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APPLES A FAILURE IN NEW YORK AND ONTARIO

Nova Scotia Fruit Growers Visit Other Fruit-growing Sections and Find Fruit Crop Conditions Similar to Those of Our Own Province.

The Kentville Advertiser gives a short write-up of a trip through the famous fruit-growing sections of the Eastern States and Ontario, which may afford interest to those who think every other country better than their own.

"The route from Boston to Lake Erie takes one through the apple-growing districts of Massachusetts and New York State. Here, our party of four Messrs S. B. Chute, Berwick, A. S. Banks, Waterville, H. A. Welton, Fort Williams and the writer, met their first disappointment. By the reports we had expected to see more apples than we had left at home in fact, this section was more like our own fruit crop this 'off' year. Now and then a few trees with apples on them were met, but they were so comparison to the sight of this valley with an average crop.

"From Buffalo to Niagara Falls, where the Fruit Convention was held we were reminded of the ravages of the once dreaded San Jose scale by seeing several orchards practically dead—the leafless trees still standing as a monument of neglect alongside of better cared for orchards where the up-to-date grower had applied modern methods and kept the pest under control. Here was emphasized the truth of the old saying, 'After all, the scale was only a blessing in disguise.'"

"It was not until after we had left Niagara Falls for a hundred mile auto ride through Niagara, Orleans, Monroe and Wayne counties, that we realized the truth of what had been said at the Fruit Convention by one in a position to know—(i. e.),

"If all the Baldwin trees in the State of New York were to bear a crop as once there would be enough apples to supply all America.' By the appearance at the present time there is not much fear of this, for we saw more neglected orchards in the three northern counties of the state of New York than in Nova Scotia.

"We proceeded to Sodus, the home of the New York State Fruit Grower Association. Here we witnessed what had been the drawing card of our party, namely, the ninety experiments in spraying which had been here carried on by the Cornell University. In the following issue will be given an account of what we saw. Suffice it at present to say, we saw orchards laden with clean, good fruit amongst which were unsprayed trees not worth picking.

"At Sodus we visited an orchard from which one hundred and thirty-five cartloads of peaches were picked last year, besides one of the best kept apple orchards in America. Here

we could see within a few miles ride that the 'Survival of the Fittest' was the rule.

"On our return to Niagara Falls we took a more eastern route towards the shore of Lake Ontario, where we were told we would find apples if any were to be found in the state of New York. We witnessed in this section similar conditions to those we subsequently found in passing through the Niagara districts of Ontario on our way to Toronto. In fact, every place we visited excepting Sodus the farmer would say, 'we are shy of fruit in this section but if you just go over somewhere else you will find a big crop,' and so on the story went until we at last came to the conclusion that the large apple crop of the Eastern States and Ontario this year is in the minds of the buyers.

"Another question upon which we were unanimous is, that notwithstanding the fact that the fruit sections we had visited are surrounded by large cities, giving the small fruit end of it an impetus, still the ideal conditions for apple orchards are to be found in Nova Scotia, where the shipper in the winter months does not have to follow the fruit for days in heated cars to transit.

"With the quicker transit and less charges which are bound to follow upon the inauguration of the C. P. R. into this Province, Nova Scotia today presents the best business proposition for increased orcharding. Only, we must grow better fruit; there is no remunerative place at the present time for spotted, scabby apples."

C. O. ALLEN.

DOUBLED POPULATION IN TWENTY YEARS.

Eighty years ago there were eighteen or twenty log dwellings and about fifty people where the city of Chicago now stands. Of its latter growth an exchange says:—Three years later the town covered 560 acres, and boasted of 550 inhabitants, with 180 buildings. Incorporated as a city in 1837, it had a population of 4,179. The population in 1850 was 30,000, in 1860, 109,000, in 1880, 500,000, in 1890, 1,200,000, in 1900, 1,600,000, while its population today is somewhere around 2,350,000. The little hamlet of eighty years ago is, today, in population and commercial importance, the second city in the United States and the fourth in the world. London, New York, and Paris alone exceeding it. It is the greatest railroad centre in the world, and, although located a thousand miles from the sea, its shipping is exceeded only by two other places in the world, New York and Liverpool.

Red Rose Tea stands alone in its sterling quality. Its reputation has been earned by sixteen years of uniform goodness. No other tea even pretends to be better. Some may claim to be "as good" but why take a substitute when the price is the same as Red Rose



Prices: 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. and 60c.

Bridgetown Joins Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities

A special meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Bridgetown was called by the Mayor on Thursday, the eleventh inst. at eight o'clock p. m., pursuant to written notice sent to each Councillor by the clerk, to meet A. E. McMahon, the president, and Arthur Roberts, the secretary of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities who are visiting the different Municipalities, not already members of the union, for the purpose of explaining the base fits of the organization.

Mayor Hoyt was in the chair and Councillors present as follows:—DeWitt, Craig, Tupper, Ruffee and Burns.

The Mayor explained to the Council the object of the meeting and then called upon Mr. Roberts, the Secretary of the Union, to address the Council.

Mr. Roberts in a clear and forcible manner explained to the Council the formation of the Union, and its aims and objects, and strongly emphasized the necessity of every Municipality becoming a member thereof.

The Mayor then called upon Mr. McMahon, the President, who in a neat speech spoke of the possibilities of the union, and also urged upon the Council to become a member thereof.

The different members of the Council were then called upon to express their views and one and all expressed themselves strongly in favor of the Union, and all complimented the visitors upon their able and very instructive addresses.

It was moved by Councillor Craig and seconded by Councillor DeWitt that the Council of the Town of Bridgetown, become members of the Union, and passed unanimously.

It was then suggested by Mr. Roberts that two or more delegates from this Council be appointed to attend the yearly convention of the Union to be held in Kentville on the 24th and 25th inst. and he informed the Council, of the important questions to be discussed at this convention.

His Worship Mayor Hoyt and H. Ruggles, Town Clerk, and Solicitor, were unanimously appointed to be the delegates from this Council to attend the Convention.

The Mayor then named as substitute delegates to the convention in case the regular delegates could not attend, Councillors Craig and DeWitt.

A cordial vote of thanks was tendered by the Council to Mr. McMahon and Mr. Roberts for their visit and for the valuable information given.

Dr. A. D. Smith, Grand Master I. O. O. F.

Truro, N. S., Aug. 11.—At Wednesday evening's session of the Grand Lodge, several reports were adopted, among them being the financial report which increased the Grand Secretary's salary from six hundred to seven hundred dollars. The Grand Lodge resumed business at ten o'clock this morning. A telegram was received from the Grand Lodge of Alberta in session at Calgary, conveying greeting to the Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces.

The committee on the relief of members in the Campbellton fire reported the amount collected was \$1,500. Grand Master Hooper and Past Grand Representative C. A. Sampson of Fredericton, were chosen as a committee to carry on the work.

