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branches carefully and promptly attended
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J. B. WHITMAN,

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Desire to inform the people of Bridgetown and
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office next to Dr. Bellin's office on Greenville
Street, where he is in the building. My
pair all kinds of watches and clocks, and
repair and moderate charges to merit a
fair share of public patronage.

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX

INCORPORATED 1856.
Capital Authorized, - \$5,000,000
Capital Subscribed, - 1,536,100
Capital Paid Up, - 1,326,298
Reserve Fund, - 925,000

DIRECTORS:
Wm. Robertson, President.
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BRIDGETOWN BRANCH.

CORRESPONDENTS:
Bank of Toronto and Branches, Canada.
National Bank of Commerce, New York.
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London and Westminster Bank, London, England.

Special attention is directed to the
COMPARATIVE STATEMENT below
showing the progress made by this Bank
in the past sixteen years, also the increase
of business in the last year.

STATEMENT

	1887	1903	1904
Capital	\$ 200,000	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,536,100
Reserve Fund	40,000	850,000	925,000
Deposits	67,461	8,115,648	8,582,451
Dividends	18,416	7,743,000	1,248,000
Loans	78,889	6,642,289	7,007,469
Real Estate	22,119	10,716	10,716
Liabilities	301,439	7,137,178	8,114,280
Assets	1,268,200	8,150,718	8,777,420

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT
Interest allowed at highest current rate,
which is now 3 1/2 per cent. Compounded
twice a year—viz., July 31st and January
31st. Interest allowed on Deposit Receipts.

EATEN HOT OR COLD

If you do not care to eat it cold,
Eat it hot.

Orange Meat

Can be taken either way. If hot, place in hot oven
for a few moments, or serve with
warm milk or cream.

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT

Select Literature.

Cora Jane Traxel's Library.

When Cora Jane Traxel was six
years old people began to notice that
she was unlike other children. "You
could not imagine a child was any-
where around. Ain't you never afraid
you won't be able to bring her up,
Miss Traxel?"

Cora Jane's mother glanced quickly
at the little, thin figure in the door-
way, and her tired face twitched.
"I can't make her out," she con-
fessed. "There ain't none of the other
children like her, nor never was. She
ain't sick as I can see—only brooding,
and me in mind of the way ma used
to set day in and day out, thinking
'bout back East. Ma never gets over
comin' out here; she was too old to
change at her time of life. It maddled
her 'most to death to drive over to
the 'kairie. 'You can get twenty miles,'
she said, 'and when you stop you'll be
just where you was at first!' Cora
Jane grows more like ma every day.
I often think if she hadn't been here,
and never known nothing else,
I'd say she was homesick. But bein'
as it can't be that, I dunno what 'tis."
Her faded eyes dimmed with tears
and her voice was heavy with discour-
agement.

"Pears like I've got my hands
full enough without having to worry
over Cora Jane," she said.
Cora Jane stirred and loo'd back
into the room. Both women were sil-
ent with sudden confusion, though it
was well known that the child, when
wrapped in one of her moods, never
noticed what was being said around
her.

"Turning so, she revealed a thin, dark
face lighted by a pair of eager, gray
eyes. In spite of its thinness there
was no trace of ill health in it, and
there were lines of insipient strength
about the small, square chin. "These
things people never noticed, they
saw only the eyes."
"Did you want anything, Cora
Jane?" her mother asked.
Cora Jane stood rigidly before her,
she did not notice the visitor.
"I want to go to school," she said.
Mrs. Traxel laughed, half proud, half
provoked.

"How do you know?" she asked.
"I know because I do!" Cora Jane
cried, impatiently. "I fell it all
through me. But you see it just
breaks off—that there's got to be some-
ing else somewhere?"
"Teacher never said so," Arletta
replied, bewildered.
"I'm going to ask him!" Cora Jane
retorted, instantly.

She rushed up to the desk with her
ruler—it was recess just then—and
poured out her questions. The teacher
that term was Pierce Freeman, who
was working through college in the
way that has conspired late many a
time in the world's history—studying
until his money gave out, and then
stopping and working until he had
enough for the next term. So he
knew a little of books; if it had been
one of the big girls who taught some-
times, Cora Jane's discovery would
have had to wait long for confirmation
—as it was, she walked back to her
seat fairly stupefied at the vision that
had been suddenly revealed to her.
Arletta had to jogg her elbow several
times before she could get an answer.

