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BEAR RIVER

Mr. A. V. Smith returned to Halifax last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Benson went to Meteghan Monday.

Mr. Thebert Rice returned from his visit to Boston Wednesday.

Mr. C. M. C. Rice, of Round Hill, made a short visit to town this week.

Mr. Freeman Fitch, fruit inspector, was in town the first of this week.

M. Crawley Armstrong returned from his visit to Boston last Saturday.

Mr. R. E. Felix, Lawrencetown, spent Sunday in town the guest of E. E. Rice.

Mr. L. S. Morse, inspector of schools was in town this week on his official duties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Rice entertained a number of friends on Wednesday evening.

Rev. W. A. Duncanson spent a few days at Litchfield, Annapolis county, the past week.

Mr. N. B. Westcott and son in town of Barton, Digby Co., were in town last Saturday.

Mr. Arthur Marshall, of Bridgetown, was in town this week purchasing apples. He secured 200 barrels.

Miss Lotta M. Henshaw entertained a large number of her young friends Tuesday evening of last week, it being the anniversary of her birthday.

Mr. John Y. Thomas attended the Farmers' Association meetings which convened at Middleton this week.

Mr. Colin C. Rice and little son Tom, of Round Hill, are spending a few days with relatives and friends here.

Rev. E. O. Reed has accepted a call to the North Bedford, Queens Co., Baptist church and left for there Thursday.

Mr. W. G. Clarke attended the meeting of the Western Lumberman's Association which met at Annapolis on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. W. M. Romanas returned home last Friday. He was accompanied by his brother, H. D. Romanas, of Dartmouth, who left for home Monday.

Miss Blanche Reagles spent a few days with friends in Annapolis during the past week, returning home Monday. Miss Edith M. Clarke taught her department in Oakdale during her absence.

Mr. William Harris left for Boston Wednesday en route to San Francisco where he intends to spend a year or so and perhaps locate permanently. His son Benjamin J., has been there the past few months and speaks in glowing terms of the country and its possibilities for good tradesmen.

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FOUND RACE OF BLACK HEBREWS

Montreal, Jan. 19.—A race of "black Jews" is announced by Mr. Oliver Steinbridge, teacher, scientist, explorer and author, who is at the Windsor Hotel, and expects to remain in Montreal for the next fortnight and to lecture here on the discovery he made on a recent visit to New Guinea.

Mr. Steinbridge, a young man, apparently little more than thirty, has travelled in many lands studying aboriginal races, and he is a member of many learned societies whose shelves have been enriched by his researches. Talking at the Windsor yesterday of the black Jews, whom he found in British New Guinea, on the shores of the Gulf of Papua, Mr. Steinbridge said that although they had the unquestionable Jewish physiognomy and observed certain Hebrew practices, they were, as regards environment and general habits of life, in no respect superior to the savage tribes by whom they were surrounded in the island.

"Here," said Mr. Steinbridge, "is remarkable proof that the Jews picked their tents in distant lands. These people, in their habits, still adhere to portions of the Mosaic law. These are preserved in hieroglyphic characters. They avoid the use of pork, and insist on abstinence from animal food at certain periods which correspond with the Jewish fasts."

The fact of these dark-skinned Jews having been found in British New Guinea, where Mr. Steinbridge, who has devoted much time to ethnological studies, regards as helping to the elucidation of the color problem of the different races of mankind. The most eminent living authority on the subject holds that originally there was no distinction in the human family of black, red, brown, white or yellow, but that the color came from the influence of climate operating on a subcutaneous pigment.

The fact that there has been unmistakable evidence of resemblance would seem to prove that even the most advanced races degenerate and lapse into practical savagery, and that advancement in the scale of civilization depends on conditions and environment.

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(From the Chicago Tribune.)

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WINGS OF THE MORNING

The boat swung off into the tideway. Her progress shoreward was watched by a small knot of people, mostly loungers and coolies. Among them, however, were two persons who had driven rapidly to the landing place when the arrival of the Orient was reported. One bore all the distinguishing marks of the army officer of high rank, but the other was unmistakably a globe trotter. The older gentleman made no pretense that he could "hear the east a-calling." He swore impartially at the climate, the place and its inhabitants. At this instant he was in a state of wild excitement. He was very tall, very stout, exceedingly red faced.

"Pronouncing a tremendous telescope he vainly endeavored to balance it on the shoulder of a native servant. 'Can't you stand still, you blithering idiot,' he shouted, after futile attempts to focus the advancing boat, 'or shall I send you with a stout over the ear?'"

His companion, the army man, was looking through a pair of field glasses. He the other man, whose name was Arthur Deane and a girl who looks like his daughter. There's that infernal scamp, Ventnor too.

"The devil take his foot when he led to misery and death, yet he has come back safe and sound. Wait till I meet him!"

"Now, Anstruther! Remember your promise, I will deal with Lord Ventnor. My vengeance has first claim. What? By the jumping Moses, I do believe it. Yes, but Anstruther! Your nephew is lying next to the girl!"

The telescope ball on the stevens with a crash. The glass's rubicund face suddenly blanched. He leaped on his friend for support.

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do so until he was stung aside as being of no further value. Although Ventnor himself had carefully avoided any formal commitment, the cablegrams awaiting the shipowner at Singapore showed that confidence had already been restored by the uncontradicted use of his lordship's name.

Robert at last obtained a hearing in secret, but he was quietly assuming the attitude of the financial magnates of this gathering," he said. "I must admit that you have managed things very well between you, and I do not propose for one moment to interfere with your arrangements. Nevertheless, Iris and I are really the chief moneyed persons present. You spoke of financial houses in England and on the occasion backing up your loans six months hence, Sir Arthur. You need not go to them. We will be your bankers."

The baronet laughed with a whole hearted gaiety that revealed whence Iris got some part at least of her bright disposition.

"Will you sell your island, Robert?" he cried. "I am afraid that not even Iris could wheedle any one into buying it."

"But, father, dear," interrupted the girl earnestly, "what Robert says is true. We have a gold mine there. It is worth so much that you will hardly believe it until there can no longer be any doubt in your mind. I suppose that is why Robert asked me not to mention his discovery to you earlier?"

"No, Iris, that was not the reason," said her lover, and the elder man felt that more than idle fancy inspired the astounding intelligence that they had just heard. "Your love was more to me than all the gold in the world. I had you, you, I meant to keep you, but I refused to buy you."

He turned to her father. His pent-up emotion mastered him, and he spoke as one who could no longer restrain his feelings.

"I have had no chance to thank you for the words you uttered at the moment we quitted the ship. Yet I will treasure them while life lasts. You gave Iris to me when I was poor, disgraced, an outcast from my family and my profession. And I know why you did this thing. It was because you valued her happiness more than riches or reputation. I am sorry now I did not explain matters earlier. It would have saved you much needless suffering. But the sorrow has sped like an evil dream, and you will perhaps not regret it, for your action to day binds me to you with hoops of steel. And you, too, uncle. You traveled thousands of miles to help and comfort me in my anguish. Were I as bad as I was painted your kind old heart still pitied me. You were prepared to pluck me from the depths of despair and degradation. Why should I hate Lord Ventnor? What man could have served me as he did? He has given me Iris. He gained for me at her father's hands a concession such as mortal has seldom wrested from black browed fate. He brought my uncle to my side in the hour of my adversity. Hate him! I would have his statue carved in marble and set on high to tell all who passed how good may spring out of evil—how God's

gave false evidence. He promised to marry Mrs. Costobell if her husband died, or, in any event, to bring about a divorce when the Hongkong affair had blown over. Then she learned that he would have kept the wretched thing secret, but he was compelled to clear Anstruther's name, especially as he came across the other old Johnnie."

"Pompey, you are incoherent with excitement. Who is the other old Johnnie?" asked the first lady severely.

"Didn't I tell you? Why, Anstruther's uncle, of course, a heavy old swell with just a touch of Yorkshire in his tongue. I gathered that he disaberted his nephew when the news of the court martial reached him. Then he relented and cabled to him. Getting no news, he came east to look for him. He met Costobell the day after the lady died, and the two were obliged to re-venge on Ventnor and to clear Anstruther's character, living or dead. Poor old chap! He cried like a baby when he asked the youngster to forgive him. It was quite touching."

"Well, Costobell about Ventnor off at best, with the final observation that Anstruther's court martial had been quashed. The next batch of general orders will reinstate him in the regiment, and it rests with him to decide whether or not a criminal warrant shall be issued against his lordship for conspiracy."

"What did Miss Deane do?"

"Clung to Anstruther like a weeping angel and kissed everybody all round when Ventnor got away. Well—hands off, I mean her father, Anstruther and the stout uncle. Unfortunately I was not on in that scene. But for some reason they all nearly wrung my arm off, and the men were so excited that they gave the party a rousing cheer as their rickshaws went off in a bunch."

The next commotion arose in the hotel when Sir Arthur Deane seized the first opportunity to explain the predicament in which his company was placed and the blow which Lord Ventnor had had in his power to deal.