The following officers were elected: Dr. A. D. Smith, St. John, N. B., Grand Master; Mr. John A. Craig, Yarmouth, Deputy Grand Master; Mr. Dugald Stewart, Bridgewater, N. S., Grand Warden; Mr. J. J. McKinnon, Charlottetown, Grand Secretary; Rev. H. B. Thomas, Dorchester, Grand Chaplain; Grand Representatives, Messrs. L. M. Robinson, St. Stephen, and S. L. Walker, Truro.

The Grand Lodge, after much debate, passed judiciary committee report. This afternoon a short session was held and afterwards a visit was made to the experimental farm.

Olive Branch Division

This branch of the order of Sons of Temperance located at Bridgetown and meeting every Monday evening in Warren's Hall is doing excellent work in its own quiet way, for it must be admitted that in a majority of cases, temperance societies work quietly, that is, they are a sort of training school for the young people in principals of total abstinence and only in certain localities and under certain circumstances are they very aggressive. Perhaps it would be better if they did do a little more active work outside of the lodge room, nevertheless we can look to very many communities where an immense benefit has been derived from the "Division." Young boys and girls join first the Band of Hope, then, when a little older, graduate into the Division and continue members of the same as long as they remain in the neighborhood. As a result we have a generation of sober young men and women in that locality.

In these latter days the work of attacking is left principally with the Temperance Alliance, the District Divisions and Sect Act Inspectors, Law and Order League, etc.

Now in reference to Olive Branch Division we wish to call the attention to all persons in sympathy with the temperance cause, to the fact that in order for a Division to exist, it must have membership, and those who are members should attend as regularly as possible.

Although we have a fair sized Division and have excellent meetings, we invite all those who are interested in our welfare to attend punctually, and do all in their power to induce others to join. We have a very interesting programme mapped out for present quarter, and we expect to make the succeeding quarter equally if not more interesting than the present one.

Monday, Aug. 8th, was an especially good programme. We had "impromptu speaking." That is, a number of subjects were prepared and each written on a separate slip of paper, each member in turn drawing one of the subjects and speaking on it for five minutes without any preparation whatever. The result was better even than we anticipated. Members, who had never spoken on any subject before, repeated nobly and did not know they thought they could never do,—make a speech. Who knows distinguished orators?

Thinking that perhaps the outside world did not know what a good work we were doing or if they knew it, did not take time to think about it, we deputized our Recording Scribe to bring the matter before the residents of Bridgetown and vicinity, hoping that they might be induced to come in with us and swell our numbers. "The more the merrier." We are in friends and enjoy the good time with us and help along the most worthy cause ever upheld by any secular society — we should almost say not secular but divine, not in institution or organization, but in object. For is not the uplifting of fallen mankind and the proper training of the young, a divine object? Should it not go hand in hand with the Church? Come help us and we will surely help you. Our influence will extend as our numbers are increased.

Thanking the Editor in anticipation for space, we submit this to the readers in Love, Purity and Fidelity.
R. W. W. PURDY, R. S.

KING WILL PRESENT PRAYER BOOK.

Rev. Mr. How forwarded to the Bishop of London a copy of the Spectator containing Mr. McNeill and's reminiscences of Prince Georges visit to Annapolis, suggesting to his lordship that he bring the article to the King's notice, and further that if His Majesty was so disposed, the gift of a prayer book for the church would be acceptable as an acknowledgment of the pleasant time spent here. A letter from the Bishop of London brings the information that he has carried out the suggestion and that the article in the Spectator was much appreciated by His Majesty. He signified his intention of presenting a prayer book to the church of Canada.

Well-known Parson Booming Shelburne

Halifax Herald: We heard a well-known citizen argue the other day that "one man couldn't do much for his city."

Listen. Down in Shelburne lives the Rev. D. V. Warner, he's a parson, not a merchant; he isn't a member of the local board of trade, he isn't interested in any hotel business, or the tourist traffic, or any steamship line or railroad company, he's just a parson.

Now in Shelburne they once had a board of trade—it started with a burrah, fireworks, brass bands and hushes of enthusiasm; well, it hasn't ended yet perhaps, but nobody knows down in Shelburne whether it has gone to sleep or whether it has gone out of business—retired from active life, so to speak.

That was before Warner came on the scene—as a parson, Warner looked about and saw how things were going—or rather, were not going—and he got busy. He didn't call the citizens together and announce anything. He didn't organize committees and appoint the leading citizens presidents and vice-presidents and figureheads; he didn't nominate a secretary at an expensive salary—that wasn't Warner's way.

He went down town with a pencil and a pad of notepaper and called on all the merchants and asked them to get up a little booklet advertising Shelburne. The wise ones shook their heads: "It wouldn't go; it had been tried; etc." Warner's enthusiasm wasn't abated; by the end of the day he had enough to make the booklet a sure thing.

That little printed pamphlet of sixteen pages set Shelburne thinking. It told them they had a beautiful town, admirably situated for tourist traffic—they looked the book over, and of course—and threw it aside.

Warner then had some notepaper printed, headed "Shelburne Tourist Association. D. V. Warner, secretary. Represents the most desirable section of the south shore of Nova Scotia, adapted by nature to every form of summer and autumn recreation—rowing, sailing, bathing, fishing, camping, hunting, etc." "The Shelburne Tourist Association" was born.

Armed with his notepaper he sent his Shelburne booklets broadcast all over the New England states and left them to soak in—and his work had its effect, for people began enquiring about Shelburne and Warner had letters to answer and was getting busier every day.

Other things followed—assistance was needed for more publicity Warner went after the railway company and a New England steamship company and sat in their offices until he had convinced them that a direct steamship line, a modern summer hotel, tourist parties and other desirable acquisitions were sought after. He hasn't got them all, but he's after them; and in spite of some people is making progress. That's what one man a parson, did in a few short weeks.

"What is there in it for him? you ask. A most natural question with some people, we know. For Warner, not one cent—the account is the other way. He's an uplifter.

Do you know there is work for you to do here in Halifax? Work that one man can do? If we tell you what there is to do will you do it? Or will you shrug it? Write the secretary of the Uplifters and he will tell you something you can do for Halifax without one cent of capital, and without loss to anyone. If you really want to help Halifax there are a hundred things to do.

WILFRID YOWWAKE,
Secy. Uplifter.
NOT REFORMED.

The Moncton Transcript says:—Five boys who were selling the Vindicator newspaper, were this morning taken to the police station, and the copies of the paper, some one hundred in number, seized. The police have orders to seize all other copies of the paper that may appear on the streets for sale today. It is published by Bruce MacDougall, formerly of Free Speech, who was recently released from a term in penitentiary.

GORDON MEMORIAL PRESBY'N CHURCH INDUCTS PASTOR

Rev. Allan Simpson, Formerly of Park Street Church, Halifax, Inducted.—Eloquent Addresses by Rev. Mr. Johnson of Halifax, and Others.

A meeting of the Halifax Presbytery took place in Gordon Memorial church yesterday afternoon and evening for the special purpose of inducting the Rev. Allan Simpson, in his new charge. Among the visiting clergymen were Rev. M. A. McKinnon of Halifax, moderator, and Revs. Johnson, McCurdy, Ross and Dr. McMillan of Kentville.