"What did he say, Cora Jane?"
Cora Jane asked.
"I asked you what teacher said."
Cora Jane drew a long breath and
looked down her eyes that Arletta
never had seen there before.
"He said—oh, Arletta! he said that
it was part of a book—that everything

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"I do want to go to school so!" she
sobbed to herself.
And the next day she went.
The magic hours of life often come heralded
by despair. After Cora Jane's
troubled eyes had yielded to sleep that
night, her father and mother really
'talked it over, and in the morning,
she learns that she and Viola were to
start in at school that day. Cora
Jane flashed into radiance; it never
touched her consciousness—or rather,
it was an odd happiness—that Viola,
two years younger, was to be given at
once the wonderful privilege for which
she had pleaded and suffered so long.
This was because Cora Jane, through
these unremembered ancestors, claimed
kinship with earth's finest noblemen,
whose badge of rank in eagerness to
share their wealth with others.

Cora Jane, with Viola's plump,
brown fingers clasping her thin ones,

there is part of a book—that there's
books and books' some people in cities
have rooms with the walls all covered
with them. And they call them li-
braries."
"Oh, my!" gasped Arletta, awe-
struck.
Cora Jane grasped her wrist ex-
citedly.

"Teacher says when he goes back
next winter he'll send me a book all
or her own. And Arletta, she said,
"I'll cover it to-night," Cora Jane
said, joyfully.

From that day Cora Jane lived with
Tennyson. To no one else within a
hundred miles would that pink
calico left from Viola's dress."
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said, joyfully.

When at sixteen, Cora Jane took
her seat in the little school house,
and the children looked out of
adoring eyes and called her teacher,
there was one study she taught which
it is safe to say was pursued in no
other school-house in the State; it
was a course in Tennyson. Not that
she knew it. It was just that, in her
old, eager fashion, she must share her
riches; so she could not keep to her-
self the love of beauty and of honor
that had come to her. Even the boys
sat very still when, her face full of
vivid lights and her voice teeming
with emotion, she read the "Charge of
the Light Brigade," and the "Defense
of Lucknow." Cora Jane had had her
Tennyson two years, and she still slept
with it under her pillow.

It never came to her as a possibility
that she could lose it. The very au-
tumn day that she went down to the
school master, but no book came.
He had not forgotten Cora Jane—he
had come, and she learned faster
than ever, but her one great burning
wish was to have him go back to the
city and send her her book. Finally
he went, and then Cora Jane had
had come, and she learned faster
than ever, but her one great burning
wish was to have him go back to the
city and send her her book.

For the next months Cora Jane had
to school her eager soul to patience.
Pierce Freeman was very kind, and,
recognizing in the Traxel girl a spirit
smitten with the same divine thirst
that tortured him, he gave her the
best he knew. Cora Jane tried to be
appreciative and she learned faster
than ever, but her one great burning
wish was to have him go back to the
city and send her her book.

It took months to beat the hope out
of Cora Jane's heart, but she gave up
at last. Then for nights she lay awake
trying to think of some way to earn
money and get the book for herself. Her
mother's rare purchases were all made
by barter and there were no books in
the stock-in-trade at Pope & Bucklin's.
Books belonged to other places—to
down East, from gentlemen and a lady—
did not go to, but walked back and forth
on the platform. Cora Jane watched
them, especially the lady; there was
something so bright and graceful and
sure about her, and her voice was so
clear. Cora Jane was not conscious
that she could start on her happy home-
ward path again.

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extermination of the potato beetle or
other insects, should bear in mind that
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And said not one word. Suddenly the
little lady understood.
"Oh, my dear!" she cried. "And I
was taking this so earnestly!"
The quiet tears came to her eyes.
"You shall have the loveliest Tenny-
son that I can find in Denver," she
promised.

Cora Jane lifted her head proudly.
"It ain't make any difference—much,"
she said. "I'm going to have a li-
brary book of my own." She spoke as if
the money were already in her hand. "The
girls all want it now and some of the
boys," she added, her face lighting at
the thought.

Her new friend looked at her with a
bright smile. "I am sure that you
will have it," she said.
A week later all Pope's Crossing was
excited over two packages that had
come for Cora Jane Traxel. One con-
tained half a dozen volumes of the
poets, beautifully bound. These all
went to her, and she was to have the
other was much larger and contained
thirty books in a wooden case, and a
letter that came with it explained
that Pope's Crossing was to use the
books six months and then they would
be exchanged for another set.

It was all very wonderful; there
were people who called it luck. Even
the little lady's husband said quizz-
ically to her, one day:
"And if you hadn't happened to
speak of your Tennyson just then, or
if Cora Jane had happened to come
half an hour earlier or later, or even
if you hadn't forgotten the book in
the first place—"

But the little lady shook her head
confidently.
"If I hadn't happened, somebody else
would have," she said. "While she
had been slower, but the end would
have been the same. When anybody
loves a thing the way that girl loves
books, things have to happen!"—Mabel
Nelson Thurston in Young People's
Weekly.

**Cautions Concerning the Use of Paris
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Sad Drowning Tragedy.

Two Prominent St. John Men Lost
Their Lives—Another Miraculously
Rescued.

