has passed. Hay cut at this period will prove entirely satisfactory to the owner. Yet a rather free use of common sense is absolutely necessary as to the length of time that should elapse after the bloom has fallen. Of course, the weather must be taken into account. Some farmers, well informed in other matters pertaining to farm work, persistently argue that the best hay is produced by cutting when the seed is ripe, and that no other time does this matter so nearly as much substance. As well argue that a stalk of corn contains as much substance after the ear has become ripe. Timothy cut at this time will make a griddle-cake. The griddle is a distinctly American institution. The batter used for the European pancake is quite similar in consistency to our American griddle-cake batter, possibly a little thinner.

Make a plain batter of half a pound of wheat flour, add three eggs, yolks and whites, and a tablespoonful of powdered sugar. Stir the mixture well with a wooden spoon. Then add slowly a cup of cold milk. Beat the batter thoroughly until it is perfectly smooth and light. For an apple fruit pancake pour enough of the batter into a thin frying-pan to cover the bottom, and spread a layer of sliced apples over it. Let it cook for about three minutes on top of the stove, and then set the frying-pan in a hot oven to bake for about five minutes. For an orange pancake prepare the batter in the same way. Cut the oranges in thin, round slices, crosswise, remove the seeds, cover the bottom of the frying-pan in the same way, and spread a layer of oranges over it, mashing each slice with a little of the uncooked batter. Finish it in the oven in the same way as the apple.

Water for Horses.
One of the greatest difficulties we have to contend with is when horses are on a journey and have to be put into strange stables. Your average hostler will never water a horse, and consequently the animal gets cold first, and water afterward. This is a very likely way to cause indigestion and colic. The best way to meet this difficulty is to water before getting in, and while the horse has still a mile or two to go. When on a long journey horses ought to be allowed to drink as much as they care to take every eight or ten miles, and there is no better place for them to take it than from the watering-pipe; such water is soft and warm, and horses invariably prefer it to hard, cold spring water. Watering after a feed is a common fault in the management of horses in other than public stables. Its first effect is to largely disturb the stomach. When the stomach is partially empty water does not long remain there, but passes rapidly into the large intestines, but when the organ is full of corn it remains longer, dilutes the manure already in the system, and distends the sudden and excessive influx of water is also likely to wash much of the contents of the stomach into the intestines before the nitrogenous elements have been separated from the rest of the fermentation, extrication of gases, distends it, flatulent colic, inflammation and death. Copious draughts of ice cold water are hurtful alike to man and beast, but even a quantity of water of a moderate temperature just after a full meal of grain is full of peril to the coliced. After a feed of hay there is, however, comparatively little danger, because from the excessive salivary addition to hay and the comparatively small amount of albuminoids, these are readily dissolved out and digested, and the further addition of water is often rather favorable than otherwise in hastening its progress into the bowels, where the digestion of its starch, sugar, fat and other respiratory elements may be completed. Thirst should always be allayed before corn is given, and if any water is given after, it should be merely a mouthful, unless the lapse of two hours has been the interval since the last feed. But will not the horse that has water before them outrage these laws? I have never found them to do so, for the horse does not become so thirsty as to take any large quantity of water at once while he is in a stable, and when he has been out he invariably takes a drink immediately on his return, and satisfies his requirements and allays his thirst before his corn is thrown into the manger. I have, however, often seen horses sip water while eating hay. Veterinary surgeons are almost all in favor of an unrestricted supply of water, and in their writings, lectures on the management of horses, before farmers' clubs and similar bodies, where they are in charge of large stables and in giving private advice to clients, we find them,

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both by example and precept, preaching the gospel of pure water and plenty of it—for equines. Only the carter and the groom remain dry of it, both for themselves and their charges. My advice to owners is, always keep water by your horses when in the stable, so that it is clean and renewed daily, and always water frequently when at work or on a journey. If you cannot get your heart high enough for this, always see that the horses are furnished with as much as they care to drink before each meal, and never water immediately after corn feeding.—*Pateley Bridge, in Farm and Home.*