The business in the afternoon included the confirmation of calls to the churches at Annapolis Royal and Wolfville and reports of Mission work at Labrador and Newfoundland. One of the happy features of the session was the unanimous character of the various calls.

The ladies of the congregation provided tea upon the church lawn, at which the pastors of the Bridgetown churches were present as invited guests, and a pleasant social time was enjoyed from six o'clock to eight.

The evening meeting was occupied with the formal induction of Mr. Simpson into his new charge. The induction sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Johnson, of Halifax, who spoke from the words "In the morning, at noontide and in the evening will I pray." The address emphasized the necessity of unfailing regularity in all forms of Christian worship. It is the constant practice of worship that keeps us close to Christ.

In his address to the incoming pastor the Rev. Dr. Campbell, returned missionary from India, urged the necessity of taking constantly draughts from the fountain of life the source of inspiration, and urged the importance of preaching Christ and Christ only.

Rev. H. Upham addressed the congregation, outlining their duties toward their pastor. The choir of the church supplemented by members from other choirs furnished special music for the occasion.

A Dr. Crippen Incident

Yarmouth Telegram:—In connection with the arrest of Dr. Crippen and his stenographer, Miss LeNeve, it will be of interest to learn that a gentleman at Woods Harbor had been in correspondence with Dr. Crippen, relative to his deafness. He wrote the doctor describing his trouble, and received a reply dated London, July 2nd, in which a remedy was prescribed at a cost of \$6. The letter is type-written, doubtless by Miss LeNeve, and is a splendid specimen of workmanship, both in spelling, punctuation and evenness of alignment. The doctor's signature is also a fine specimen of a business man's writing, and the language used is that of an educated and evidently careful professional gentleman. It is certainly a curiosity just now.

The letter is written upon a printed letter head, bearing The Aural Remedies Co.'s name, with address Craven House, Kingsway, London, W. C. H. H. Crippen, M. D., U.S.A., 1884, consulting specialist.

GOT BACK HIS CASH.

Solomon Hebb, seventy-five years old, who lost \$1,250 from the circus men at Bridgewater last week, put his case in Policeman Ford's hands, who followed the circus to Yarmouth and on to Digby, as papers could not reach here in time. Ford succeeded in having the money repaid in Digby and returned home, making Mr. Hebb the happiest man in the County. All efforts to arrest the three robbers were fruitless.—Ex.

Convention Union of N. S. Municipalities

The annual convention of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities will be held on the 24th and 25th inst. in the Court House at Kentville. President McMahon, Warden of Kings, and secretary Arthur Roberts Town Solicitor of Bridgewater, have recently been in Kentville making the necessary arrangements. It is expected that the convention will be much the largest and the most important yet held. Between seventy-five and one hundred delegates, comprising most of the leading men engaged in Municipal Government today, will be present. An interesting and profitable programme has been prepared. The Union has a very successful year, added through the year ten new members, and now includes practically all the towns and counties in the Province. The towns of Shelburne, Waterville, Bridgetown and Middleton, and the Municipality of St. Mary's, Guysboro Co. have recently joined.

FEARFUL WHITE SLAVE CONDITIONS ARE FOUND.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Revolting conditions of "white slave" traffic within the shadow of the national capital are being investigated by the police here. Walter J. Burstin, aged twenty six, has been arrested and the investigation is expected to reveal conditions worse than those shown by the government inquiry in Boston, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Chicago and New York.

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husband and wife is the savings bank book. Every entry in it means a step toward independence and a comfortable old age.

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 —AND—
Steamship Lines
 —TO—
 St. John via Digby
 —AND—
 Boston via Yarmouth
 "Land of Evangeline" Route.

On and after July 2nd, 1910, the Steamship and Train Service on this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

Accom. from Annapolis 7.50 a. m.
 Accom. from Richmond 8.40 a. m.
 Express from Halifax 12.04 p. m.
 Bluenose from Halifax 2.31 p. m.
 Bluenose from Yarmouth 12.53 p. m.
 Express from Yarmouth 1.53 p. m.
 "Owl" from Halifax Sat. 7.40 p. m.
 "Owl" from Annapolis Mon. 4.13 a. m.

Midland Division
 Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily (except Sunday) for Truro at 6.15 a. m., 7.08 a. m. and 5.10 p. m. and from Truro at 6.55 a. m., 12.00 a. m. and 2.30 p. m., connecting at Truro with trains of the International Railway, and at Windsor with express trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth.

Boston Service

SERVICE IN EFFECT JUNE 13th, 1910.

The Royal and United States Mail Steamships PRINCE GEORGE and PRINCE ARTHUR will leave Yarmouth daily, except Sunday, on arrival of Bluenose from Halifax, arriving in Boston next morning. Returning leave LONG WHARF BOSTON, at 2.00 p. m. daily except Saturday.

DIGBY BOSTON DIRECT SERVICE
 Commencing Saturday, July 2nd, S. S. Bluenose leaves Digby on arrival of Bluenose from Halifax, Wednesday and Saturday, returning, leaves Long Wharf, Boston, Tuesday and Friday at 12.00 noon.

S. S. PRINCE ALBERT makes daily trips (Sunday excepted) between Parrsboro and Wolfville, calling at Kingsport in both directions.

St. JOHN and DIGBY

ROYAL MAIL S. S. YARMOUTH. Daily Service (Sunday excepted). Arrives Digby 10.45 a. m. Leaves St. John 7.45 a. m. Leaves Digby same day after arrival express train from Halifax.

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P. GIPKINS, General Manager.

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 Aug. 20—Almeria Sept 14
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Read down.	Stations	Read up.
11.30	Lv. Middleton Av.	10.15
12.01	" " "	10.44
12.18	Bridgetown	11.26
12.45	" " "	11.57
13.01	Granville Ferry	12.40
13.19	" " "	13.24
13.40	Av. Port Wade Lv.	14.00

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CAKES—A large assortment, crisp and dainty, 3 lbs. Sugar and Gingers 25 cts.

CANNED GOODS—A large stock of canned Meats, Fish and Vegetables.

Haddies, Salmon, Clams, Lobsters, Scallops, Halibut, Boneless Turkey and Chicken.

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For the next 30 days and will give big discounts

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Mens' Suits	Boys' Suits
\$ 6.00 suits for \$5.00	\$ 3.50 suits for \$2.50
8.00 " " 6.00	4.50 " " 3.25
12.00 " " 9.75	6.00 " " 4.60
15.00 " " 11.75	8.00 " " 6.25

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Clothing and Furnishing Store, BRIDGETOWN N. S.

Compliment to Albany.

I was singing some years ago at Douglas, in the Isle of Man, in the hall which is, I believe, the largest in the United Kingdom, and where the audience is always put in a humor, writes Madame Albert in M.A.P. describing "My Nicest Compliment."

Just as the concert was about to begin, a dirty little boy presented himself at the entrance and tendered his money.

The money-taker looked him over and said: "But, my boy, we can't let you in with that awfully dirty face."

"But I must go in. I have saved up my halfpennies to hear the beautiful lady, and I must go in," protested the urchin.

In ten minutes he returned with a clean face, and tendered his money again.