Mr. William Anstruther was an interested auditor. Robert would have spoken, but his uncle restrained him.

"Leave this to me, lad," he exclaimed. "When I was coming here in the Biridar there was a lot of talk about Sir Arthur's scheme, and there should not be much difficulty in raising all the brass required if half what I heard to be true. Sit you down, Sir Arthur, and tell us all about it."

The shipowner required no second bidding. With the skill for which he was noted he described his operations in detail, telling how every operation of the first instalment of the two great loans was paid up, how the earnings of his feet would quickly overtake the deficit in capital value caused by the loss of the three ships and how in six months' time the leading financial houses of London, Paris and Berlin would be offering him more money than he would need.

To a shrewd man of business the project could not fail to commend itself, and the Yorkshire squire, though a trifle obstinate in temper, was singularly clear headed in other respects. He brought his great fist down on the table with a thump.

"Send a cable to your company, Sir Arthur," he cried, "and tell them that your prospective son-in-law will provide the \$100,000 you require. I will see that his draft is honored. You can add, if you like, that another ten will be ready if wanted when this lot is spent. I did my lad one deuced bad turn in my life. This time, I think, I am doing him a good one."

"Yes, indeed," said Iris' father enthusiastically. "The unalloyed capital he is taking up will be worth four times its face value in two years."

"All the more reason to make his holding twenty instead of ten," roared the Yorkshireman. "But, look here. You talk about dropping proceedings against that precious earl whom I saw today. Why not tell him not to try any funny tricks until Robert's money is safely lodged to your account? We have him in our power. Dash it all, let us use him a bit."

Even Iris laughed at this naive suggestion. It was delightful to think that their arch enemy was actually helping the baronet's affairs at that very moment and would continue to

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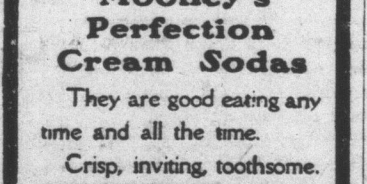
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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1907.

MAYOR'S REPORT.

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Bridgetown.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have to submit to you my report as mayor for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1906.

The only matters dealt with by the council during the year which were beyond the routine administration of town affairs, were the extension of the town boundary to include the farm of Avarid L. Anderson, the extension of the water service to Mr. Anderson's premises and the increase in the water supply by connecting the Council Hill Lake with the present reservoir. This latter work is still in an incomplete condition, as the contractor failed to complete the work by the agreed time, but which completed this will doubtless be a valuable asset to the town. Our water supply has again been good when the dry season came on and we were obliged to shut off the D. A. R. and the printing office for about three months, thus causing an appreciable loss from the water revenue, while at the same time we stood in great peril in case of fire. When the Council Hill Lake job is complete I believe that we will be at the end of these inconveniences and perils, and will have an adequate supply of water of excellent purity and quality.

The accounts, printed herewith show the details of all expenditures on account of the sewer and the Lake job as far as the latter has progressed.

The sewer is completed and is giving excellent satisfaction, and I believe will have an excellent effect in improving sanitary matters in the town.

The finances of the town were in a bad condition when I took office, there being an overdraft at the beginning of 1906 of about \$2000, but I am happy to say that at the beginning of the present year the overdraft had been reduced to about \$300.

Thanking you all ladies and gentlemen for your cordial support and cooperation, I remain,

Yours faithfully,
W. J. HOFF, Mayor.

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

To all Members of the Mayor, and the Councilors of the Town of Bridgetown.

Gentlemen,—Allow me to present to you a brief report of our school affairs for the current year.

Miss Vidito, who for so long a time did such good work as one of the teachers, having resigned her position, as also Miss Dechman, equally faithful but for a shorter period, it became necessary to fill the vacancy in the teaching staff. Miss Vera Smith and Miss Nettie Bishop were selected, the former as teacher of the Intermediate Department, and the latter of the Advanced Primary.

The attendance of scholars in the total and in the average is gradually increasing, and it is becoming evident that an additional teacher will soon be required in order to maintain the regular system of grading. It is impossible for any teacher to do justice to fifty-seven scholars as has been the case during a part of this year, until a temporary arrangement was made to relieve the situation.

Your attention is again called to the comparatively large number of children, of school age, in the town, who, through the indifference of parents or guardians, are receiving no benefit from our educational facilities. For the sake of the future of the town, as well as for the sake of the children themselves, something should be done to correct this evil.

I cannot speak too highly of the efficiency of the work of the Principal and of the teachers in general, or of the manner in which the scholars in general conduct themselves.

The little attention which has been given the school grounds has made a decided improvement in their appearance and is an incentive to future effort in the same direction. I remain, gentlemen,

Yours respectfully,
CRANSWICK JOST,
Chairman of the School Board,
February 2, 1907.

ACCIDENT ON I. C. R.

Halifax, Jan. 29.—Running at the rate of forty miles an hour, the Maritime express dnr here this evening was wrecked the other side of Windsor Junction. With the exception of the engine, baggage and postal cars, the whole train left the rails, the second class car toppling over on its side.

There were quite a number of passengers on the train, and their escape from death or serious injury was miraculous. Several persons were killed, and many had more seriously injured. The rolling stock was badly damaged, the rails torn up for a distance of fifty yards, and all traffic on the road was blocked for several hours.

TOWN ELECTION

The voting for mayor yesterday was rather a close contest, but Mr. Hoyt was returned to office by twelve votes over his opponent, Mr. Harlow. The result of the voting for Councilors was somewhat of a surprise to many. Mr. Arthur C. Charlton, who is a new candidate for the honor of a town appointment, headed the list with 117 votes. Mr. DeWitt followed a close second and Mr. Freeman made the third in order. Following are the votes polled:

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name and Votes. Includes Mr. G. Hoyt (31), Mr. G. Harlow (19), Mr. A. C. Charlton (117), Mr. DeWitt (116), Mr. Karl Freeman (98), Mr. W. A. Warren (88), Mr. A. Oveson (46).

NOVA SCOTIA'S FARMERS' MEETING AT MIDDLETON.

(Continued from page 1.)

The Board of Trade gave an address of welcome on behalf of the people of Middleton.

Mr. E. J. Elliott, president of the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association also welcomed the provincial association to the county on behalf of the farmers of the county. He referred to the great work the provincial association had done since it first met in this country ten years ago. The increasing membership and increasing usefulness of the county societies through initiative work. The farms need not so much the hard labor the Governor spoke of but use of brains with the labor. We can keep up with the west if given an even chance by our governments. We sympathize with the west in its present severe trials but make our plans for staying at home.

Mr. C. Howard Black, replied to these addresses on behalf of the association. He had heard and seen so much of the people of Middleton that he was expecting a cordial welcome for the association and he was not in the least disappointed. Everyone present would carry away pleasant recollections of this gathering at Middleton. Mr. Black referred to the important work the association had done. One feature had the last night roll, but we must make up for this by better knowledge of the methods of fertilization, tillage and stock breeding. The former needs education of the mind, hand and heart. The opening of the agricultural college at Lunenburg is assisting in this work and the Association was largely responsible for the establishment of this school.

Prof. Kline then addressed the association on the improvement of field crops. From extensive charts he showed the results of experiments carried on for the improvement of seeds. As the seeds gather from all parts of the Dominion for tests and examination those from the Maritime provinces showed to best advantage, especially in oats he favored selection on the farm as far as possible. A tanning mill could be obtained at a cost of \$25 to \$35. Still better results had come from hand picked heads of seed grain. Experiments had proven the benefits from selecting the largest grains for seeds and the largest seeds of vegetables for sowing.

Betwe Prof. Kline began his address Mrs. P. St. Elliott favored the audience with a solo, "Mignonette" and in response to a vigorous encore sang "Anne Laurie." Before the address of Prof. Cummings which followed, Mr. Herbert Layton sang "Sailor Beware," and in response to the call of the audience gave "I am a King."

Prof. Cummings' address was upon the "Sheep Industry of Nova Scotia." But before taking up this subject he referred to the work of agricultural college. The short course has just been finished with 102 registered, 13 of them ladies. Next year while the short course is going on a new short course will be opened for ladies, of subjects of special interest to them. Thirty-two are registered in the long course. The Professor spoke of the sheep industry and referred those seeking information to a new publication, "Sheep Farming in America" by Jos. Wing, published by Saunders Pub. Co., Chicago. Prof. Cummings read some of the clauses of a bill being prepared by a committee of which he is a member. The association appointed a committee to assist in drafting this bill to remedy the dog nuisance.

(To be continued.)

LECTURE.

The Rev. W. H. Langille will deliver his popular lecture "From Ocean to Ocean, or Verbal Snapshots of Canadian Life and Scenery," in the basement of Providence Methodist church on the evening of Friday, February 15th. The press of the province has spoken most enthusiastically of this lecture and we trust a large audience will greet the lecturer on that evening. The admission is only ten cents. February 5th, 2 p.m.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN ABBOTT.