Gloom was thrown over the city of
St. John on Monday afternoon by tele-
grams from the neighborhood of Dro-
moco Lake, stating that John H.
Thomson, one of the leading business
men, and one of the wealthiest citizens
of St. John, R. P. Foster, manager of
the St. John branch of the Royal
Bank, and E. P. Stavert, clerk in the
Bank of New Brunswick, and brother
of the manager of that bank, were
drowned.

In the case of Mr. Stavert the report
proved incorrect, as though he had a
tragic experience and a narrow escape
from death, he survived to tell the
story of the accident by which his two
companions were drowned. Mr. Stavert,
Mr. Thomson and Mr. Foster were
with a party camping out at the
South Branch Ormoco Lake in the
vicinity of St. John and set out for a
sail on Sunday afternoon. They were
struck by a squall which captured the
boat. The occupants struggled with
the waves till two were exhausted and
sank, while the other braved the
rough sea for a distance of three-quarters
of a mile and succeeded in reaching the
shore.

Following is the remarkable story
told by Mr. Stavert:
He said that a squall overtook
their boat and all three were thrown
into the water. They struggled for
half an hour to cling to the craft, for
the wind was lashing the waters and
knocking the boat about. Foster was
the first to feel the weakening effects
of the struggle and Stavert made an
effort to help him, for Stavert and Foster
were both good swimmers.

Clinging with one hand to the boat,
Stavert clasped Foster's hand in his
other, but the waves drove them apart.
Again they gripped and manœuvre
Thomson worked his way along the boat
to help, but the icy water was
chilling Foster and he could not hold
out. He told his companions he was
sinking and then quietly went beneath
the waves.

Thomson was weighted with heavy
boots and coat, but clung to the
stem. Stavert decided to swim ashore
and as he did so Thomson cried out
that the anchor was dragging the boat
down and she was sinking. He was
then clinging to the stern.

Stavert then struck out for the shore
three-quarters of a mile away, and it
was a life and death struggle with
wind and wave. He won, but when he
reached the shore sank exhausted and
his name left him.

When he came to himself it was evening
and he started into the woods, for
a cold wind swept the shore and he lay
in the woods all night.

This morning, exhausted, half star-
ved, not knowing which way to turn,
his mind wandering from the effects of
his experience he staggered about
shooting, and at five o'clock when he
was found he was almost gone. He
was so weak he could retain hardly any
food given him, but at last re-
ports were better.

John H. Thomson was a son of the
late Wm. Thomson, a brother of Robt.
Thomson, and a member of the firm of
Wm. Thomson & Co. He was born in
1848 and in 1877 was married to Miss
Thompson, daughter of the late Wesley
Thompson. He has two sons, a son,
R. P. Stavert, and a daughter,
Miss Muriel. He was reputed one of
the wealthiest men in the city, and was
one of its most active business men.
He was an enthusiastic sportsman, and
was a member of the St. John's Club.
In politics he was a Presbyterian and in
politics a pronounced Liberal.

He was one of the owners of the club-
house at the South Branch Ormoco
where the accident occurred, and every
summer spent there several times fish-
ing. Besides the big shipping interests
of Wm. Thomson & Co., who own the
Battle Line steamers, Mr. Thomson
was also interested in other companies.
He was one of the owners of the Bear
Gold mine, Nova Scotia.

St. J. Foster, Manager of the Royal
Bank of Canada here, was a son of
the late E. H. Foster of St. Martin's,
N. B. He was a clerk in the Bank of
New Brunswick here some years ago,
and steadily progressed. Joining the
Royal Bank of Canada, at Fredericton,
and some months ago was promoted
to the management of the Bank here.
He married a daughter of J. Fred
Lawton of this city, and she and five
children survive. One of the brothers
is E. P. Stavert, and another Fred.
Foster of Kerr & Robertson, hardware.
Mr. Foster was thirty-five years old.

A Dead Time Feeling

And utter weakness are due to the
blood being weakened through faulty
action of the kidneys and liver. It's a
surplus of energy, loss of red vitaliz-
ing blood you need, and it can be ac-
quired quickly by using Ferronol, the
greatest strengthening tonic made.
"No tonic equals Ferronol," writes
H. E. Jennings of Westport. "Last
spring I was tired and depressed, had
backache and lacked strength. Ferronol
soon brought me to good health and
made me well." Price 50c. at drug-
gists.

—Environment has much to do with
one's amiability. It is easy to smile
and speak kindly when everything is
all sunshine, but it requires an effort
to be joyous amidst distasteful sur-
roundings, sickness, financial difficul-
ties and various troubles. Yet there is
the stronger and more glorious char-
acter, which battles bravely with dis-
appointed hopes, that seek after some
ray of light when all is darkness;
such must grow stronger and by their
very faith and perseverance reach the
level where others succumb in sadness
never attain.