"Why! what have you done to yourself?" said the attendant. "Washed myself in the sea," was the answer.

The manager was so struck by his perseverance that he admitted him free and gave him a program as well.

Mount-Stephen Is 81.

Lord Mount-Stephen, one of the foremost among empire-builders, has recently celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of his birth.

Like Lord Strathearn, he was one of the creators of modern Canada. He was born plain George Stephen at Dufftown, Barfshire. His father was a carpenter, and George began his career as a shepherd boy on a farm.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.

PAROLED MEN DO WELL

Only 65 Out of 3,100 Men Forfeit Their Liberty.

Dominion Parole Officer Archibald has just made an official visit to the penitentiary at Kingston. This is the first visit of Mr. Archibald since his severe illness last winter, and his many friends in Kingston were delighted to see him on the road to recovery. When asked as to how the parole system was doing, and as to the number of prisoners who had been paroled since the inception of the system in Canada eleven years ago, Mr. Archibald said that he was at the present time making out a report for the department, but could perhaps give approximate figures. Since the system was established in 1899, he said about 3,100 prisoners were released on parole. Out of that number only about 65 have forfeited their liberty. That is a splendid record, Mr. Archibald said. Nearly 2,000 have, however, been re-arrested and are in the enjoyment of good citizenship, showing that they were not recidivists, but had yielded to temptation in moments of weakness, and afterwards deeply regretted their acts and repented in sackcloth and ashes. Last year 400 prisoners completed their paroles. Of the 3,100 prisoners paroled in eleven years, 1,800 were from the penitentiaries and 1,300 from the jails and reformatories.

The number of paroles has been steadily increasing, but Mr. Archibald thinks that the limit has now been reached. Last year the paroles totalled about 575, or about 100 more than in the previous year. In the seasons of Canada Mr. Archibald said that there were about one-third of the prisoners in whom the utmost confidence could be put if they were released on parole. There were probably from 15 to 20 per cent. who were to be better incarcerated for life, as they were genuine criminals. One year Mr. Archibald followed up the prisoners paroled, of whom there were about 300, and they were earning a total of about \$120,000. They had "made good," and were valuable citizens.

"Ode to a Hard-Tack." Those who remember the "hard-tack," an indigestible form of biscuit served to the soldiers in the rebellion of 1858, will appreciate the force of the "hard-tack," read by Mr. T. W. Gibson, Deputy Minister of Mines, at the recent banquet of the Battleford Column. The lines were composed by Mr. Gibson while on service in the rebellion:

O relic of the old red sandstone age!
 O hardened bit of indurated granite,
 Compact mass of water and flinty flour,
 Thou mockest me!

Returning oft from picket or from guard,
 Or from the trench, with leaden steps and slow,
 With hunger famished and with famine pressed,
 I've fallen upon thee, rifle-butt and heel;

With both feet have I jumped upon thee,
 In hopes to separate a morsel I could eat,
 But all in vain!
 Hard as the nether millstone, or as steel,
 As diamond, or as boiler plate unbreakable,
 Thou foil'st my rage!

In vain I'd gnash my teeth and use my strong arms;
 I found thee still invincible;
 No moth corrupt thee can, nor rust decay.

'Tis said that all things pass and cease to be,
 And that the slow succession of receding years
 Will bring all things created to an end.
 It may be so, but in my heart of hearts
 I feel that when the Angel Gabriel's trump
 Shall sound the knell of mundane things,
 Amid the crash of matter and the wreck of worlds,
 Thou, Hard-tack, wilt remain unconquerable, serene,
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Like Lord Strathearn, he was one of the creators of modern Canada. He was born plain George Stephen at Dufftown, Barfshire. His father was a carpenter, and George began his career as a shepherd boy on a farm.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.

Scholarships Awarded at Summer School of Science

Springfield. (Aug. 10.)

Messrs. Fred Grimm and Atwood Bent spent Sunday last at Kentville. (Rev.) Mr. and Mrs. Schurman and children from Lockport were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grimm recently.

The Misses Minnie Tretheway and Meda Morrison spent the 6th and 7th at New Germany the guests of the former's parents.

J. G. Morrison was at Liverpool on the 2nd.

Miss Grace Thomas from Middleton is visiting friends here.

Master Hilton Saunders is visiting his brothers at Kentville.

Miss Myrtle Morrison returned from Liverpool on the 3rd.

E. W. Grimm spent the 1st at Middleton.

F. O'D. Grimm spent the 6th and 7th with friends at Margarettville.

Mrs. Wm. Sperry returned from a visit to Pettie Baviere on the 3rd.

A large number from here attended the Methodist Rally at New Germany on the 7th.

Anthony Matman and little boy from Massachusetts, are visiting relatives here.

G. H. Oakes, of Kingston, representing the "Great West Life," was in town last week.

Mrs. Fred Carter and Mac, of Bridgewater, and Miss Nellie Carter, of Hartford, Conn., were guests of Mrs. L. E. Carter on the 5th.

Titus Ramey and children of Bridgewater, visited relatives here last week.

Outram

(Aug. 10.)

Our pastor, Rev. W. Smith, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. Charles L. Brown, from Lynn, Mass., has been the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Eliza Healy for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Torrey and daughter from New York, have been the guests of her aunt Mrs. Lida Bent for the last week.

Mrs. Frank Marshall, from Middleton, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. Bent quite recently.

Mr. Gilbert Healy is home for a few weeks, the guest of his mother, Mr. S. W. Armstrong from Somerville, Mass., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. Banks last week.

Miss Edna Marshall has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. Hall at Lawrenceton quite recently.

Dr. Hanley

(Aug. 10.)

Mr. Irving Miller and two daughters, from Lynn, Mass., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller, for a few weeks.

Mr. S. W. Armstrong, from Somerville, Mass., has been the guests of his mother and other relatives for the past two weeks, started for home last Thursday, where he will visit friends in Centralia, and then proceed to Boston by Yarmouth.

Mrs. Harry Balcer, from Middleton, has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Brown for the last week, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Eva Hayes, from Port George is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Mira Slocumb for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch Dunn from Digby Co., are the guests of her brother, Mr. Charles Barsteau for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown were visiting in Berwick quite recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston, from Berwick, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hennigar on Saturday last.

"Papa, how often have I told you not to say 'I see you'?"

"Now, ye look a-ber, Maggie," interrupted pa, laying down his knife and fork, "maybe you will make your living by good grammar and higher education, but your ma and me air just obliged to take in summer boarders, and they demand the dialect if they pay our rates. So what I say goes, see, whether she's grammar or not."—Puck.

Sackville Tribune.—Many persons are likely to question the wisdom of contributing to funds designed merely to advance or maintain denominational causes at Campbellton when there are other needs which must be more pressing. Campbellton does not need churches nearly so much as it needs some buildings of other kinds.

As several papers have already pointed out the Campbellton case offers the best possible chance for a church union.

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MOTOR CAR BLOWN UP

IN HANTS CO., N. S.

Driver Dropped Match in Pool of Gasoline.