The death of Mrs. John Abbott removes from our community a very worthy and highly esteemed lady. For some months past she suffered from a distressing and intractable ailment, the pangs of which she bore with great patience and resignation until the silent messenger brought final and complete relief. The loss of a loved son and the subsequent loss of her husband added much to her sorrow during her illness. A daughter and two sons survive her. Mrs. Abbott led a quiet, but consistent life. She was for many years a member of the Paradise Baptist church, and her life corresponded closely with her religious profession. Her funeral was largely attended, Rev. H. H. Saunders, of Paradise, and Rev. W. H. Warren, of Bridgetown, conducting the exercises. The remains were laid to rest in the Bridgetown cemetery.

HOMER SAUNDERS.

A familiar figure in Annapolis Royal passed away in the death of James Homer Salter, who was killed at his residence, the Commercial House, Monday evening, Jan. 29th. Having been in Annapolis for half a century Mr. Salter is known to a large percentage of the travelling public. He was a native of Hants Co. and came to this town in 1872. A fluent talker, well versed in current events he was always entertaining. His wife, who survives him, was Miss Young, of Halifax, and there were eight children of whom five are now living. The children are William, at home, Mrs. Fred Southall, of Halifax; Mrs. J. Smith, of Winnipeg; Mrs. W. Sibbey, of Wilmot, Conn.; and Mrs. E. L. Fisher, of Bridgetown. His illness had extended over the past two months and began with a slight stroke of paralysis. The funeral took place on Wednesday, the services being conducted by Rev. H. How, rector of St. Luke's church.—Spectator.

MR. A. M. SAUNDERS.

The death occurred on Saturday last of Mr. A. M. Saunders, of Nictaux, South, at the age of 64 years. He was twice married. The first wife was the late daughter of the late John Carter, of Nictaux. His second wife, was Mrs. Nichols, of Nictaux West, who survives him. Other surviving relatives are: A son, Mr. H. H. Saunders, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Stanley Hinds, of North Situate, Mass.; three brothers, James Saunders, of Nictaux; and Fred Saunders, of Tremont; and five sisters, Mrs. Whitfield Saunders, Wilmet; Mrs. John Ruggles, Tremont; Mrs. T. R. Jones, Middleton; Mrs. C. W. Gould, Worcester, Mass.; and Miss Alice, of Boston. The funeral took place on Tuesday, Rev. C. H. Haverstock conducting the services. The late Mr. Saunders was an active member of the Baptist church, was highly esteemed and had many friends.—Outlook.

THE P. E. TUNNEL.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 21.—Rev. A. E. Burke, P. E. T., is in the city. He says the premier urged the government to take steps to proceed with construction of a tunnel between the island and the mainland.

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BYRON MORSE, Secretary. Lawrence town, Jan. 14th, 1907.

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MRS REED WADE, having rented the dwelling over J. Harry Hicks' store, is prepared to bake bread, cake, pastry as ordered, or serve lunches at any hour. Could also accommodate a number of boarders.

FOR SALE.—A small farm (about 13 acres) in Upper Granville; orchard of 210 trees, in good bearing; all kinds of small fruit; five acres of marsh land; cuts about six tons upland hay; and good house and barns. Apply to S. McColl, Upper Granville.

We are heavily stocked in heavy goods, Flour, Corn Meal, Feeds, etc. We carry the largest variety of Fresh Shelf goods in town, at prices low as the lowest.

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from now until WEDNESDAY MARCH 5th, 1907, after that date I will close my Bridgetown gallery. Those wishing photos will do well to take advantage of the remainder of the time I will be in Bridgetown. My Annapolis branch will still be open every THURSDAY, as usual don't forget the Bridgetown days

Every Wednesday until March 9th, 1907.

N. M. SMITH - Bridgetown

BEFORE STOCK TAKING

I want to reduce my line of Fancy China, and offer for two weeks all articles in this line at exceptionally low figures. Some of the articles are CAKE PLATES, BON BON DISHES, CREAM and SUGAR SETS, BERRY SETS, Etc., and a few PARLOR LAMPS. Call and see them.

C. L. PIGGOTT

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

The local Legislature meets in session this week.

T. Eaton, head of Toronto's department store, is dead.

The Hunts Journal is advocating a new railway from Windsor to Chester.

Look out! Hicc, the weather prophet, says, "the big end of the winter will fall in February and March."

A small want adv. inconspicuously placed in the last issue of the Monitor brought return within two hours after the paper was printed. It is unnecessary to point the moral.

An exchange says—Two Catholics are in the list of the dead in Kingston. No doubt they are son and grandson or both grandsons of the late William Arthur Cole, the historian of Annapolis county who had a son called "William."

The Baptist social held at Newcomb's, Marshall's, Clarence, on Thursday evening last was most successful, both socially and financially. The genial host and hostess spared no pains to entertain their guests, and about \$200 was realized for church funds.

The Western Nova Scotia Lumbermen's Association held their annual meeting at the Queen Hotel, Annapolis Tuesday evening of last week. There was a good attendance. Manager Paul of the Davidson Lumber Co. came from New York to be present.

A large quantity of spruce wood, supposed to be the deckload of some vessel washed or thrown overboard, was noticed by the steamer Bear River when about ten miles east from St. John's last Friday. The steamer picked up about 10,000 feet and carried to port.

The delegates of the different branches of the People's Fish and Game Protective Association, met at Kentville next week. The B. A. H. has extended the courtesies of their road in order to facilitate their meeting, and there will no doubt be a large attendance.

Saturday's thaw took off most of the snow, but the mercury dropped just in time to save an icy coating which served to keep the runners going. Monday night's northeast snow-storm set in and present indications are that we shall have plenty of snow for some time.

The residents of Greenville street, West, who have been holding a series of very enjoyable surprise parties, met at the home of C. B. Tupper, on the evening of the 13th ult., and formed a society called "The West End Social Club," with Miss Emma Wilkinson as president, and is to meet fortnightly, at the home of some one of its members.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Mass will be held in St. Alphonsus's church next Sunday.

Judge Owen was elected Mayor of Annapolis yesterday by a majority of 84 over his opponent, Judge Savary.

Fifty-two inches have in the latest reported from several points in the Northwest. At Whinnip it has been 42 below. Nine engines and three snow plows are stalled between Thorhill and Winkler, Manitoba. Usually plowing commences out there in February.

The illustrated lecture, given by Rev. W. H. Warren on Monday evening, was much appreciated by all who were present. A large number of very fine views of Scottish scenery were shown by means of a lime light apparatus. It is seldom that such high-class and artistic views are presented to a Bridgetown audience, and they deserve the patronage of all who have literary and aesthetic tastes.

The Bridgetown Baptist church held a meeting of its members Monday evening to consider the advisability of selling the parsonage and lot rather than repairing. Upon a vote of the meeting, taking into consideration that a number of properties suitable for a parsonage had been offered for purchase, it was decided to sell and purchase new property, or lot to build upon. The offer of Steel Crowe, South Brookfield, Queens Co., for \$1500 was accepted.

The excellent sleighing of last week with the moonlight nights made a combination hard to resist. Sleighting parties were a nightly event, and indulged in by all ages. On Friday night a party of about twenty-five young people drove to Annapolis and put up for supper at the Clifton, after which they attended the dance given by the Annapolis Athletic Association in the Academy of Music. The sleighing was at its best, the evening fine, and returning in the wee small hours all pronounced the outing in every respect delightful.

Bear River and Smith's Cove are agitating a movement to change the name of the place. At a public meeting held at the latter place the name Naples was selected, but there is strong opposition on the part of a portion of the community to the name. The question of changing the name of Bear River was brought before a public meeting held by the board of trade, but the discussion ended in a decision to let the old name remain. Imbert or Port Imbert was a name suggested for each place, in honor of the explorer of that name. The late Mr. W. A. Gahok, the Annapolis county historian, stated that Bear River was but an abbreviation of Imbert River, dropping the first syllable and giving the second the French pronunciation. In view of this fact, if the name is to be changed, Port Imbert or Imberton would seem particularly appropriate.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wears, the Druggist, is showing a big line of valentine post cards.

Have you seen the Barometer Post Card? If not, call on Wears, the druggist, and get one. Barometer correct every time.

ELECTION RESULTS.—Some of the candidates must be disappointed, but the fresh confectionery, 1907 valentines and souvenir cards at the Bridgetown Book Store will please all. Mrs. F. McCormack.

PERSONAL

Miss Addie Chesley if home from Boston on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chesley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Froese, of Shelburne, are visiting the latter's brother H. A. Froese.

Miss Charlotte Roberts, who has been spending the last ten months in town, is visiting friends in Albany, after which she will return to her home in Digby.

Albert Bunting, who has been seriously ill, has sufficiently recovered to make a visit to his sister, Mrs. J. A. Durling, at Digbyville. Miss Bunting is at present at her home.

W. S. Benson, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia Agency, Kentville, lately of Bridgetown, was summoned to Chatham last week by the serious illness of his father, says the Advertiser.