When All Others Fail

To relieve constipated headache, fast
try Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Vancouver,
and Butternut. Wonderfully prompt,
and never cause griping pains. For
headache and biliousness use only Dr.
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We are sure that our views
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cigars to make money.
We sell them to make
friends—and money too in
the long run. We want to
get smokers into the store
and let them judge what
kind of a business we
conduct by the kind of a cigar
they get. In cigars, as in
drugs, we get the best that
money can buy.

Royal Pharmacy

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Bridgetown, N. S.

Two Japanese Warships Lost.

Tokio, May 19—9:30 p.m.—Vice-Ad-
miral Togo has reported as follows:
"A report from Rear Admiral Dewa
says that the cruisers 'Kangas' and
'Yoshino' collided during a fog off
Fort Arthur on May 15th. The 'Yo-
shino' sank, only ninety of her crew
being saved."
"On the same day the battleship
'Hatsuse' struck a Russian mine and
sank."
Giving details of the disaster, Vice-
Admiral Togo says:
"At fourteen minutes past one in the
afternoon on May 15, in a deep fog off
Fort Arthur, the 'Kangas' rammed the
'Yoshino,' striking the latter in a few
minutes. Ninety of her crew were
saved."
"The same morning the 'Hatsuse,'
while cruising off Port Arthur cover-
ing the landing of the soldiers, struck
a mine ten knots south-east of the en-
trance of the harbor. She signalled
for help and instantly struck another
mine. She sank in half an hour.
Three hundred of her crew were saved
by torpedo boats."
The loss of the "Hatsuse" is of the
utmost importance, according to it
the general staff, members of which point
out to the Associated Press that it
means the equilibrium of the sea.
Despite the number of casualties in
the Russian fleet, it has really only
lost one battleship, the "Petropav-
lovsk" and "Caracovitch" were torpedoed
at the beginning of the war, but both
these battleships were safely towed in-
to Port Arthur. The damage they sus-
tained was serious, but repairs have
been in progress since then, and

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WEDNESDAY, June 1st, 1904.

The absence of grubs and caterpillars in the orchards this season has been so marked as to be the subject of comment on the part of many farmers. Various reasons have been assigned for this, among them being that the spraying carried on by many orchardists was beginning to have effect and that the insects destroyed by this means in the past two or three years were having a visible effect on the number in evidence this year. We are inclined to regard this season, and if no better can be advanced it will afford encouragement for Farmers' Associations, Agricultural Societies and the Agricultural Department of the government, who are working in conjunction for the promotion of improved methods of agriculture and horticulture. Our farmers have shown a commendable willingness to adopt anything giving promise of increased returns, and it is pleasing to know that such marked results can be pointed out in connection with the practical working of these advanced theories.

Inhabitants of the Annapolis Valley are now in the full enjoyment of one of the forms of pleasure that the great fruitfulness of this part of Nova Scotia bestows. To those of more material characteristics the chief pleasure will lie in the abundant promise for next autumn's harvest. The bloom has already reached a stage that ensures a high average of young fruit, which in most cases has already set. This has opened many bright from frost or other climatic conditions, and old farmers say that they do not remember a season when all the conditions were so favorable for a large yield of fruit. It is, of course, too early in the season to consider this by any means assured, but the tendency at the present time is to rejoice in the apparent promising conditions and trust the future for the rest. The land is already beginning to be thirsty and there is need of rain, though up to the present no damage has arisen from this source. On the rain fall for the next month, however, hangs the fate of the season's crops, whether of orchard or field.

It is the exception rather than the rule for newspaper readers to take a very deep interest in the editorial column. This statement will apply more particularly, perhaps, to town and city readers than to those of the country. It is not uncommon, therefore, to find the farmer or countryman with letter matured ideas of large questions than his town or city compatriot. This may not be from ideas gained from the editorial road, but the reading of them often stimulates his thoughts and aids him in developing his own ideas. We are blessed in the fact that we live in an educated community, among a people who once they begin to think are capable of forming correct judgments and sound opinions. These people have been as progressive in their ideas as the age and their opportunity demands in a question open to argument. If the press of the country is to be considered worthy of the high place accorded it as a leader of the people, the men on whom devolves the duty of directing the thought and the aim of a Nova Scotia journal of to-day must be men thoroughly imbued with the grand possibilities of this province by the sea, and having such a conception, assert it fairly and manfully. With this issue the present writer severs his connection with The Monitor. With his errors be merciful; in his criticisms, just; our successes be such a man as we have described. We live in an age of progress and for him we would bespeak the hearty cooperation of all the thinking minds of Annapolis County in other words, the readers of the Monitor. Your interest will aid him, your friendly criticism will guide. Our connection with The Monitor has been to us a brief and pleasant incident. In our departure we are happy in the thought that the interests of this community will be better served, and that we leave behind some few friends as milestones on the pathway of life.