Outdoor Sitting-Room.
It is surprising how much difference it makes in the use of a lawn, yard or garden whether there are seats of some sort stationary there. If you are working in your garden and a friend calls, do you do? Go to the house, of course, if there are no seats convenient. If there are seats at hand they sit and chat of all the interesting and beautiful things around, while you go on with your work, or rest by turns while visiting with them. We do not make half the sitting-room use of our yards that we might in town or country. Put seats and a table under a shady tree, and very soon you find family, friends and neighbors taking possession on hot afternoons, occupying the quarters prepared as naturally as birds occupy their nests in the trees. One pleasant afternoon in April I received as many as eight calls in my garden retreat and in garden costume, too in hand. Having seats handy, it was a very simple matter to say, "Please be seated, and see my garden gulf." The more rustic such seats are the better, so that they are comfortable, but they do not make anything, but old chairs painted red add something in appearance. When all are seated in the garden, with sewing or books, how easy to bring out a simple supper, or a cup of tea, at any time. The universal hammock demonstrates all attempts at garden sitting-rooms at present; the yard or garden is only a place to "laze" in.

The Farmer's Gold Mine.
Agriculturists acknowledge the importance of a correct understanding of the nature and properties of manures, and that the art of preparing them in the cheapest and best manner in adequate quantities is still unknown. Chemical science and art are enabled to point out some of the methods within our reach by ascertaining the composition of the substances and by showing how they may be converted into the most efficacious manures, while at the same time a knowledge of the soil will demonstrate the nature and amount of matter that are required for rendering it fertile. Sometimes correctives and amendments are required for the removal of deleterious properties, or for the improvement of the texture of the soil. Generally it is easy to effect both purposes by means of a properly prepared compost.

By a knowledge of agricultural chemistry the farmer may take advantage of the natural resources of his farm so as to enrich the soil at a comparatively small expense, and while he draws from it his valuable crops, if he is skillful he may still render the soil more fertile every year. A liberal supply of manure, with attention to a proper rotation of crops, will supersede the necessity of leaving the land fallow for years, as was formerly practiced.

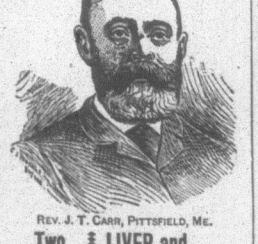
Although organic matters in a decomposed state form the basis of all enriching manures, they are often misapplied and extravagantly wasted, owing to a want of chemical knowledge. A scientific agriculturist should always be careful and not lose the valuable substances that may separate from manure in a gaseous or liquid form. During fermentation various gaseous matters escape that ought to be absorbed by a covering of peat, swamp muck, suds or loam. Liquid manures are too generally allowed to run to waste, while they could easily be retained and rendered valuable by absorption with dry peat or any other absorbent vegetable matters. Manures are too generally exposed to the action of air, which breaks their most soluble salts, washing them away in the earth. By due attention to these things the farmer may make a vast saving of valuable materials that will serve to enrich his land.—*Andrew H. Ward, in N. Y. Tribune.*

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NEWS SUMMARY.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Manitoba opened its annual convention last Wednesday at Winnipeg.

Two more Canadians who went to Buffalo to work, under contract it is said, have been forced to return to the Dominion by United States authorities.

The contract for the construction of the breakwater as a protection to the railway wharf at Point du Chene has been awarded to Messrs. Henry & Smith, of Ottawa.

The competition for the banner presented by the Duke of Connaught for the best drilled core in Montreal, resulted in the banner being awarded to the St. Mary's College (Jesuit) cadets.

Archbishop Tache issued Thursday a ten column plea in favor of separate schools, and declares that the present schools of Manitoba are nothing more or less than Protestant institutions of learning.

The rumor is revived in Ottawa that Lieut.-Col. Tyrwhitt, M. P. for South Simcoe, will, at the close of the present Parliament, succeed Prof. Saunders as director of the government's experimental farms.

Carter and Connolly, the two prisoners who escaped from Donchester penitentiary, were captured on Wednesday at Meadow Brook, nearly twenty miles away. They had travelled mostly through woods and had a rough time of it.

The Countess of Derby, finding that Canadian ladies do not agree as to the form of present to be given to Princess May, has written to the Duke of York asking what would afford him and the princess the greatest pleasure to receive.

Dr. Thomas D. Walker and A. E. MacIntyre, F. C. S., have been appointed members of the faculty of law of Kings University. Dr. Walker will lecture on medical jurisprudence, and Mr. MacIntyre on poisons and their detection.