Halifax, Aug. 4.—A curious motor accident occurred at Brooklyn, Hants County, on Friday night. Mr. Paulin, of Windsor stopped to light the lamps of his touring car. Having done so he dropped the match on the ground in what appeared to be a puddle but what really was a pool of gasoline which had trickled from a leak in the machine. The gasoline burst into a flame, and the motor car was burned so quickly that two passengers in it had barely time to escape without injury. The car which cost \$1700 was a complete wreck. Mr. Paulin came to Halifax on Saturday and purchased a new car.

Boyd Woodworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Woodworth, of Berwick, who started for the west on July 13, writes his parents that he has obtained a payable job, twenty miles north of Winnipeg. He is installing machinery for a steam saw mill. He advises that any who are contemplating going west for the harvest, would be better off at home, as the wheat crop is almost a failure, many farmers ploughing their crops under.

Fruit growers should keep a few hives of bees in their orchards in order to assure cross-pollination of the blossoms. Pollen is transferred from flower to flower by wind and insects. In some seasons, bees are the most important agents. A few colonies in the orchard will aid in getting better crops.

A CHILD.

Her voice was like the song of birds;

Her eyes were like the stars;

Her little waving hands were like birds' wings that beat the bars.

And when those waving hands were still—

Her soul had fled away—

The music faded from the air,

The color from the day,

—Richard Watson Gilder.



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HARD TIMES HARD ON THE POOR CONSUMPTIVE

Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives Makes an Urgent Appeal for Money.

\$25,000 Required to Cover Bank Overdraft and Provide for Maintenance of Poor Patients.

These headlines tell the story of our needs.

They are heavy and urgent. Many times during the past twelve months the question has pressed itself upon the Trustees, "Can we continue the work further?"

Every month brought its quota of accounts for salaries and wages of staff, bills of butcher, milkman, eggs, groceries, heavy coal bills—a serious item—and other uncontrollable expenses so long as the doors were kept open.



These had to be paid somehow.

Contributions—especially after the turn of the year when the financial depression was felt at its keenest—fell off to such an extent, that each month the burden became heavier.

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The trial was the severest in the history of these Muskoka Homes, in which nearly 3,000 persons, stricken by the dread white plague, have been cared for.



Back life at Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives.

But never for a single hour did the doors of the Free Hospital fail to swing open, and give a welcome to suffering ones without money and without price.

The good news has gone forth of a rich harvest the wide Dominion over.

"Friends, we come to you at this time, when the clouds of depression are being lifted, asking that you now—in the direness of our extremity—help to lift the burden being carried—not for any personal gain, but solely, alone, only on behalf of suffering sisters and brothers.

Our plea is on behalf of the sick ones. What will you give? Do not say nay. Help generously. Help all you can. Help some. Help now.

Contributions may be sent to W. J. GAGE, Esq., Chairman Executive Committee, 84 Spadina Avenue, Toronto; or J. S. ROBERTSON, Sec.-Treasurer National Sanitarium Association, 347 King Street West, Toronto, Canada.

LORD STRATHCONA IN HARNESS AT NINETY.

London, Aug. 6.—Lord Strathcona was today the recipient of innumerable congratulations on the attainment of his ninetieth birthday. In connection with the event a book was issued today entitled, "Canada's Coeur-de-Lion," containing appreciations from many eminent persons, including Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Lord Lansdowne and others. Many press appreciations appear, bearing tribute to Lord Strathcona's commercial greatness and his wonderful vitality.

Interviewed today, he stated that he would not celebrate the occasion, but would be at his office as usual.

"It is seventy years since I went to Canada," he said, "so that at any rate I am an old Canadian, if I am not an old man. That's what I like to remember."

Be sure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with you when starting on your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board the trains or ships. Changes of water and climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhoea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by all dealers.

The Lesson on the Strike

To the Editor of the 'Witness':

Sir.—Now that the Grand Trunk strike is settled will the press not exercise its great influence by inducing the Dominion Government to so far amend the laws that such strikes may be made impossible. Railways are no longer regarded as purely private corporations to be operated without reference to the public and merely in the interests of shareholders and bondholders. Like the post office, the telegraph and telephone, they have become, not merely a convenience, but a daily necessity to the people in their varied occupations and interests. About a hundred and five thousand passengers travel each week day on the steam roads of Canada, and over a million on its electric street and interurban roads, worth more than five hundred thousand dollars is paid in daily to these railways as freight charges and passenger fares. Parliament has recognized this close interest of the public by the appointment of railway commissioners with wide powers to regulate public grievances. Will it not take a step further and require every dispute between railways and their employees to be referred to disinterested arbitrators and compel each party to abide by the decision of these arbitrators. The Railway Commissioners themselves would be disinterested and are suggested as such arbitrators. The weak point, apparent to everyone, in the present system, is that neither party is bound by the arbitrator's decision, and that whilst as a rule, the railways have been ready to accept the decision, the men have not always been so willing. It is not necessary here to discuss the reason. The important fact remains that the public interests are jeopardized by railway strikes, trade is disorganized, travel is prolonged unsafe and, if the strike is prolonged, a shortage is created in food supplies. There is strong ground for asking the governor to intercede in protecting the public by creating machinery for making the arbitrators' decision effective.

A. T. DRUMMOND, Toronto, Aug. 3, 1910.

ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE

MAYOR OF NEW YORK.

New York, Aug. 9.—William J. Gaynor, Mayor of New York City, was shot in the head and seriously wounded today as he stood on the promenade deck of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, by James J. Gallagher, a discharged and disgraced city employee. Gallagher was almost instantly overpowered and arrested.

The shot was fired at 9:45 o'clock this morning, fifteen minutes after the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, was due to leave her pier at Hoboken, New Jersey, and the Mayor was receiving God-speed from a group of friends preparatory to a vacation trip to Europe.

BEHIND RIGHT EAR

The bullet struck him behind the right ear and ranged downward, inflicting a dangerous though not necessarily fatal wound. Unless blood poisoning develops, surgeons are confident of the Mayor's recovery, although at his age, fifty-nine years, such a wound is essentially grave.

MCKENZIE ON THE CROP

Mr. William McKenzie, of the Canadian Northern Railway, in the Toronto World quotes as follows:—

The World asked Mr. McKenzie yesterday about the reported failure of the crops in the West. His reply was:

"Never take the pessimistic view until the last shower is in. He went on to say, from the reports received a week ago from most of the points along the lines of the C. N. R. in the West, that the average condition of the crops was good and he expected to receive reports again tomorrow confirming the state affairs of a week ago, and showing considerable improvement.

His own opinion was that the crops have been reported down far too much, and that when the grain came to be cut, there will be almost an average, and at many points, good crops.

This was especially true along the line of the C. N. R. Any bad reports that have come along have come mainly from the south.

Alcohol or molasses will remove grass stains. Cold soap suds with a little kerosene added will remove fruit stains. Try boiling water on tea, coffee or chocolate stains, and diluted ammonia on lemon or orange stains.