Grand Farmers' Meeting at Middleton.

The Nova Scotia Fruit Growers' Association and the Annapolis County Farmers' Association are to combine forces on Wednesday, June 2nd. The Fruit Growers will take that opportunity to hold one of their summer orchard meetings, and the County Farmers' Association will convene in regular annual meeting. The afternoon will be spent for a demonstration of power spraying under government officials with object lessons on orchard management. The annual meeting of the Annapolis County Farmers' Association will be held at 10 o'clock in the morning and all members and persons interested are requested to be present at that meeting for election of officers, directors, etc.

Agricultural societies of the county are requested to send five or more delegates to this meeting. The evening meeting will be addressed by some of the best speakers in the Dominion on practical subjects akin to agriculture and horticulture. If coming by train, secure a standard certificate and have it signed by the Secretary of the meeting. Take this chance to learn something from the best authorities. R. J. MESSENGER, Secty. A. C. F. A.

An Ottawa despatch says that the contract for the construction of the pier of the western terminus of the Middleton and Victoria Beach Railway has been awarded to Messrs. Reid & Archibald, of Halifax, at the price of \$200,000. It is expected that work will be commenced at once and vigorously prosecuted, as it is incumbent upon the contractors to have the pier completed within a year in order that it may be ready at the time the railway will be put in operation.

Local and Special News.

One carload of extra drain pipe at reduced prices. Kael Freeman. Cabbage and Tomato Plants for sale at W. W. Chesley's. For sale: A lot of Pigs, three weeks old and over. Geo. L. Pearson, Paradise.

The combators, brakemen, engineers and firemen of the D. N. R. are to receive a substantial increase in their pay.

A Y. M. C. A. Base Ball league has been formed between teams from Bridgetown, Lawrencetown, Middleton and Kingston. League games will probably be begun about the middle of June.

The death of Thomas Hutt Bird, late of Coventry, England, occurred at Richmond, N. B., on the 21st inst. at the age of seventy. He was the father of Mr. Thos. Bird and Miss Bird, of this town.

Mr. Ward Jewett was informed by telegram on Monday of the death of Mrs. McDonald, his wife's mother, Mayville, N. B., on that date. Mrs. Jewett has been with her mother for the past couple of weeks.

Quite a large crew of men and teams arrived here on Saturday evening from Mahone Bay, and are now at work on the M. & V. B. Railway. They will work on a five mile contract from Bridgetown West through Granville.

The Royal Pharmacy on Queen St. is prominent in a nicely painted front door last week by Mr. Chas. Wilson, and a new sign across the building, the work of Stephen Porter. Both improvements add greatly to the exterior appearance of the building.

Rev. W. N. States was in town last Saturday in the interest of the African celebration to be held at Halifax, July 1st. Among the notable speakers who will be present are: Lieut. Gov. Jones, Mayor Crosby, Attorney-General Longley, R. L. Borden, M. P., Wm. Roach, M. P., and others.

The trophy presented by L. D. Shafter to the winners in the Y. M. C. A. Basket Ball League of Annapolis County is on exhibition in the window of S. N. Wear's drug store. It is a sterling silver plate on a shield of quartered oak. The inscription reads: "Presented by L. D. Shafter to the Clerks' Team, Champions of Basket Ball League, Annap. Co., 1903-1904."

The Bridgetown Civilian Rifle Association have finally located a range. It is situated about a mile from town, on the South Mountain. Messrs. Whitman and Dudley surveyed it on Monday. We are informed that there is an elevation of about one foot in seventy-five. The work of constructing the range will go forward at once.

A telephone message from Granville Ferry, yesterday, announced the drowning of E. J. Young, of Lower Granville, a retired sea captain and postmaster at Knapdale. He had gone fishing and was not returning as expected, search was made and his boat was found tied to the wharf, but no sign of the missing man. His son, who is in the United States, has been telegraphed for. He has a wife, two sons and two daughters living.

Last Monday evening's session of Olive Branch was an interesting one. Three new members were initiated, and the Order was favored with a visit from the P. G. W. P. of Massachusetts, Mr. Fred E. Bath. The "Good of the Order" was in the hands of Mrs. Leslie, who launched the first issue of the Division paper which bore the name of "The Olive Branch." The paper had its different departments, and the whole affair was bright and witty.

An apparently new species of apple tree has made its appearance in some of the orchards here and threatens to do considerable damage. It seems to be smaller and attacks the trunk much higher from the ground than the ordinary variety. R. J. Messenger, Secty. of the A. C. F. A., has written to Dr. Fletcher of the Central Experimental Farm, for his opinion regarding the proper treatment for combating them and has promised the Monitor the reply for publication.