Dr. William Dawson, who has been principal of McGill University, Montreal, since 1886, has been elected to the position of trustee to the governors of the institution. His failing health has compelled him to retire. He is in his 73rd year.

Clara Good, an old maid of sixty years, was taken to the penitentiary on Wednesday, having been sentenced to ten years at Fredericton a few days ago for arson. He was smoking a cigar but while on his way to prison, and appeared to view his future with great unconcern.

At Grand Chemale arm of the Ottawa river, twelve miles from Pembroke Monday, while out boating with Miss Dunlop and Miss Church, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Whitmore were drowned by the upsetting of the boat. The ladies mentioned were rescued. The dead bodies have not been found.

A special cable despatch to the Toronto Mail from Vienna states that the newspapers of that city announce that the Czar has determined not only to abolish deportation to Siberia, but to extend to that region the judicial procedure obtaining in Russia proper with the exception of trial by jury.

A Winnipeg despatch of Wednesday last says: The North-west is experiencing terrible heat this week—probably the hottest June weather in years. With previous periods of moderate the warm days are rushing the growth, and the crop reports still continue of the brightest character.

Dr. Edward Playter, of Ottawa, returns to his attack on Greece late quarantine station. In reply to Minister Agnew's statement, he says that the disinfecting apparatus was the best, but it is the management of which he complains. He asks the government to appoint a commission of enquiry.

At the request of the S. P. C. A. agent, the deer which was captured by George Clark, of Carleton, was liberated yesterday. The request was made on account of the provisions of the game law and not because of any ill-treatment, as the animal was well looked after while in confinement.—Thursday's Star, June 20.

Mrs. Robt. Fowler, of Smithtown, Hampton district, N. B., who was shot on Saturday by Michael Gallagher, is recovering rapidly. The bullet has not been removed, but the wound is healing. The prisoner was arraigned before Magistrate Monday and remanded until Monday next. The court will likely be held at the residence of Mrs. Fowler to get her evidence.

A man named Gould employed in Handolph's Baker's mill, St. John, was caught by a set screw on a rapidly revolving shaft connected with the saw-dust chain on Thursday. He was hurled round and round several times and every stitch of clothes torn from his body, his shoes only remaining when he was extricated. His left arm was broken, his body badly bruised, and it is feared he sustained severe internal injury.

An Ottawa despatch says: The local committee expect between one thousand and twelve hundred Liberals to the convention opening here on Tuesday. Mr. Laurier will reach here on Monday and enter into consultation with party leaders, who will also be on hand. There is ample accommodation for all delegates here and everything points to a very successful gathering. The decorations in the rink where the delegates will meet will be on a grand scale. Each province will be divided off in sections by banners.

The A. Christie Wood Working Co., St. John, N. B., whose advertisement appears in another column, claim to have the largest sash and door factory in the Maritime Provinces. Their factory (formerly Fairbanks & Haves') is situated on the City Road, Clyde and Forest Sts., and has entrances on each street. A railway siding to the factory makes connection with all the principal railways. Being so favorably situated for shipping goods, having the latest machinery, and employing skilled mechanics, places them in a position to sell cheaply. Persons who are wanting anything in the wood-working line should give the A. Christie Wood Working Co. a call, as their reputation for doing good work is well known.

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The stone-cutters employed on the Canadian canal at Sault Ste. Marie have struck for an increase of wages.

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Many prominent Maritime Liberals have been moving toward Ottawa during the past few days to attend the great convention of the party, which is being held in that city this week.

A young man named Ephraim Hebert had his leg crushed by a wheel of a locomotive engine passing over it on Saturday morning, near Shediac. Hebert was lying in a drunken sleep, it would appear, with his leg across the rail.

Mrs. Henry Fuller, who lived near Wolfville, was burned to death in her yard when her dress caught fire. She ran toward her neighbors and was met by some of them, who did their best to save her, but in spite of their efforts and of medical assistance, she died after some hours of great agony.

The embarkation of Russian emigrants from Hamburg for the United States has been forbidden.

No improvement is reported in the condition of President Carnot, who is under medical treatment at Paris for liver complaint.

The House of Commons has passed the third clause of section one of the Irish Home Rule Bill. The debate on this clause closed on May 30.

Columbia has decided to enter a formal protest to Holland against the continued traffic in Indian children by the Dutch traders on the Gooijstra coast.