Pungent Criticisms

One of the most pungent bits of criticism ever offered with reference to a fellow-artist's work was that uttered by the irrepressible Whistler with reference to a 'bit' done by Rossetti. Rossetti, who was an incorrigible procrastinator, had been for a long time telling Whistler of an idea he had for a picture, but each time 'Jimmy' inquired as to the progress of the idea, Rossetti would evade the issue, not having done a stroke of work in the direction indicated, and would, instead, begin to talk of his literary ventures. Finally, one day when Whistler, mischievously, no doubt but the usual query: 'And how is the picture coming on?' Rossetti, ignoring the question, said: 'Jimmy, I've a great little sonnet here I'd like to read you.' Jimmy sighed and submitted, says the Youth's Companion.

At the next meeting between the friends, Rossetti told Whistler that he had not yet finished the picture, but that he had a frame for it. Whistler inspected the frame, a fine piece of Florentine work, but said nothing. Eventually, the procrastinating Rossetti actually did complete the picture of which he had talked so much, and it was, in due course, triumphantly exhibited for Whistler's criticism. Jimmy veered curiously at the painting, then, turning to his friend, he said:

"Rossetti, if I were you, I would frame the sonnet."

It is not only the artist, or the professional art critic, whose views can be the reverse of complimentary, even to a great artist, as is evidenced by the story told of a fair amateur critic who had been viewing Lord Leighton's 'Helen of Troy' at the London Academy.

"I think it is a horrid picture," said she to the artist.

"I am very sorry to hear that," said the painter, "for it cost me three years were spent in Bengal with the rank of major-general and the last time I was in the Bombay district."

"No, I painted it," was the reply.

"Oh," continued the abashed critic, "please don't mind what I said. I only repeated what everybody else is saying."

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DUKE OF CONNAUGHT

AN APPRECIATION OF THE NEXT GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

London Daily Mail Gives Some Personal Facts Concerning the Record of King George's Uncle—He Has Been a Serious, Practical Soldier for Forty-Two Years—His Coming Marks New Epoch for Dominion.

The following personal appreciation of the Duke of Connaught appears in the London Daily Mail: During the minority of the Prince of Wales, heir apparent to the throne, the Duke of Connaught is said to have taken a conspicuous place in public duties and ceremonials. Already he has been named successor to Earl Grey as Governor-General of Canada and as representative of the King at the opening of the first federal Parliament in South Africa.

For both these tasks the Duke of Connaught is admirably equipped by nature and by training. Like his brother the late King Edward, he has tact and capacity and industry that would fit him for any position. A correspondent in Ottawa recently hinted that the duties of the Viceroy would be more onerous than the ornamental. Had he known the Duke of Connaught he would not have felt it necessary to utter this warning. For his royal highness has shown in a long and busy career that he is no idler. He has no ambition to occupy a sinecure.

From the day—forty-two years ago—when he entered the Royal Engineers he has worked at his profession not as a dilettante but as a serious and practical soldier. The record of his services in itself is proof. He passed through every branch of the army—from sapper to gunner, from infantry to cavalry, and from the Guards at Tel-el-Kebir in the Sudan campaign of 1882, and shared with the Duke of Cambridge the distinction of a royal prince who had been under fire. Twice he has held command in India, twice in England, and once in Ireland. Perhaps the severest test of his military capacity was made in India, where he remained for six years. The first three years were spent in Bengal with the rank of major-general and the last two in the Bombay district.

The Duke of Connaught in those years established his military reputation on a firm basis and created the impression which the people had already formed of his earnestness and capacity. Those who imagine that no disabilities attach to royalty know nothing of the Duke of Connaught's bitter disappointments when he was forbidden to share with his comrades the risks of war in South Africa. But Queen Victoria was adamant, and her widowed daughter, Princess Henry of Battenberg, was at hand to remind her that with such a door of opportunity as well as at the door of the cottage.

A strict disciplinarian and a diligent officer, the Duke of Connaught commands the respect of soldiers, while his good nature and his sense of duty win their affection. Only a commander with these human qualities could be told this anecdote which illustrates his highness in a way that is not only true but with a good deal of pathos.

The boy saluted and replied, with a confident smile, "Not the slightest, sir. Have you?" There is also the story that illustrates both his humor and one of the difficulties of his position. It is related that at a reception at the Horse Guards the duke met an officer who had been presented what he wanted. "Nothing, thank you, sir," was the modest reply. "I am a private soldier, and I am sure since I met an army officer who wanted nothing."

These anecdotes indicate characteristics that will appeal to Canadians who, while they love a governor-general who is royal, delight especially in one that can unbend and divest himself of ceremonial. And the Duke of Connaught can do both, for though born in the purple he has little taste for its formalities and knows the virtues of camaraderie. No governor-general, we venture to predict, will prove more popular or more efficient in the discharge of his official and social duties. These qualities will commend him to the people of South Africa also. His visit, it is true, will be one of ceremony, for it marks a new epoch in the new Dominion. But his royal highness will give to the ceremony an intimate personal note. A great traveler, he has by instinct and experience the sympathetic understanding that puts him at once into harmony with his surroundings. No one can feel long a stranger in his presence or can withhold his innermost confidence. And he has, too, that broad and imperial outlook which is the gift of temperament of travel. Many people have perhaps forgotten the sacrifice he made in order to retain the nationality which is his pride. Without hesitation he gave up his claim to the Grand Duchy of Saxe-Coburg and left to his nephew the Duke of Albany, the honors and emoluments of this great position.

Another qualification of the Duke of Connaught was to commend him to Canadians and South Africans as well as to Britons in every part of the world. He is a famous sportsman, and everybody knows, he has lately returned from East Africa, where for the second time he appeared as a hunter of big game.

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THE FATAL CONTINENT

AFRICA HAS BEEN THE GRAVE OF DARING EXPLORERS.

Many Intrepid Britons Have Perished Trying to Unravel the Secrets of the Dark Continent—Lieut. Boyd Alexander, Who Was Killed in the Rubber Country, is the Latest Victim in the Quest.

We still call Africa the "Dark Continent." We might equally well term it the "Fatal Continent," for it has claimed the lives of a greater number of explorers than all the rest of the wild regions of the earth put together.

The latest victim of the African savage is an Englishman—Lieut. Boyd Alexander, murdered by natives in the rubber country of the Wadai. Wadi fell he reached the continent of the slave trade, and is controlled by the dangerous Mohammedan secret society known as the Senussi. Alexander knew the risk he ran. His death adds one more to the long list of British martyrs to the cause of civilization.

"I mean," wrote Mungo Park, more than a hundred years ago, "to sail east with the fixed determination to discover the termination of the Niger, or perish in the attempt." He did perish in the attempt. Near Broussa the natives made a fierce attack upon his expedition and Park was obliged to fly down stream, taking the risk of shooting the dangerous rapids. His canoe struck a rock, split in pieces, and flung him and his companions into the raging waste of foam. Park made a desperate effort to swim ashore, but was swept away and drowned.

Twenty years later, in 1826, Major Alexander Leing, another hardy Scot, made a successful attempt to visit the mysterious city of Timbuktu. He was captured and held for some time by the Tuaregs—those masked bandits of the desert—who left him for dead. But though covered with wounds, he pulled through, and reaching Timbuktu stayed there for some months until the fanatic inhabitants drove him forth into the desert. He reached El Araan, a small oasis in the Sahara, and there was liberated.