A meeting of representatives of the Civilian Rifle Association of Granville, Round Hill and Bridgetown, was held at Bridgetown last Friday afternoon to arrange a series of competitions for the summer, and the following program was agreed to. There will be three matches during the summer, the first to be held at Round Hill, July 1st; the second at Granville Ferry, August 10th; and the third at Bridgetown, Sept. 5th, and the shooting will be at 200, 500 and 600 yards. Each team will consist of twelve men and the competition will begin at 1 o'clock sharp. The home team will supply the necessary ammunition and will also provide the officials to be in charge for the day.

Mr. W. I. Troop had an exciting adventure on Monday, and considers himself most fortunate in escaping serious injury. While attempting to load a four-year-old steer which he had just purchased, the animal became vicious and attacked him furiously. In his first attack it caught him on its horns and tossed him in the air. Fortunately he passed over the animal and landed on his feet on the other side. The second attack he dodged, but the third he was not so lucky. He was thrown by the horns before he could renew the attack. As soon as it was possible Mr. Troop succeeded in getting away from the animal and kept out of his way. He escaped injury beyond having the skin on his left side broken, numerous small bruises and a bad fright.

The Young Men's Christian Association reading room has been well patronized during the past year. The subscriptions for the magazines for the next year have been sent in and several new magazines and periodicals have been added to last year's list. The following is a list of those now received: Harper's Monthly, Harper's Weekly, McClure's, Cosmopolitan, Argosy, Success, Independent, Canadian Digest, Pluck, Bee's Horn, Judge, Christian Herald, Association Men, Christian Advocate, Saturday Evening Post, American Boy, Youth's Companion, Outlook, Munsey's Star Monthly. Also a number of daily and weekly newspapers. Should any person wish to secure any of these magazines or newspapers, they may have them at greatly reduced rates. A few of these are donated to the Y. M. C. A. after they have been used at home; others would be acceptable.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Robt. Inglis, of Montreal, is at the Grand Central. Mr. J. K. Craig spent Sunday with friends at Victoria Beach. Miss Annie Young, of Paradise, spent last week with friends at Clements-point. Mrs. Annie Crowe, of Annapolis, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allan Crowe. Mrs. B. M. Williams and daughter, Kathleen, are visiting Mrs. Isaac Harsh, at Lequill.

Miss Lee Lloyd went on Monday to attend the Commencement Exercises at Acadia College, Wolfville.

Mrs. H. J. Crowe and Miss Quirk left on Saturday for Wolfville, to be present at the closing exercises of Acadia.

Mrs. Besie Elderkin is visiting her former home at Wolfville, and Miss Winnie Hoyt is in charge of the Central Book Store.

Mrs. J. H. Spurr has returned from Cuba, where she has spent the past winter, and is visiting her relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Fair and little daughter were in town yesterday, having just returned from a fishing trip in the vicinity of Albany Cross.

The Misses Pratt leave to-day on a visit in the States. Miss Lydia will remain several weeks in Boston, while Miss Katherine will visit the St. Louis Exposition.

Mr. Arthur Johnston, son of A. C. Johnston, Esq., of Dartmouth, has been visiting his uncle, Mr. S. S. Ruggles and other relatives here during the past week.

Mr. Herman R. Young leaves to-day for Halifax, where he has accepted a position with W. B. Arthur & Co., wholesale hardware merchants, and will represent that firm along the South Shore.

J. L. DeVany, who for some months past has occupied the position of editor of The Monitor, goes to-day to Halifax, where he will take a position on The Suburban, published at Rockingham, Halifax County.

Rev. H. How, of Annapolis, exchanged pulpits with Rev. E. Underwood on Sunday last, and delivered eloquent discourses at morning and evening services in St. James' Church, and at St. Mary's Church, Bellisle, in the afternoon.

In the results of the May examinations at the Maritime Business College, Halifax, we notice among those successful the name of Miss Laura B. Morrison, of Springdale, Annapolis County. Miss Morrison remains in Halifax to try the senior examinations at the end of June. We wish her success.

Hon. Mr. Emerson arrived at Windsor Junction in his private car Saturday, and proceeded to Wolfville for the commencement exercises at Acadia. On Monday, accompanied by a large party of young friends he went to Annapolis where the party spent the time between trains at Fort Anne. Their car was picked up by the east-bound D. A. R. express and returned to Wolfville.

Y. M. C. A. Finances.

The Y. M. C. A. financial year closed the first of May. The books, which were closed on May 26th, show the following receipts and expenses for the year:

Table with columns for RECEIPTS, EXPENSES, LIABILITIES, and ASSETS. Includes items like Membership fees, Subscriptions, and various expenses.

Net deficit ... \$262.53

It will be seen that a very heavy bill of expense was in competition with furniture and equipment, which of course will not be necessary next year. But as there is a good-sized deficit to be wiped out, and they do not wish to depend so much on outside help, the Association solicited aided help from the citizens of the town.