Duke Maximilian Emanuel, brother of Empress Elizabeth of Austria, while returning to Munich on June 12 from a ride, ruptured a cardiac artery and died immediately.

The church of the Chudoy, a monastery, within the walls of the Kremlin, St. Petersburg, was recently robbed of a vast amount of plate, money and gems, valued at between \$500,000 and \$600,000. Thursday all monks belonging to the monastery were arrested. A search of the cells occupied by the monks revealed that they perpetrated the robbery.

The salary list of World's Fair employees for May reached eight million eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

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Prof. S. Reed Brown, for several years principal of the High school at St. Johnsville, N. Y., was waylaid by four of his former pupils on Thursday night and terribly beaten.

A six-story building in New York, filled with "sweater shops," caught fire Monday morning, and in the panic that ensued two men and one woman were killed, and half a dozen persons seriously injured.

A few nights ago a number of white women, living in Piquette county, S. C., disguised themselves as whitecaps and gave two white men, who had been in the habit of visiting colored women, a terrible flogging.

At the inquest yesterday on the Westmoreland a well-dressed man shook his fist in the face of Col. Ainsworth, and shouted: "You murdered my brother and you shall not sit there intimidating witnesses." This led to a scene of great violence, and frequent cries of "hang him" were heard. The police with great difficulty got Col. Ainsworth out of the room, and the inquest was adjourned.

A remarkable character of Bernardston, Mass., is Arnold Scott, a blind letter carrier, 67 years old, whose eyesight was lost 46 years ago. He has a long route, which he traverses twice a day, and rarely makes a mistake in the delivery of letters. He walks confidently in the summer, but the snow troubles him somewhat in winter. Mr. Scott's knowledge of the neighborhood is said to be perfect, and he has never been known to get lost.

Mr. John D. Rockefeller is to visit Chicago next month to inspect the Chicago University, which he founded and so liberally endowed. It was hoped that Mr. Rockefeller would make his visit while the university was still in session, but he will be too late, as the close of the term is on June 26. Mr. Rockefeller will be accompanied by his family, and will occupy for about a month the house of President Harper, who will be absent at Chautauqua.

Dr. C. G. Magnibar, a distinguished native physician of Calcutta, India, has been in this country attending the World's Medical Congress in Chicago, where he read a paper on the practice of medicine among the ancient Hindoos. He will pay what some would consider a heavy price for his visit to America, as he will henceforth be debarred from social life among members of his own caste. This will in no wise interfere with the practice of his profession, but he may not break bread or sleep in the same house with any of his former associates, and any one who receives him socially will suffer the same penalty.

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The Chautauqua Assembly has issued a bulletin for ministers calling attention to various courses to be given at Chautauqua, and which will possess especial interest to the ministerial profession. The exercises will include lectures on philosophy, ethics, biblical study, homiletics, sociology, church work, missions and many other subjects. Among the lecturers and preachers may be mentioned Prof. Henry Drummond, of Glasgow; Prof. George H. Palmer, of Harvard; Pres. J. W. Bashford, of Ohio Wesleyan; Prof. Herriek Johnson, of Chicago; Prof. J. S. Riggs, of Auburn Theological Seminary; Dr. W. H. Boole, of New York; Bishop Alphaeus Wilson, of Baltimore; Rev. A. J. Palmer, of New York; Rev. Russell H. Conwell, of Philadelphia; Prof. A. J. Herbertson, of Edinburgh, Scotland; Rev. Philip S. Moxom, of Boston, and many others. A ministerial club will be organized at Chautauqua early in July, and will hold daily sessions during the season. The general schedule of lectures, concerts and entertainments is unusually attractive and quite in accord with the very great material changes and improvements which have been made at Chautauqua since last season.

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MURDOX.—At New Brunswick, May 25th, Alexander Murdoch, in his 78th year. GILROY.—At Athol, Cumberland Co., June 5, Dorcas Gilroy, aged 73 years. Baptized by Rev. John Francis, and united with the Amherst church, of which she continued a member till her death.

MULLIN.—At Northfield, Sunbury Co., after a brief illness, May 30, Sarah, wife of Jonah Mullin, aged 47 years. The deceased leaves a husband, three sons and five daughters. She was an esteemed member of Salmon Creek church.