Mrs. E. Troop Messenger recently returned from a very enjoyable trip, having visited her daughter, Dr. Stella Messenger, practicing physician of Lunenburg, also her son, V. W. Messenger, manual training teacher of Lunenburg and Bridgewater, and her youngest son, Spurgoon, attending the Lunenburg Academy.

DYPNEAL

In the Baptist church on New Year's eve a very pretty wedding took place when Mr. Arthur G. Gainer, one of Annapolis' young business men, and a member of the firm of J. J. Gainer & Co., was united in matrimony to Miss Ida Maybelle Fash, late by teacher in the Duggan street school.

The ceremony was performed beneath a floral bell before a large audience, by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Corry. The wedding march was played by Miss Grant and the ushers were Messrs. G. Fred McNally and George Nightingale. The church was beautifully decorated with evergreens and cut flowers for the occasion by the young people of the congregation.

The wedding was attended in a lovely gown of cream silk with orange tulle, with veil and orange blossoms and carried a magnificent bouquet of bride's roses and maidenhair fern. She was unattended and was given away by Mr. J. J. Hennessey.

After the ceremony the wedding party and a number of invited guests drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hennessey, where a reception was held.

There were a large number of handsome presents, including an arm-chair from the ladies and young men's Sunday school classes, the former of which the bride was teacher and the latter of which Mr. Gainer was a member, and a parlor table from the teachers of the public schools. The bride's gift from her father, Mr. Fash, of Bridgetown, N. S., was a cheque, and from the groom a piano. Mr. and Mrs. Gainer will reside on McDonald avenue—Edmonton, Alta., Bulletin.

ANNAPOLIS CO. S. S. ASSOCIATION.
To the Sunday School workers—We are again distributing among the schools in the county the blank forms for the purpose of obtaining complete statistics of schools. We kindly ask the superintendents to have the blanks filled in as soon as possible and return them to the district secretaries.

For the support of the work we would like the schools that can make it convenient to have an offering taken at this time, as it will enable the regular expenses to be more promptly met.

Owing to the financial crisis of the work, the association is asking Annapolis County to raise \$100 this year. Amount received—
Arlington School, 50
North Williamston school, \$100
Trusting that God's blessing will rest upon our work during the coming year.

Yours in the work,
ANNIE E. YOUNG,
County Secretary.

Clearance Sale

The greatest bargains in millinery are found at Miss Lockett's. In order to make room for remodeling the store, hats are selling at 75 per cent. discount, and ladies' wear, etc., at fifty per cent. off. The stock must be cleared off at once.

25 per cent off 25

Heavy discount on all the following lines during the balance of this month.

FURS Comprising Ladies' Men's and Children's Coats, Caps, Mitts, Muffs, Capelines, Stoles and Neckwear.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloth Coats.

Men's, Youth's and Children's Overcoats, Reefers and Suits.

UNDERWEAR Ladies', Men's and Children's.

Ladies' Wool Knitted Goods in Golf Blouses, Cardigan Jackets, Shawls, Clouds and Sacques.

Children's Knitted Goods in Golf Blouses, Mitts, Clouds, Booties.

Men's and Boys' Caps, drop band and fur lined.

Wool and Cashmere Hosiery for Ladies', Boys' and Children.

Winter Gloves for Ladies, Men and Children.

Ladies' Winter Wrappers—Remember these all have lined Waists and Sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44 in. bust.

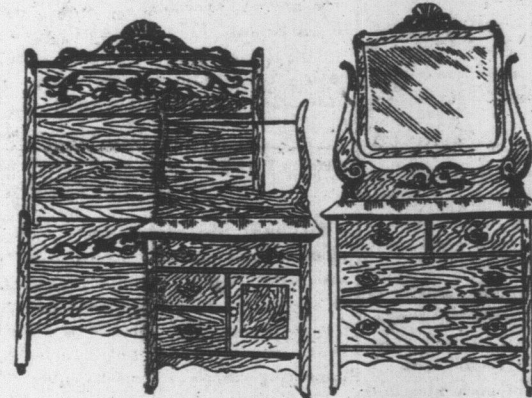
25 p. c. Discount

This means that 75 cents has the purchasing value of One Dollar during January.

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Bedroom Suite \$24.00



Suite No. 253.

Discounts

On All Winter Goods

- One only Child's Fur Coat.
- Muffs and Collars 35 cents each.
- Flannelette Blankets \$1.10 per pair.
- Flannelette Night-gowns and Skirts, extra quality.

20 percent off Remona Flannelette

NEW GOODS

- Apron Lace, Duclon, Gingham, Prints, Shirt Gingham, French Dolaine, Cumbria, Laces for Spring Sewing.

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Our Grandmothers' had great faith in Flaxseed Tea.

Always had a potful handy during the winter for coughs and colds. It was not pleasant but it cured the cough.

Simson's Flaxseed Emulsion

contains all the virtues of the flaxseed tea but it is pleasant to take.

Large bottles 25c. All Druggists. THE NATIONAL DRUG & CHEMICAL CO. LIMITED HALIFAX.

Note our price on this suite and then note carefully the description.

Bureau, Commode, Bedstead, Stand, Rocker and two chairs full seven piece suite finished in surfaced quartered oak.

Mirror 24 x 20 shaped and bevelled.

Chairs of elm with cane seat.

This is one of the best values ever offered to you.

Photograph of this cut will be mailed to anyone unable to visit our warerooms.

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Commencing at 9 a. m. we will sell a bottle of EMPIRE LINIMENT—Limit one to a customer **10 cents**

We are showing a large stock of Valentines

SPECIALS IN GROCERIES

Kerosene Oil, gal.	20c	Lemon Extract,	8c
Tomatoes, can,	10c	Pepper, pkg.,	5c
Cream Tartar, pkg.,	6c	Corn Beef, 1 lb., can,	13c
Ginger, pkg.,	6c	Dried Beef, can,	13c
Prunes, lb.,	6 1/2c	Gelatine, pkg.,	10c
Sunlight Soap,	4c	Oranges, doz.,	17c
Dates, 7c. lb., 4 lb. for	25c	Cream Soda, lb.,	8c
Morse's 40c. Tea,	35c	Blueberries, can,	9c
Morse's 30c. Tea,	25c	Fudge, lb.,	20c
Tiger 30c. Tea,	25c	Mixed Chocolates, lb.,	25c
Red Ross 35c. Tea,	30c	Our Own Mixture Choco-	
Corn Starch, pkg.,	7 1/2c	lates and cream, lb.,	13c
lb. pkg. Starch,	7c	40c. Chocolates, lb.,	22c
Pearl Tapioca, lb.,	6c	Borax, pkg.,	4c
Pearl Barley, lb.,	3c	Cow Brand Soda,	3 1/2c
Rising Sun Stove Polish, 7c			

W. W. CHESLEY



"I said the nurse, 'When my patient got worse—' I said 'Bournil'."

Household

SOME "ARTISTIC" ATROCITIES.

The well-furnished home is now universally regarded among people of good taste as the home from which cheap ornamentation is eliminated...

"Lovely!" laughingly exclaimed a friend. "But I don't believe that for real, true art it would quite come up to some of my decorations. Did any of you ever make any crystallized grapes?"

"Yes," said the author, "and when the process was over you hung them against the wall or put them in a vase on the mantelpiece."

"I made them out of glue and coffee-berries, real triumphs of art, and I made others out of broken glass, bits of cork and pieces of broken china."

"They were as useless as the worst of mottoes and knitted tidies, merely dirt-catchers," said the first speaker.

PURE HOME-MADE BAKING POWDER.

This is another "wrinkle" for the woman with a frugal mind—and the beauty of it is that it is not adulterated with anything harmful. Mix together two ounces of tartaric acid, one pound of cream of tartar, ten ounces of bi-carbonate of soda and sixteen ounces of flour or twelve ounces of rice flour.

WILL SHE FOLLOW THE QUEEN'S LEAD?

Queen Alexandra has again been telling the ladies that they ought not to have birds in their head-gear, as wholesale slaughter of the feathered ones is thus occasioned.

One day a lady well known for her kindly ways, accosted a boy in the country who was carrying a nest in which there were some fledglings. Said the lady: "Oh! you cruel boy, why did you take these dear little birds from their mother?"

"Then, do you mean to tell me that"

Joker's Corner

Ben Butler was a terror and torment to the judges. On one occasion Judge Sanger, having been bullied and badgered out of all patience, pertinently asked: "What would the counsel suppose if an ox bit his bench?"

"Scratching his head a minute, Butler replied: 'Well, I confess your honor's got me there.'"

QUITE SPOILED.

A certain little girl, living in a town in Tennessee, owned a puppy and a family of kittens, and one of the puppy's tricks is to bury a kitten in a sand pile back of the house and watch it squirm out.

"One day, however, he played the trick once too often, the kitten failed to come forth, and the little girl, looting her nest, discovered the kitten in her apron, she held the limp thing out to her mother and exclaimed in indignation: 'Just look at that, mama; a perfectly good cat spoiled!'"

SO ABSENT-MINDED.

Charles Klein, the well known playwright, according to the St. Paul Dispatch, tells this story of an absent-minded man.