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Profitable Egg Production.

Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, May 8, 1904. For all farmers a most profitable branch of the poultry business is the production of eggs during the winter...

Dairying on a Small Scale.

There are many farmers who practice general farming, keeping enough cows to pay the grocery bill, who do not feel that their business in this line is large enough to warrant using the best modern appliances...

MARKET REQUIREMENTS.

There is a growing preference on the home market for larger shelled eggs. The shells of the eggs should be wiped clean if necessary and the eggs graded in size...

PULLETS FOR WINTER LAYING.

As a general rule pullets hatched during May or early June will be most profitable for winter laying. Farmers who expect to make a specialty of high-priced new-laid eggs should select the pullets to hatch out...

The Fruit Crop.

A late report from the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, says: "The reports to concerning the fruit crop in Ontario and Quebec indicate that the loss from the various insects has been very serious indeed..."

BREEDING FOR WINTER LAYERS.

When the pullets are forced for winter egg production there should be kept in addition another breeding pen of selected fowls from which to rear the chicks. A hen or pullet that comes on to lay in the spring will at that time produce stronger-jermed eggs for hatching than will another that has had her vitality impaired by winter laying...

EXPORTING EGGS.

The export trade carries off the surplus eggs produced during the summer months when prices are low, but has little or no effect on the price of new-laid eggs in winter. Efforts to increase our export trade in eggs need not, therefore, alarm consumers in cities or towns...

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The Household.

TRESKOME IMITATORS. The dull person may be a bore when being normal, when chewing the cud, as it were, quite unconsciously of covilike resemblance, but the dull person unconsciously endeavoring to be witty, smart, full of repartee and happy allusion is intolerably and altogether maddening. Many smart American women are what they are by the grace of nature, the creations of the social and social moieties and the education of brilliant society. Others are what they are by the grace of nature and are most charming and least dull when most natural. There is a genuine attraction in simplicity and sincerity even when these qualities are not allied with remarkable wit or buoyed up by exceptional gaiety. The moment when we are liable to become a curse to ourselves and others is the moment when we begin to try to play a part. Oh, what a joy it is in society and often in the home to come across a perfectly natural creature. How refreshing you! How she sets you at your ease! I am not especially fond of fine needlework or addicted to fancy knitting, but I remember to this hour a delightful talk I once had at a dinner party with a dear old lady given over to these two innocent pursuits, who was artless enough to assume that I shared her sense of their importance. And so I did while she was telling me about them. Some time ago I read a clever article attacking people for smiling too much and laughing them not to smile unless there was something to smile at. My advice to them would be to force a smile, but never to check a smile that was coming naturally. Be natural. All this advice to do and not to do tends to the fostering of self-consciousness, and self-consciousness is a hideous thing. As with smiling, so with dullness. To a certain extent natural dullness can be minimized. The heavy person can throw out a bag or two of sand and render the brain balloon a little higher. For instance, she can educate herself. She can read, see, do and so assert herself. But do not, for heaven's sake, let her emulate the "verve" of some strenuous and sparkling creature made by nature as unlike her as the diamond is unlike the pearl. In being imitative most people become actively tiresome. It is better to be a sedative than an irritant, to resemble the hop pillow than adulterated cayenne pepper. Our age is full of voices telling us to do this and do that, but this and that should reply to them, "I'm going to be myself."

GETTING RID OF RUBBISH IS THE BEST WAY TO CLEANLINESS.

The best thing that could happen to the average house is to get rid of about half the stuff it contains. The habit of home-keepers should be to guard against household congestion. At this season of the year, when householding is about to be done, it is to go over the house from top to bottom in order to get rid of all this rubbish. Many homes are not only filled up with rubbish, but the over-careful housekeeper fears the air and sunshine might fade an elegant rug, carpet or some fine drape. Household furnishings that are too delicate to stand fresh air should be eliminated at once, and scientific housekeeper cannot afford to give room to anything that is not healthy and substantial. A house that is too fine for use is seldom kept as clean as it should be, for the reason that pure air and sunshine are excluded, and a home full of impure air is just as dirty as any other soap and water are used too sparingly. Sunshine purifies, and cannot be excluded from the home that is well kept and clean.

It is often a good thing when people are obliged to move. It is then they will see the folly of collecting unnecessary articles of furniture that serve to crowd rooms and attract dust.

CHILDREN AND NUTMEGS.

"Every careful mother," said a doctor who had just treated a child made violently ill from chewing a nutmeg, "should keep nutmegs as far out of reach of her children as she does the ammonia bottle or the carbolio acid. Nutmegs are a deadly poison. I remember a case about six years ago where a boy eight years old died in great agony after chewing and swallowing two nutmegs. As a general rule small children do not like to interfere with pepper, ginger and similar aromatic spices left around in kitchen cupboards. One taste is enough usually. But it seems to be a fact that most children will chew nutmegs if they can get them."