Capt. Clapperton was another victim, but his death was due, not to savage spears, but to the fever-laden mists of the Niger. His servant, Richard Lander, tended him to the end, and carried his papers safely to the coast. On his journey, Lander had many thrilling adventures. In one place he was caught by natives, and subjected to the ordeal by poison—that is, he had to eat a portion of the deadly Calabar bean. By a miracle he came through it unharmed, and afterwards, in company with his brother, conducted a fresh expedition, which solved the puzzling problem of the mouths of the great River Niger.

The greatest of all African explorers was David Livingstone, whose experiences of the "Dark Continent" are recorded in his journal, and extended over thirty-three years, during which time he walked tens of thousands of miles over the bush paths of Central Africa.

His last journey was through the interior of the Congo Basin. He describes the country as "one vast sponge," interested by countless streams. The day was hot and muggy, and being the rainy season everything was saturated day and night. Under these awful conditions even Livingstone's iron physique broke down, and his devoted servants made a "little stage" on through the deep, sticky clay. On April 27th he made his last entries in his notebook on the 29th he was hardly conscious. On that day they carried him into Chitambo's village, built a bed for him, and aired the hut with a good fire. He revived a little, and lay peacefully all the 30th. In the morning he awoke to his body servant—Susi—to bring his medicine chest, and from it took a dose, and then dismissed the boy. His pupil—Jacob Wainwright, a colored man—slept in the hut with him, and woke early in the morning to attend his master. He found him kneeling by his bedside. Wainwright waited a while, then, when his absolute motionless attitude, touched him on the shoulder. The great missionary was still alive. He had been dead from life in an attitude of prayer.

Wainwright and the others buried their master's heart under a great tree, then, after carefully mummifying the body, carried it to the coast. It was conveyed to England, and buried in the presence of roared crowds in Westminster Abbey.

What is perhaps the most dreadful disaster in all the records of African exploration befell the French expedition of 1881 under Col. Flatters. After passing safely through the worst parts of the Sahara Desert, the treacherous Tuaregs swept down upon them, and killed nearly all his men, including his thirty camel-drivers, and drove off all the camels. The survivors, numbering fifty in all, started back across the sandy desert known as the "Thirst Country," pursued and harassed day and night by their Tuareg enemies. They met a tribe who professed to be friendly, and who sold them dates. The fruit was poisoned, and many died in agony.

At last they reached the wells, but these were held by the enemy, and in the fight that ensued all the Europeans but one—Lieut. Polguin by name—were killed. He struggled on with a few native porters. But now there was no food. The starving men went mad, fell on one another, and the fate of poor Polguin is too ghastly to be here described. Eventually, four sharpshooters reached the town of Wargla, the sole survivors of 82 persons who had set out full of hope a little more than five months previously.

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M. K. PIPER PROPRIETOR AND PUBLISHER. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 1910.

On the first page of this issue will be found a report of a trip by prominent fruit growers of Kings County for the purpose of ascertaining the fruit conditions of Ontario and the Eastern States, where it was claimed a much better crop would be harvested than in Nova Scotia. Their observations established the fact that Nova Scotia was no worse off this season than other fruit growing localities, and this view is confirmed by a report from a well known shipping firm in England, which gives its customers the following advice:—

"For your guidance we beg to inform you that there is not half a crop of apples in England,—about one third only. There are practically no plums and very few pears. The same remark applies to France and Belgium. The prospects point to a big demand for your apples, and in consequence of the shortage here they will be required earlier than for several years past. Again we are informed that in Ontario there is not more than half a crop of apples. We have no hesitation in saying that the coming season bids fair to be one of the best for many years in regard to prices."

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts has to go back to the Legislature of his State for re-election, and he is having the time of his life defending himself for the part he took in helping Senator Aldrich to put through the Payne-Aldrich tariff. Among other changes the Customs duties on cotton cloths were increased, though no increase was asked for or needed by the cotton manufacturers. The unpopularity of this change is a surprise to Mr. Lodge, who apparently thought it would tend to make him popular in New England. There will be little sympathy for him if it should cause his defeat, and such a result would be an emphatic warning to those who feel disposed to treat the tariff as a means of getting votes by giving favors.

GRAND DIVISION SPEAKS The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance, were in session in Halifax last week. A clause of the report of the committee on the state of the order read as follows:— "We regret to note that the Local Government has not yet appointed a Provincial Inspector under the Nova Scotia Temperance Act of 1910, and trust they may be enabled to secure an efficient inspector at an early date, so that there may be nothing to prevent the Act being put into force and carried out in its entirety."

PROFESSOR WIGGINS, OF OTTAWA, DEAD. Ottawa, Aug. 14.—Prof. E. Stone Wiggins, of Ottawa, known as a weather predictor, died here tonight, aged seventy-one years. He was a clerk in the Finance Department. The body will be sent to New Brunswick for burial.

MILES OF ASPHALT. Edmonton, Aug. 2.—An exploring party just back from Peace River estimates that there are twenty-eight cubic miles of asphalt in the vicinity of Fort Murray just waiting to be taken up. It is to be found in great mounds along the Athabasca. Salt is plentiful while the prospects of oil are excellent.

Famous Nurse of the Crimean War is Dead

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Florence Nightingale the famous nurse of the Crimean war, and the only woman who ever received Order of Merit, died yesterday at her London home. Although she had been an invalid for a long time rarely leaving her room where she passed the time in a half recumbent position, and was under the constant care of a doctor, her death was somewhat unexpected. A week ago she was quite sick but had improved, and on Friday was cheerful. During that night alarming symptoms developed and she gradually sank until 2 p. m., Saturday, when an attack of heart failure brought the end. Her funeral will be quiet as possible in accordance with her wishes. During recent years, owing to her feebleness and advanced age, Miss Nightingale had received but few visitors. On May 12 last she celebrated her 90th birthday, and was the recipient of a congratulatory message from King George.

Florence Nightingale was born, May 12, 1820. She was the first woman to follow a modern army into battle as a nurse, and in the Crimea where she gained the title of "The Angel of the Crimea." She studied nursing under the Protestant Sisters of Mercy at Germany, and returned to England. When the Crimea war broke out, she organized volunteer nurses, whom she led into the field, and was especially celebrated for her noble work at Scutari.

At the close of the war she was enabled by a testimonial fund amounting to \$250,000 to found an institution for the training of nurses, the Nightingale Home at the St. Thomas Hospital. She was also the means of calling attention to unsanitary conditions in camp hospitals. In 1908 she received freedom of the city of London. King Edward bestowed upon her the Order of Merit, the most exclusive distinction within the gift of the British sovereignty. The membership of the order is limited to twenty four, and it includes such men as Lord Roberts, Lord Wolseley, Field Marshall Kitchener, James Bryce, Prince Yamaguchi, and Admiral Togo.

Tens of Thousands Homeless and Starving Through Flood

TOKIO, Japan, Aug. 13.—The waters of the River Sumida are still rising and the Honko and Fukunawa wards of Tokio are almost completely submerged. Tens of thousands of persons are homeless and starving.