"A young bridegroom, after the wedding was all over, and the bride's father had gone off to the club, began to search anxiously among the wedding gifts for a watch.

"What are you looking for, dear?" said the bride.

"That \$25,000 check of your father's," he said anxiously. "I don't see it anywhere."

"Your papa is so absent-minded," said the bride. "He lit his cigar with it."

NEXT TIME.

"Yes," said Mrs. Malaprop, talking to a friend about her daughter Emily's wedding. "I'm glad it's all over. If it had lasted a second longer I should have had several quills or some thing! Why, what do you suppose?"

"The minister called before the wedding, I asked him whether it was necessary to have two cassocks for the bride and groom to kneel on. He smiled, and said he thought that something thicker would be better, and Emily laughed right out and left the room. Well, of course, I knew I'd said something wrong, so I corrected myself. 'I didn't mean cassocks,' I said. 'I meant two Cossacks.' And what do you suppose he said?"

"Asked you whether you desired a foreign military effect?" ventured the guest.

"No. He said that, judging by the present state of affairs in Russia, he doubted whether he'd be able to get them; and even if he could, he doubted whether they would be agreeable to be knelt upon, judging by the way they were fighting oppression. Oh, I was so mad! You can bet the next time I won't be around the bush; I'll come right out and ask whether or not we need two pillars!"

SEEMLESS PREDICTS A BAD YEAR FOR THE LEADING NATIONS

Paris, January 12.—The French "Prophesies," Mme. de Thebes' prophetic plenary of trouble for the world during 1907, in her absence, which she has just published. She asserts that during 1907 the earth will be "ruled" by the phobos Venus.

For the United States the modern Cassandra foretells great fires and floods. In France there will be an extra number of parliamentary and financial sensations, and some vague trouble which will be neither plague nor disorder—is predicted for the South and Centre. The disappearance of two notable persons is promised.

The Kaiser, says Mme. de Thebes, has reached the zenith of his power, and the year will reveal the feebleness of his empire.

England, she declares, will have class struggles and a conflict between the two houses of parliament, which the king will smooth over.

The general prophecies are that the Latin races will gain control of the world, that the Vatican will have increased power, and that the decline of industrialism will begin.

The Union Bank of Halifax following their progressive and business-like policy, have decided to take the initiative and add the interest to their savings bank accounts four times a year. This as everyone can see is a great advantage to the depositor, as it means that the amounts are compounded four times as often as they were a few years ago. As far as we know, no other bank offers its clients such an advantage. The last day of January, April, July and October are the dates on which the interest will be added. We compliment this up-to-date Nova Scotia institution upon its latest effort to cater to the requirements and material advantage of its patrons.

TYPHOID EPIDEMIC FROM MILK.

The Montreal hospitals are crowded with sick people, a considerable proportion being typhoid cases. Recorder Weir is of opinion that much of this epidemic is due to impure milk; the Health Department considers that the chief cause is impure water, and advises the public not to drink it until after it is boiled. It is probable that Mr. Recorder Weir and the Health Department are both right to some degree. Milk has been called the champion medium for typhoid culture, while St. Albans and many other cities have proved that the filtration of the water supply has enormously decreased the percentage of typhoid. In this age is not a few matters what we know has outstripped what we put into practice. We do not, however, to-day generally regard plagues and diseases as "acts of God," for which there is nothing to do but reverently submit. Our fault is that we hold human life at less value than property, and drift in regard to losses through disease, when we should speedily act if threatened with the loss of a few dollars. We all know that there are dirty milk cans in use that dirty milkmen sometimes milk dirty cows, and that milk is shipped into the city through the heat, will not keep, goes sour, and murders babies. We summon a milkman whose product may be under the standard in late or what not, but we do not do so if his milk is swimming with bacteria, at least, not at this season of the year. Strange to say, the Health Department does not make a bacteriological examination of milk in the winter time. As for our water, there are periods of the year when it more resembles dirty gravel, and we know from our analysis that it is often overcharged with dangerous germs. But we do nothing, and some of us are staid and orthodox martyrs to this apathy or fatalism. Doubtless the world moves, but it appears to move very slowly in matters of reform.

WHAT TO DO WHEN BILIOUS.

The right thing to do when you feel bilious is to take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Try it. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at W. A. Warren, Pharm. B.

RICH SEAM OF COAL DISCOVERED

Sydney, Jan. 26.—After several days' work those engaged in the development of a rich seam of coal near North Sydney, succeeded in cutting through about eighteen feet of rock and were rewarded by striking a magnificent seam of about five feet six inches of coal, with an excellent roof. It is said that the discovery of this exceedingly rich seam, which is now ready to be worked, is another famous seam that has puzzled and perplexed coal mining experts for years. The seam which the MacKay company is now working was opened up about twenty years ago, and was known then as the largest seam. After considerable work was taken, it was lost, while working to the depth and it was finally given up for a bad job by the prospectors. About four years ago Messrs. Connell and Partridge undertook to work the seam but met with the same trouble as the MacKay company. Many believing the boring was wrong and nobody appeared to know what was the fault. However, the operations ceased and the mine again went idle.

A few months ago W. A. McKay, believing there was plenty of the best coal underlying the area previously worked, succeeded in interesting a few people, and began to operate the mine. The operators were firmly convinced there was plenty of coal underlying the old work, and the enormously rich find of today is the result of their energy. This seam is within a short distance of the areas of the Nova Scotia Steel company.

A STREET SCENE IN NEW YORK.

One day early in the spring, Sixth Avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, was crowded as usual at 12 o'clock, when people of all sorts stopped their various employments for a brief half hour or more to partake of necessary food. Men, women and children passed hither and thither. Some of the women talked and laughed gaily, while others scolded noisily. Here and there could be seen a young girl of stately bearing, or a bent and wrinkled old lady, picking her way through the crowd with care. Stout men, thin men, tall and short, some hurrying as if their lives depended upon it, the others walking about as leisurely as if a whole week were before them.

Before C—'s restaurant, near Thirty-third street, the moving throng stopped, for in the centre of the sidewalk two enormous Boston terriers were having a combat to see which was the stronger.

Women fled in every direction, men laughed, some turning away, while others waited to see the end. On either side of the dogs two policemen, with clubs in readiness, stood, as if rooted to the spot, while the dogs continued their struggle. Their anxious owners, one a tall, thin man, very much like a clothes pole, stood in the midst of the crowd calling in fervent tones: "Ponce de Leon! Ponce de Leon! you ashamed of yourself! Come here this moment, if you don't, I shall —!" But the sentence was left unfinished and "Ponce de Leon" did not come.

The other owner, a short, stout man with a very fat red face, covered with perspiration, fairly danced about the sidewalk, first wiping his face vigorously with a handkerchief and then

Agricultural

THE FARM OF THE FUTURE.

In an eye-opening article in Appleton's Magazine for February, Day Allen Willey thus pictures the farm of twenty or fifty years hence:

"We look in vain for the 'wood lot' that disappeared long ago to make way for the more profitable field and orchard. The wood pile by the kitchen door and the big fireplace have likewise passed away. Nor is there an ash heap anywhere about. To this farmer coal is too expensive, especially when he knows that he uses less than ten per cent of the heat it generates and that for every ton he buys he pays for ninety per cent of waste. How about kerosene or coal oil or whatever you choose to call it? That is the use of my paying freight from the oil refinery and helping the Trust to make a profit when I can get something better for my purpose right at home?"

"This reply may not convince, because as yet we have not had a chance to see for ourselves, but now we will start, beginning at the farmhouse. The reason why no smoke comes from the chimney is because the housewife is getting dinner on a stove burning alcohol—merely a turn of a valve controlling the supply and the contact of the match flame that's all. Here and there are lamps which, when lighted at dusk, give out such a brilliant yet even illumination that the ordinary gas jet is a mere glimmer in contrast. Spirit furnishes the light. Over in the barn stands the familiar fanning mill for cleaning grain, but no one turns the crank that revolves its blades. The farmer simply throws over the handle of an electric switch, and the mill begins humming a merry tune in unison with the clinking of the feed cutter, which is also actuated by the same invisible force. Nor does the farmer depend on the breeze to pump the water. The motor-driven pump keeps it flowing in a steady stream from the well even into the tank on the roof of his barn, where it is ever ready to extinguish fires and let him save on his insurance premiums. In the orchard the press is squeezing the juice out of the apples, without a touch of the hand. The hay press does its work mechanically with just a boy to feed it.

If we happen to be on the place at butter-making time, we see the cream separators and churns doing their duty independently of the housewife, who only looks into the creamery now and then to see how things are getting on. This farmer may have horses, but not for field work, because he finds he can do so much more with motor machinery at the same expense. Even his plows and cultivators are pulled by the traction engine with which he runs his harrower and thrasher. Here the engine must communicate its power directly to the farm mechanism; but if he desires he can operate the fanning mill, the separator, and the other appliances in the house and farm from one source of power, using the electric current which he can readily generate with his little alcohol engine.