TRYING WORK FOR TOTS.

Many physicians are "down" on handwork, and they recommend mothers to discourage their little daughters in trying their eyesight over headwork. Do not hasten the day when your daughters must go to the oculist to have her eyes examined for prescription glasses. The long curriculum of lessons in modern schools, the claims of text books, music lessons and drawing lessons, make quite enough demand on the eyesight of a growing girl without the unnecessary claims of "fancy work."

If it's tilious attack, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quiet recovery is certain. For sale by S. N. Weare.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Minard's Liniment used by physicians, Herbart stopped rowing, ostensibly to rest, "Annie," he said, with an elaborate affectation of unconcern, to the young woman sitting in the stern of the boat. "There's a friend of mine that's head over heels—head over heels—in love with a beautiful girl, and as good as she is beautiful, he's had known her ever so many years and he has been going to see her a long time, but he's too big a coward—that what he says—to ask her, you know, is he?"

HOW HE PROPOSED.

"He'd rather not have her name mentioned."

"Fried of yours, you say? Who is his?"

"Oh, I don't dare to tell you who he is. He might not like it. I'm sure."

"Very much in love with her, is he?"

"Clean gone. He says it makes him fairly ache."

"And he's afraid to tell her so?"

"Yes, he—he says he can't guess from the way she looks at him whether she—likes him or not. He's a coward—that's what he is."

"What are you telling me about him?"

"Well—he—he asked me what I thought he'd better do, and I couldn't advise him, I suppose—I'd be just as big a coward as he is. That's why I'm asking you. Why what do you think he ought to do? Tell her and run the risk?"

"I am sure I don't know."

Herbert gasped, swallowed—and changed the subject.

"Isn't this water clear?" he said.

"You can see the sand and the stones at the bottom. How deep it is, and yet how transparent!"

"Yes," she said. "So like you, Herbert!"

"Dear girl," he whispered, fifteen minutes later, as he stroked her forehead, earnestly, "how did you know I was tiling my own story?"

"Oh, you guess!"

"YANKEE NERVE. The London Tit-Bits records a fine example of Yankee nerve in the following successful bluff: (Scene: A railway carriage) Englishman (addressing Yankee in opposite corner—"Excuse me. This is not a smoking carriage.")

No reply.

Five minutes later (more tranquilly)—"I must really trouble you to put out that cigar."

Still no reply.

One minute later—"Hang it, if you don't put out that cigar I'll have you removed."

Still superb indifference on the part of the Yankee. Train stops. Englishman calls guard and requests removal of Yankee. The latter breaks in coolly: "Guard, examine that man's ticket! it's third class."

Guard does so, finds the statement correct and marches the Englishman out to the great astonishment of the other occupants of the carriage.

After the train had again started, another occupant, unable to restrain his curiosity, asks the Englishman: "How did you know what ticket he had?"

Yankee (with a yawn)—"Saw it sticking out of his waistcoat pocket. Same color as my own."

—Frances had been brought up in a strictly Presbyterian household, and in all her nine years had never attended service in a church of another denomination. While on a visit with her mother to a part of the country far from her own home she entered the parlor one Saturday afternoon and eagerly asked: "How mamma, may I go to the Episcopal church with Gertrude tomorrow? I'll promise not to leave a single word the minister says!"

"—How much is your candy?" asked little Joe.

"Six sticks for 5 cents," replied the dealer.

"Let me see," mused Joe, "Six sticks for 5 cents, five sticks for four cents, four sticks for three cents, three sticks for two cents, two sticks for one cent, one stick for nothing. Gimme one stick, please."

—Little Elsie came home from her first day at school eager to show her mother the calligraphic exercises she had been learning.

"It's called fustic, mamma," she explained, "because you do it nearly all with your fists."

—Johnny: "What's your papa's last name?"

Tommy: "He writes poetry and funny things for the papers."

—Johnny: "Fish! That ain't a business! That's something that ain't him."

—Mr. Newell: "What! No cook stove in the house? I gave you money to buy one."

Mrs. Newell: "Yes, my love, but I found I hadn't enough to buy a stove and hire a cook, too, so I let the stove go. But the cook is here, and she's a treasure. She has just gone out to get us some crackers and cheese."

—The Groom: "Our anniversary! What anniversary, dearest?"

The Bride (sadly): "Have you forgotten so soon? We've been married a week to-day."

—A customer of ours who had been suffering from a severe cough for six months bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy from us and was entirely cured by one and a half bottles of it. It gives perfect satisfaction with our trade. -Haynes-Parker & Co., Lincoln, Ala. For sale by S. N. Weare.

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