FRIDLER.—At New Cornwall, N. S., May 18, Mrs. Solomon Spidle, aged 61 years. She had long been an earnest Christian and a worthy member of the little church at New Cornwall. She died in the triumphs of the gospel of Christ, glimpses of glory-land making her closing hours radiant and happy. The large circle of mourning gave a row not as those who have no hope, for wife, mother and friend has entered into rest.

BRUNDAGE.—The church at Tidnish, Cumberland Co., has again sustained a severe loss in the removal of Bro. Charles Brundage, who died April 5, 1888, leaving a widow and two young children to mourn the loss of the kindest of husbands and fathers. Since the organization of the Tidnish church, Bro. Brundage has been one of its most faithful members, ready to help forward every good work. Our loss is his infinite and eternal gain, for he "died in the Lord."

ROCKWELL.—At Amherst Shore, Cumberland Co., N. S., June 3, Mattie, beloved wife of Mr. Warren Rockwell, in the 25th year of her age. Sister Rockwell was one of the most useful and energetic members of the Amherst Shore church; always in her place at the different services and willing to give a helping hand. The husband and many friends who are mourning over the severe and sudden loss they have sustained, are yet comforted in the assurance that our departed sister has gone home to dwell with Christ forever.

HOBBS.—At Argyle, Head June 4, Benjamin Hobbs, aged 88 years. Brother Hobbs was the last in a family of nine, all of whom lived to a good old age. They were all members of the Baptist church. One member of this family, the late Rev. Wm. Hobbs, organized the First Baptist church at Los Angeles, Cal. Bro. Hobbs was baptized into the Argyle Baptist church by Rev. Warren Parker, some 25 or 30 years ago. Since then he has been a life of consistent faithfulness. He was the oldest member of our church. A sheaf of ripe wheat has been gathered into the garner of the Lord.

MCULLY.—Mr. Robert H. McCully, of Debert River, fell asleep in Jesus April 15, aged 64. Bro. McCully's last sickness was very brief—not quite one hour. Although so suddenly called, we trust the messenger found him ready to go. About two-score years ago he was converted to God and baptized by the late Rev. Samuel Thompson and united with the Baptist church with which he walked till death. He leaves a widow, six sons and three daughters, who deeply mourn his absence. Their loss is his eternal gain. May God lead all the family to trust in the Lord Jesus, in whom the father trusted.

HAMMOND.—At Lockport, June 3, aged 54 years, Ross, son of the late Alexander Hammond, and grandchild of John Locke, sr., of Lockport. He was for years an invalid and most patient under the trial. He was held in high esteem by all who knew him for his many virtues. Upright in business, sincere in friendship, exact in deportment, and of most amiable disposition, his family and friends feel that they lose much in his removal. His faith in Christ was sincere and child-like. His mother, an aged widow lady, and his wife and two surviving children are deeply afflicted by his death.

CANN.—At Ohio, Yarmouth Co., N. S., June 11, John L. Cann, aged 63 years. Mr. Cann became a member of the Ohio Baptist church several years ago. During his sickness, which was caused by dropsy and heart trouble, he was very patient, although he suffered the most intense pain. It was hard for him to leave his invalid wife, who has been sick for more than a year, and whose bright Christian character has always been a joy to him; yet he was resigned to the will of the Lord, and his request was during his last suffering, "Come, Lord Jesus, come quickly." Our brother was beloved by all and enjoyed the presence of his Saviour unto the end. He leaves a wife, son and a large number of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

LAMBERTSON.—Mrs. Lambertson, relict of the late John Lambertson, of Digby Co., N. S., departed this life on March 9, 1893, in the 87th year of age. She was baptized into the Freeport Baptist church by Rev. Mr. Towler about three scores and ten years ago. She shortly after united with the St. Mary's Bay church, of which she has been a consistent member till called up higher. She was but seldom absent from any of the means of grace. Her love for the earthly assemblies of God's people bespoke the preparation for the gathering in heaven. Her Lord's presence was delighted in here, and shall it not be there? Certainly! May God help us to follow our dear sister as she followed Christ, and comfort the bereaved ones, as well as sanctify to us all this dispensation of grace and providence.

MUNRO-LANT.—At New Germany, June 8, by Rev. G. P. Raymond, George Munro, of Westville, Pictou Co., to Jessie Lantz, youngest daughter of Joseph Lantz, New Germany.