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effects of medicines containing opium
or other injurious drugs.
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MUNICIPAL
(Continued from page 2.)
Robert Longley, do. 2.00
O. F. Kiffin, do. 2.00
Edward Bastoux, do. 0.00
Chas. Whitman, appearing
damages road, said out at
Springfield, 3.00
John L. Marshall, do. 6.15
Oliver McNary, chaining road
on road Falkland Bridge to
Springfield, 6.00
William Spruce laying out
road Falkland Bridge,
Devonian Lumber Co., to
Springfield, 5.00
J. E. Bent, rent of hall at
Springfield for special ses-
sion, 3.00
Barrow & Co., books for
Registry Office, 31.00
R. J. Ellison, M. D., Board
of Health, Bear River,
inspection diphtheria, 33.00
Charles Bros., bill road ma-
chines, 46.37
A. C. Bert, Belleville, two
years' hall rent, Belleville's
Court, 4.00
George Ashbury, health of-
ficer, services diphtheria
epidemic, Fort Wady, 5.00
James H. Thomas, do. 5.00
James Legg, examination of
dennis wiggins, and war-
rant and copy removal
Wes. Bay to Asylum, 3.25
J. B. Giles, Registry Books,
Round Hill Hall Co., rent of
hall, restrooms, 2.00
J. E. Oakes, rent of hall, Be-
lleville, 2.00
Rufus G. Whisman, two days
laying out road, 4.00
Andrew Lethin, do. 4.00
J. E. Bert's bill, special
work, 9.00
Thomas G. Bishop, special
committee work 1906, 15.00
W. C. Healy, do. 20.00
R. H. Porter, do. 15.00
W. G. Clarke, do. 25.00
Freeman Fitz's bill Com-
Tender and Public Prop-
erty, 40.00
J. W. Kiffin's, do. 40.00
E. F. Williams, do. 40.00
Annapolis Spectator, adver-
tising, 1.30
Reis Baker's bill hall Revis-
or's Court, 2.00
O. S. Miller's bill including
building vault for County
purposes, 90.00
Griffin O'Dell's bill copying
July lists, 42.35
Griffin O'Dell, stenographer
County Court, 2.25
Wm. Ramsay, burial ex-
penses Mrs. Hancy Perry,
E. C. Clark's bill hall rent,
Revisors, 2.00
\$254.18

SLEET COUNTY HOSPITAL REPORT.
GALT four
To the Warden and Councilors of the
Municipality of Annapolis County,
Gentlemen,—I herewith submit the
Superintendent's annual report of the
Annapolis County Hospital, 1906.
Record of Patients, 1906-1906.

EXPENDITURE.
Our experience is the common ex-
perience of most institutions of today
—a gradual persistent growth in the
demand made on the resources of these
institutions. Would it not be a wonder
if the cost of maintenance did not
increase year by year, due not to the
quantities used, but to the fact
that during the last few years values
of almost all commodities have ad-
vanced steadily, some of them as high
as twenty and thirty per cent, and yet
so far as relates to this hospital the
management, while having made
every reasonable effort to keep within
desired limits, has the satisfaction of
knowing that the cost per patient,
far below the cost in any hospital of
its kind in the Province, and the de-
ficiencies of its infirmary are fast dis-
appearing with the result that our in-
stitution (though not ideal), stands
foremost with any county institution in
the Province.

ADMISSION OF PATIENTS.
It will be seen that during the year
1906, there were 53 patients in the
Hospital. This is the largest number
in its history.
There are now 24 patients in the
Hospital from various counties and at
least 20 applications on the waiting
list and would venture to say that
accommodation for 50 more that the
same would be taken up in a very
short time.
In my report of 1905 I presented a
copy of the regulations necessary for
the admission of patients, and yet
there seems to be a general impres-
sion throughout the county that no
formalities are necessary to admit an
inmate person to an asylum. There is
indeed inefficient labor and responsi-
bility in caring for the patients after
they come under our charge, and it is
to be hoped that in future parties who

are desirous of placing inmates in
this hospital, acquaint themselves
with the regulations, and not expect
the superintendent to do the work
that belongs to the party making ap-
plication.
Two good suits of clothes should be
sent with the patient, even a third
suit is desirable.
Those about to be committed to the
Hospital should invariably be inform-
ed of it before leaving home. Every-
thing like deception must be scrupu-
lously avoided; no promise as to the
precise time of their return should
ever be made.

CHANGES AND APPOINTMENTS.
During the year various changes
have taken place, and it is here where
our greatest difficulty arises. Very of-
ten we were obliged throughout the
year to carry on the work of the
Hospital without the required help,
owing to the fact that suitable help
could not be procured. The present
staff is not yet complete, without a
reasonable number of employees, and
the many unpleasant circumstances
which beset us as daily, make the
position of those in charge a very un-
desirable one.
As the demand for help in every
position seems to be growing steadily,
and when but one in every one hun-
dred who are seeking employment can
be secured for Hospital work, it is
but little wonder that this work is
continually being for suitable help.
The County of Colchester during the
last year expended somewhere in the
vicinity of \$2,000 for its insane and
to erect an asylum of its own. A well
known doctor of Truro who was inter-
ested informed me (though he had a
certain prejudice against county asylums
and in favor of provincial ones)
that he considered the difficulty
in securing suitable help to success-
fully carry on the work a serious
drawback in the erection of such an
institution.

IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS.
The erection of fire escapes and the
efficiency of the same are well worth
of my hearty congratulations. In or-
der to test its efficiency we have had
what may be termed a fire practice fre-
quently in order to get the patients
accustomed to descending with as lit-
tle delay as possible. Even the oldest
and most efficient have been success-
ful in making fair progress
down the lofty stairs.
Owing to the fact that several of
our patients are subject to delirium
making it necessary to exclude meat
from the diet scale, the egg supply
must increase, but as the supply in
the market seems scarce at present
times and prices high, we concluded
that it would be profitable as well as
convenient to erect a small, but warm
and efficient hen house. This has been
completed and we now have about
twenty hens, and trust that without
the usual losses that every hen will
do her duty during the winter.
The repairs during the year were of
no great affair, but each department
is being kept in their shape, and it is only
by attending to those little repairs that
we avoid what might be larger.
The doors of the hospital are open
to all visitors who are interested. I
regret that the majority of the people
in the county have not as yet visited
the institution, to see for themselves
the efficient manner in which the in-
mates are cared for in their affliction.

DONATIONS.
Papers—Weekly Monitor.
Magazines and other matter
from H. W. Cann and Rev. Dr. Jost.
All of which is very much appreciated.
I wish to extend my most hearty
thanks to the many friends who so
kindly contributed toward the Christ-
mas treat for our patients.
I wish to extend my most hearty
thanks to the Warden, W. G. Clarke,
who is ever ready to lend a helping
hand to the best interests of the county
and the welfare of the inmates of
our institutions.

Our indebtedness to the Rev. Dr.
Jost who is ever ready to respond
when his services are required.
Thankful recognition is due the at-
tending physicians for their kindness
and professional attention to the in-
mates of the hospital.
It is the desire of the superintendent
here to gratefully acknowledge the
encouragement and good counsel given
him by the committee and the devo-
tion to duty by the faithful work of
the employees.
May I be permitted to express to
you, gentlemen, my thanks for the
kindness and attention which you have
always shown me personally, and for
which you have ever been willing to
receive and discuss any matter relat-
ing to the duties of my office to which
I have asked your attention.
I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ALFRED F. HILTZ,
Superintendent.

Wednesday afternoon.
Council met at 1:30 o'clock.
All councillors present.
Minutes read and approved.
Ordered that the Scott Act Inspec-
tor be elected by ballot.
John Hall, of Liverpool, and
John J. Hall, of Middleton, were on
motion nominated.
The ballot being taken John Hall,
of Liverpool, was declared by the
warden to be elected.
Ordered that Samuel C. Sheaffer, of
Granville Ferry, and W. H. Morse, of
Weymouth, be the auditors for the
ensuing year.
Ordered that the report of the com-
missioner on Road Returns as read be
received and adopted.
The following is the report.
To the Warden and Councilors of the
Municipality of Annapolis County.

Your committee on
the part of the Warden have the honor
to report as follows:
Having examined the returns placed
in our hands we find a marked im-
provement in the number of returns
sent in from the various wards, but
not as yet complete. We also find by
some returns handed in that there are
cases where labor has not been per-
formed and no explanation given why
such is the case, and we strongly urge
that in future the councilors of the
different wards be more particular in
this respect, and require the Road Sur-
veyors to insist on all the labor being
properly performed or a satisfactory
explanation given.