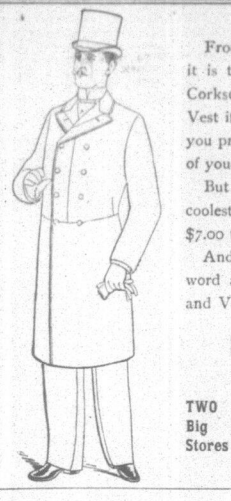
YOUNG.—At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Wallace Young, Paradise, June 8, by Rev. R. B. Kinlay, Eliza VanThomas, of Middleton, N. S., to Bessie Young, of Paradise.

KEMPTON-FREEMAN.—At the Baptist church, Milton, Queens Co., N. S., June 7, by Rev. S. B. Kempton, assisted by Rev. I. E. Bill, of Liverpool, Rev. Austin T. Kempton, to Lottie H., youngest daughter of Samuel Freeman, Esq., of Milton.

WELNER.—Suddenly, of pneumonia, at Dartmouth, May 9, George Welner, son of the late James and Maria Welner, of South Rawdon, aged 33 years, 6 months and 24 days.

WELNER.—At South Rawdon, June 3, after a few weeks' illness, Frank Roberts Welner, son of John and Mary Welner, aged 22 years, 5 months and 18 days. His end was peace.

WASSON.—At Edmonton, N. W. T., May 30, James Wasson, of Onslow, N. S., formerly of Parrsboro, aged 52 years. A loving wife and many friends mourn over his decease. His end was peace.



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—REV. THOMAS SPURGEON succeeded his father as pastor of the Christian Mission, in 1886. He was born in New Zealand, May 30th. He will visit San Francisco, and it is understood to be to remain in Chicago and assist in evangelistic work before his journey to England. The of the C. H. Spurgeon Memorial is announced, have decided the Stockwell Orphanage a hall, the centre of which monumental design. A life of Mr. Spurgeon in the act of panels will represent the past of a group of students, an end in the midst of a cluster. The total cost is estimated. The foundation stone of the was to have been laid June 2.

—The trustees of Newton Normal Seminary appear determined to make its equipment such as fully abreast of the times as preparing young men for the. To this end they propose \$300,000 to increase the erect a new library building, necessary repairs and improvements. Within a few years nearly a million dollars have been raised educational institutions in States. This has been money of New England; and from of the New England State liberality is known to the trustees of Newton hope for response to their appeal in of the institution which has ant a relation to the supply for the ministry and the commission work abroad.

—In the city of Montreal 5th to 9th, will be held the Christian Endeavor Convention. The gathering is expected to have 1,000 delegates, we believe, and for. Many prominent ministers, evangelists and other leaders work are to be present and the proceedings of the. Among these are the Bishop, Drs. Theodore L. Cuyler, P. of Chicago, and Wayland Minspocoff; Revs. B. Fay, J. Wilbur Chapman, Evan Dunning, of Boston, and Dr. president of the society. There will be a good deal of in the meetings. The great host of Christian youth in Montreal this year, as in New York, will be an impressive lesson in its way, but after natural that many should of practical utility of gathering in one city so great a home-mendous effort must be made to do them, and when they together, it is impossible to ing large enough for them. We do not wish to disparage the good work of the Christian Endeavor, but we think that the holding of conventions will not be of in great permanent benefit, are to be kept up annually, prove to be worth a good deal they will cost.

—REV. JOHN MCNEILL, evangelist, is laboring with This is the Mr. McNeill who time pastor of the Regent Presbyterian church, London, at times spoken of as "the S. G. W." The Chicago Advertiser says he is "a stout and muscular. His shoulders close on his shoulders; common business suit, his that of a business man rather minister. No one would think of him as having been the pastor of Square Presbyterian church. Mr. McNeill puts an immense of physical force in his arms; are in constant, though graceful, motion, and the left foot when he "lifts it" from the floor, curls it up and then kicks," it is more than a stamp. "It is as the forward stroke of an axe. But the preacher puts fr into his sermons as well as ergy. "It matters not how text is and how many s have heard upon it, the Mr. McNeill is setting out you will be a new sermon of the good young man he shall do to inherit eternal as an instance. Mr. McNeill two heads: The spell of a and the spell of a great preaches a fresh and fine a. "In this sermon he brought which seems to dominate