WALTER PURDY,
A. STANLEY BROWN,
J. J. BUCKLER.
Ordered that the report of the com-
missioner on Assessment as read be re-
ceived and adopted.
The following is the report.
To the Warden and Councilors of the
Municipality of Annapolis County.
Your committee on Assessment beg
to report as follows:
Having carefully looked into the
claims laid before us, we would recom-
mend that the following persons be re-
lieved of the sums set opposite their
respective names, as illegally assessed.
J. H. Hall, Ward No. 2, on
hotel property, \$2.43
Elias Messenger, Collector Ward
No. 4, District 19, 3.02
Elias Messenger, Collector Ward
No. 6, 4.58
Elias Messenger, Collector Ward
No. 7, 7.05
William Hoop, Collector Ward
No. 8, 13.06
Gilbert Ruggles, Collector Ward
No. 9, 9.87
Butler G. Whisman, Collector
Ward No. 10, 9.08
Herbert Crosby, error in as-
sessment, Ward No. 10, 5.49
Geo. Hills, error in assessment,
Ward No. 10, 6.10
John Grimes, Collector Ward
No. 13, 2.83
Smith Baxter, Collector Ward
No. 14, 1.81
Andrew Shaw, Collector Ward
No. 15, 1.98
\$67.07
Mrs. E. A. Tate, Ward No. 2,
to be of widow's exemption
of \$400, 2.44
\$69.51
JOHN H. CHARLTON,
J. C. GERRIN,
A. D. THOMAS.

Ordered that the report of the com-
missioner on Inmate as read be received
and adopted.
The following is the report:
To the Warden and Councilors of the
Municipality of Annapolis County.
We, your committee on Inmate, beg
to report as follows:
We have examined the accounts re-
ceived from the department of public
works and find as follows:
Amount due Department of
Public Works, Dec. 31,
1905, \$728.52
Expenses for year, 1906, 1,988.94
Cash paid by Treasurer, 1,701.73
Leaving balance due Depart-
ment of Public Works, Dec.
31st, 1906, \$1,015.73
We respectfully recommend that the
sum of \$1,000.00 be placed in the Pre-
sident for 1907, to provide for the
support of the Inmate at Mr. Hope.

W. E. ARMSTRONG,
D. M. OUTHRY,
A. P. NEILLY.
Annapolis, Jan. 9, 1907.
Ordered that in future the County
Asylum be known by the name of the
Annapolis County Hospital for the
Inmate, and the Annapolis County
Alms House be known by the name of
the Annapolis County Home.
Ordered that George Adams be
bridge tender for the Victoria Bridge
for the ensuing year.
Ordered that the salary of the Scott
Act Inspector for the ensuing year be
one hundred and fifty dollars.
Ordered that the seizure of liquor
made by John H. Hall, our former
Scott Act Inspector, if not already
destroyed, be handed over to the
present Scott Act Inspector.
Ordered that the Warden and Fin-
ance Committee be a committee to
draft by-laws relating to automobiles
in this municipality.
Ordered that 100 copies of proceed-
ings be published in pamphlet form
and the proceedings be published in
Monitor, Outlook and Spectator news-
papers, and 100 copies of officers be
printed in sheet form.
Ordered that the Ward Officers as
contained in the lists submitted by the
councilors of their respective
wards be the Ward Officers for the
wards of this Municipality.

Upon reading the petition of Isaac
S. Jones and upwards of twenty
others, freeholders of the County of
Annapolis, asking that a public road
and landing may be laid out from the
highway along the east side of Deep
Brook to the most convenient spot
near the mouth of Deep Brook on
land owned by John Dittmar, it was
ordered that Weston Harris, John D.
Purdy and Edward Winchester be com-
missioners to inquire into the prop-
riety and necessity of said new road
and landing and to perform such du-
ties as may be required by law.
Ordered that By-Law No. 8 be re-
suspended as to section 2 and the
following substituted therefor:
COLLECTION OF RATES.
"Relating to the security to be giv-
en by the collectors of county and
other rates, and the manner and time
of paying in said rates."
Be it ordained by the County Coun-
cil of the Municipality of Annapolis,
1. That all collectors of county and

other rates shall execute a bond writ-
ten in accordance with the
statute before receiving the rate roll
and that each and every collector
shall pay in one-third the amount of
his rate roll to the treasurer on or
before the 1st day of June in each
and every year, a second one-third on
or before the 1st day of September in
each and every year, the balance of
his rate roll shall be paid into the
Treasurer of the Municipality on or
before the 1st day of December. Any
unpaid balance outstanding to bear
interest at current rates."
Ordered that Earl W. Saunders' bill
for fencing the right of way given by
him to the Municipality be settled by
agreement with the Warden and that
the clerk be authorized to issue an or-
der for the payment of the same as
soon as it is settled.
Ordered that the Warden be in-
structed to purchase three new road
machines for the Municipality to be
available for work this present year.
Ordered that the cost of these road
machines be placed on the Presentments
and assessed for this year. The cost of
these machines for the purposes of as-
sessment shall be estimated at \$675.00.
Minutes read and approved.
Adjourned sine die.
G. S. MILLER,
Municipal Clerk.

CHINESE HAVE TURNED
TO CANNIBALISM.
Victoria, B. C. Jan. 26.—Reports
from Shanghai tell of increasing hor-
rors of the great famine in Central
China.
A correspondent of the Echo de
China says that in two districts, Sin-
chow and Paichow, starving people are
eating their children.
Plants and grass, which have fur-
nished food for many, have disappear-
ed, and there are not even roots to
eat.
The famine stricken people are being
driven back to the cities in the fam-
ine district, the officials refusing to
allow of refugees to take the roads.
The correspondent says that cases of
cannibalism are many.
He investigated a number, and many
of them are absolutely correct.
In the absence of ordinary food he
found human flesh actually being sold.

SENATOR LOVITT
NOTED NEW TRIAL.
The supreme court of Halifax on
Saturday gave judgment in Senator
Lovitt's case ordering a new trial of
the accused, who was found guilty last
September of wilfully and knowingly
making false returns to the govern-
ment with respect to the financial
status of the Bank of Yarmouth.
The history of the case is somewhat
as follows: During 1903 and 1904, the
firm of Redding and company, doing a
large boot and shoe business all over
the Dominion and having their factory
at Yarmouth, became heavily indebted
to the Bank of Yarmouth, of which
Senator Lovitt was president, on pa-
per which had been discounted and
dishonored.
Farish, chief accountant, together
with Johns, the cashier of the bank,
instead of classifying the amounts due
from the Reddings as "over-due
debts," placed them in the column of
"current loans in Canada," in their
monthly report which was prepared
for the government. Senator Lovitt,
in his capacity as president of the
bank, signed this report and it was
forwarded to the department of fi-
nance.

The amount of the Reddings' indebt-
edness to the bank was far in excess
of the bank's capital.
Toward the last of November, 1904,
the firm of Redding and company be-
came insolvent, thus causing, as a ne-
cessary consequence, the failure of the
Bank of Yarmouth, their heaviest
debtor.
Both Farish and Johns, who made
up the reports, were trusted employes,
the former having been chief account-
ant for twenty years and the latter
having been cashier for upwards of
thirty years.
In signing the return to the govern-
ment Senator Lovitt is alleged to
have knowingly and wilfully made a
false return. He was tried at the last
September's sittings, of the supreme
court at Tuskety by Mr. Justice Long-
ley with a jury.
The jury found him guilty of the of-
fense charged in the indictment and
Mr. Justice Longley reserved a case
for the consideration of the court en
banche.
If the new trial takes place in Yar-
mouth it will be held on June 25th,
but in view of what was said by Mr.
Justice Meagher there will probably
be a change of venue to some other
county.

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Among Our Neighbors

BELLEISLE.

Capt. A. D. Munro left last week to take charge of the schooner Margaret Riley, bound for Cuba.
 Miss Sadie Gomer is visiting Miss Sadie Edwards at Annapolis Royal.
 Miss Annie Bent entertained a number of her relatives and friends on Friday evening last at a birthday tea.
 Mrs. J. Russell Longmire of Kansas, was visiting relatives here last week.
 Mr. A. Clifford Bent is spending a few days with friends at Torbrook.
 Our respected citizen Mr. Gilbert A. Ray who has been confined to his home during the winter from inflammatory rheumatism, is able to return to state in a very happy state.
 The many friends of Mrs. George B. Gomer who has been most seriously indisposed during the past year, will be pleased to learn she is slowly recovering.

A most noticeable feature of our winter so far is the almost total absence of the October or Arctic Snow bird, which usually appear in large numbers with the advent of winter.
 Mr. J. Robie Parker has returned from Halifax, whither he accompanied his brother, Vernon, who has undergone a successful operation for appendicitis at the Victoria General Hospital.
 On Friday evening last the young folk of Belleisle enjoyed a delightful party to Granville Ferry where they were highly entertained at the hospitable home of Mrs. F. W. Crosser.
 W. E. Bent spent a few days at Smith's Cove last week.
 Burrill Bros. of Clementsvale, are pressing a large quantity of hay in this vicinity.
 Miss Lena Parker has returned from a week's visit with friends at Round Hill and Tupperville.
 Miss Vera Hudson has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Walton Hudson.

GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Miss Ethel M. Patton left on Monday last to take charge of the school in Brooklyn, Annapolis county, for the remainder of the term.
 Avar Morrison, of Alberta, is spending a few months with his aunt, Mrs. Albert Withers.
 Mrs. Wm. F. Gillatt, who has been quite ill, is much better.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Mills entertained a number of their friends on the evening of the 28th, it being the tenth anniversary of their marriage.
 Miss Ida Roney spent a few days of last week in Lower Granville.
 Mrs. E. S. Dodge is quite ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Troop.
 Mr. Albert Withers is around again after being confined to the house about three weeks, as a result of being jammed against the side of a stall by the horse he was tending.
 One new member was initiated in Seymour Division Saturday 2nd. Next Saturday evening is "Brothers Night" and a good time is anticipated.
 The W. M. A. S. for the month of February will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Withers, Thursday afternoon, February 7th.

HAMPTON.

Reuben Chute and Frank Messenger have returned to their schooner which is loading at Weymouth. Henry Chute has joined the same schooner.
 Mr. Eskiel Messenger was lately visiting at Mr. John Titus's.
 Everett Stovall and wife of Clarence, were visiting Mrs. Henry Chute quite recently.

PORT WADE.

Mrs. Clarence Ryder has returned from an extended visit in Lynn, Mass. Albert Hudson is employed with Victor Porter lumbering, where they are getting a large cut ready for the steam saw mill.

We are not quite certain about the S. S. Seale being purchased by the MacKenzie Mann Co., but we understand they are negotiating for a smaller boat for the bay route here.
 Large quantities of ice have been coming down river.
 Fishermen are getting their vessels in readiness for an early start in March.

Capt. John Apt has his vessel hauled up at Digby where he is repairing her now.
 Considerable quantities of lobsters are being trapped at this port.

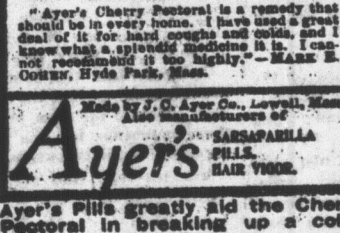
Rev. Mr. Kinley had a donation from the church at this place recently when a purse of \$107.50 was presented him.

Thomas Burke is quite ill at this writing.
 We are anticipating some business being done here next summer. Hotels, warehouses, etc., will probably be built.

Clarence Ryder has gone to Lynn, Mass., seeking employment there.
 Leonard Ryder has been delivering picture frames up the bay recently.

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LAWRENCETOWN.

Frank Palfrey has taken a position in the Union Bank.
 Vernon Shaffer, son of R. J. Shaffer, is quite ill.
 Messrs. J. B. Bishop, Wm. Marshall and Oscar Whitman have returned from Massachusetts after two months' visit.
 Rev. F. W. Pickles, son and daughter, of Yarmouth, took possession of their residence, recently purchased here, last week. We extend a welcome to the new household and family.
 Mrs. Una Hall has returned from Digby after a two weeks' visit.
 The eldest son of Mr. John Howard is seriously ill.
 Rev. J. H. Toole occupied the Methodist pulpit last Sabbath, the Rev. Wm. Brown having to fill an appointment at Yarmouth.
 The eldest daughter of Mr. F. O. Foster is quite ill.
 Miss Freddie Oswald will entertain a number of her young friends this evening.
 Mrs. John Clark returned to Truro today.

Messrs. T. H. Reid and I. A. Whitman have been taking an inventory of the stock of the late W. E. Palfrey and the same has been offered on Monday tender.

The infant son of Mr. and W. R. Prince is quite ill.
 Our literary society is getting up a drama to be given, we understand, next month.

Our two apple warehouses are busy these days, getting apples ready for market.

Mr. Louis Sontagate, of Springfield, paid his many friends here a few days visit last week.

Mrs. S. E. Bancroft has been quite ill, but is much improved at time of writing.

Master Ronald Bishop gives a birthday party this afternoon to a number of young friends.

Averages of High School grades for second quarter ending February 1st, 1907:

GRADE XI.	
Kathleen James	95
Pauline Hall	87
Eva Daniels	86
Lanart Whinyard	86
Willie Brown	83
Verna McNayr	81
GRADE X.	
Ethel Phinney	96
Myrna Stoddard	85
Blanche Bishop	85
Charlie Miller	81
Fred Bishop	78
Eva Jefferson	77
Ray Balcom	77
Alvin Darling	72
Walter Morse	72
Wilfred Baker	66
George Hatt	65
Lulu Darling	59
Froeman Hatt	56
GRADE IX.	
Winnie Feltus	90
Vernon Darling	88
Eva Crawford	86
Wilbur Phinney	83
Hazel Balcom	81
Blanche Balcom	81
Kitty Daniels	81
Lola Darling	76
Lizma MacLeod	69
Sadie Parker	62
Irving Hall	58

LOWER GRANVILLE.

Miss Ida Pynn, of Clementsvale, is the guest of Miss Etta Shaffer.

A whist party at Mr. George Oliver's on Friday evening was greatly enjoyed by a large company.

Miss Annie Pickles, of Granville Ferry, is visiting friends here.

Miss Carrie Bogart goes to Truro on Tuesday to attend the Normal school. Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. Robert J. Blair to Miss Evelyn D. Young, on Monday, the 11th inst., at 11 a. m.

February Cash Clearance Sale

Owing to the continuing mild weather we find ourselves overstocked with many lines of seasonable goods and we propose to clear them out regardless of cost to make room for Spring Goods . . .

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Ladies' Furs

Ladies' Dog Skin Jackets	Regular price, \$30.00	Sale price \$23.25
Ladies' Dog-Skin Jackets	Regular price \$37.50	Sale price \$29.00
Ladies' Columbia Coon Jackets	Regular price \$32.00	Sale price \$23.00
Ladies' Columbia Coon Jackets	Regular price \$30.00	Sale price \$19.25
Ladies' Jap Mink Stole, 60 inches long	Regular price \$4.25	Sale price \$2.95
Ladies' Jap Mink Stole, 80 inches long	Regular price \$7.75	Sale price \$5.05
Ladies' Jap Mink Stole, 75 inches long	Regular price \$12.75	Sale price \$8.25
Ladies' Jap Mink Stole, 90 inches long	Regular price \$18.00	Sale price \$12.90
Ladies' Jap Mink Stole, 90 inches long	Regular price, \$24.00	Sale price, \$18.50

Ladies' Jackets

All new goods, only 7 in the lot.
 Regular price \$2.95, 3.95, 5.30, 8.00, 10.50, 12.00, 14.00.
 Sale price \$2.65, 2.75, 3.50, 5.00, 7.50, 10.00, 10.20.

One lot of Jackets left from last year, prices run from \$5.00 to \$11.00. Now going at \$2.50 to \$5.50.

Ladies' Flannelette Night Robes

Regular prices 75, 85, 90, 1.00.
 Sale prices 57, 62, 69, 78

Ladies' Wool Vests

Regular prices, 30, 50, 55, 75, 90, 85.
 Sale prices, 23, 37, 40, 52, 65, 59.

Ladies' Wool Drawers

Regular price, 40, 50, 58, 75, 90.
 Sale price, 23, 37, 40, 53, 68.

Sale Starts Friday, January 18th

SNAP IN TABLE LINENS

1 lot Unbleached, 46 in wide Pure linen Per yd 25C

1 lot Unbleached, 60 in wide Pure linen Per yd 30C

1 lot Unbleached, 72 in wide Pure linen Per yd 39C

Bought specially for this sale from a manufacturer who was obliged to retire from business. No other goods but new goods from the mill. You save \$35 on this sale.

One lot White Shirts, Night Robes and Corset Covers, slightly soiled at 50 per cent. (half price)

Ladies' Wrappers

Regular price, \$1.10, 1.35.
 Sale price, 75, 95.

Men's and Boys' Underwear

Stanfield's Thru Underwear.
 Regular prices, 65, 70, 75, 85, 95.
 Sale prices, 47, 52, 55, 59, 70.

Reg. prices, \$1.35, 1.45, 1.50, 1.75.
 Sale price, 95, 1.10, 1.15, 1.25.

Watson's Health Brand and Pen Angle Underwear at special prices

Regular prices, 50, 60, 75, 80, 95, \$1.00, 1.25, 1.30.
 Sale prices, 37, 45, 57, 60, 70, 75, 95, 1.00.

Gen's Gloves

Regular prices, 60, 90, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.25.
 Sale prices, 45, 65, 1.00, 1.30, 1.50, 1.68.

500 prs Boys' pants (Eton Brand)

Regular price from 45c. to \$1.25.
 Sale price, from 37c. to 95c.

1 Gent's Raccoon Coat Regular Price 55.00

This Sale \$40.00

1 Gent's Russian Dog Skin Coat Regular Price \$20.00 now \$15.00

2 Gent's Saskatchewan Coats Regular Price \$16.00 now \$12.00

Ladies' Cashmere and Wool Hose

Reg. Price; 25c 30c 35c 40c 50c Sale Price; 19c 20c 23c 30c 37c.

Children's Cashmere and Wool Hose

Reg. Prices 15c. 18c 20c 25c 30c 35c 38c 40c; Sale 11c 13c 15c 19c 21c 23c 30c.

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