One of the three most important embankments guarding Tokio has broken. Should the second and third go the loss of life will be heavy.

Thousands of homeless persons are being sheltered in the temples and school houses, in which relief stations the most deplorable sights are witnessed. The victims of the flood are wholly dependent upon public relief. Thousands more have been unable to find shelter, owing to the insufficiency of boats to convey them to places of safety, and they are exposed to the rain and hunger. Every available boat is being employed in the work of rescue and to convey food where it is most needed.

TOKIO, Aug. 14.—At six o'clock this morning it was announced that the flood was subsiding. The casualties reported up to date are 385 dead and 500 missing. The damage to property is enormous.

Capt. W. A. Chute, the well-known and successful mover of buildings and other ponderous weights, removed the residence of L. A. Fullerton to the cellar over which stood the house which was burned last winter. Before commencing this job he was called to Port Wade to put up some machinery a shaft weighing 1400 lbs. and a sprocket of 2200 lbs. were raised eighty feet in the air. This would appear to be a formidable undertaking to a mere outsider.—Spectator.

UNFIT FOR FOOD. Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 11.—As the result of an experiment upon a guinea pig, that died after being inoculated with frozen eggs, J. Buschel, a large dealer of this city, is under arrest on a warrant obtained by the state dairy and food department on a charge of selling eggs unfit for food purposes. Harry Cassidy, special agent of the dairy and food department, alleges that Buschel sells frozen eggs that have been removed from the shells and in a solid body are disposed of to bakeries, which thaw out the product. The samples seized were examined by bacteriologists. They inoculated the guinea pig with the frozen eggs and it died within twelve hours. Two other dealers were also held for a hearing, for selling eggs unfit for food.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES PAIN

Additional Donations to Campbellton

Editor of the Monitor-Sentinel: I am enclosing you herewith for publication in your paper the amount collected by the different members of the Committee for Campbellton Relief Fund with the names of the contributors and the individual amounts subscribed by each making in all the sum of \$157.70.

I have to-day forwarded this amount by draft on the Bank of Nova Scotia there, made payable to the Treasurer of the Finance Committee at par through the kindness of Mr. Johnson the manager here. This amount is to supplement the amount voted by our citizens at the public meeting held recently and acknowledged in your last issue by the Treasurer.

Subscribed and paid at the public meeting: \$88.00 Mayor Hoyt 5.00 H. Ruggles 5.00 J. R. Dewitt 5.00 Rev. Mr. Simpson 5.00 J. W. Ross 5.00 W. B. Burns 2.00 C. B. Tupper 2.00 A. D. Brown 2.00 Rev. Underwood 2.00 Mrs. H. H. Johnson 2.50 H. H. Johnson 2.50

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Collected by J. W. Ross \$29.00 Dr. DeBlois \$5.00 Edmund Bent 5.00 Wm. Manthorne 2.00 S. Pratt 3.00 F. Crosexill 2.00 W. H. Warren 2.00 W. E. Reed & Co. 2.00 L. R. Miller 1.00 W. W. Chesley 1.00 C. F. DeWitt 1.00 A. O. Price 1.00 Norman Longley 1.00 W. C. Chesley 1.00 A. Steel Crowe 1.00 Mrs. Cameron 1.00

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Brought down \$157.70 " " 30.00 " " 29.00 " " 44.00 " " 38.00 \$157.70

H. RUGGLES, Treasurer

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT. H. Ruggles, Esq., Bridgetown, N. S.

Dear Sir:— Kindly convey to the good people of Bridgetown our sincere thanks and deepest gratitude for your kind and timely contribution of one hundred and fifty-seven dollars and seventy cents (\$157.70) in aid of our fire sufferers here. Public acknowledgement later. Yours very truly, H. F. McLatchey, Treas., Finance Com.

Obituary. MRS. JOHN PIGGOTT.

After years of impaired health and much suffering, Mrs. John W. Piggott of this town passed peacefully away on the 10th inst., aged seventy-two years. Her demise was not unexpected, but it is deeply felt in the bereaved home and among a large circle of warm friends. She was the daughter of the late Thomas Bishop, of Nictaux, and from early life has been a true Christian and kindly and sympathetic woman. Her health has for many years cast over her the shadow of suffering, but her patient spirit has borne it all with submission and hope. She was ever a devoted wife and an indulgent mother, and was greatly esteemed by her many friends. She is survived by her husband, by two daughters, Mrs. Louis Ricketson, and Miss Winnifred, at home, and by three sons, Edward, Louis and Bernard. One brother also survives her, Ingraham Bishop, of Bridgetown.

In the absence of Pastor N. A. McNeill, the funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Warren, for many years the pastor of the deceased, assisted by Rev. Denton J. Nelly of Gloucester, Mass. A large number were in attendance, and the services were deeply impressive, the favorite hymns of the departed one having been tenderly and beautifully rendered by the choir.

Small Place For Sale

Home, situated on Granville street West, Bridgetown, nice rooms with piazza and bay windows. Barn, Wagon House and other out buildings. Three quarters acre land. 75 Fruit Trees, apples, plums, pears. Short distance from two railway stations, churches and schools. Will sell right or easy terms, or would trade for farm.

W. AVARD MARSHALL, Bridgetown, Aug. 15th.

Ask for MINARD'S and take no other

PRIVATE SALE OF FURNITURE

New Dorothy Organ, Pictures, Bedroom Suits, Mattresses and Springs, Couch, Carpets, Lamps, Dishes, Tables, Chairs, 3 Stoves, Toilet Sets and all my household furniture. Mrs. A. J. Weir, Bridgetown, Aug. 9th



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Shelburne, N. S.," will be received at this office until 4.00 P. M. on Tuesday, September 6, 1910, for the construction of a wharf at Shelburne, County of Shelburne, N. S. Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of Thomas I. Locke, Esq., District Engineer, Lockport, N. S.; C. E. W. Doddwell, Esq., District Engineer, Halifax, N. S., and on application to the Postmaster at Shelburne, N. S.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given. Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of three thousand dollars \$3,000.00 which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, August 5, 1910. Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I am instructed by the Committee on streets to call the attention of the citizens of the Town of Bridgetown to the filthy condition of our streets which are a disgrace to the town and a menace to the public health, and more particularly to the condition of Queen and Granville streets, and to publish the following Town-By-Law relating to the same which I am instructed by the Town Council to rightly enforce against all persons hereafter found violating the same.

"No person shall deposit ashes, garbage or rubbish of any kind on any road, street, lane or sidewalk, or on any other public place in the said town of Bridgetown, and anyone found guilty of the offence shall be fined the sum of \$5.00 and costs." H. RUGGLES, Town Clerk, Bridgetown, August 2nd, 1910.

OUR ANNUAL MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE Commences July 20. Ends Aug. 20 SEE THE BIG DISCOUNTS WE OFFER ON THESE LINES Ladies' Wash Suits 12 only. Regular selling price was \$4.98 and \$5.25 each. Your choice while they last for \$3.50 each. Ladies' White Blouses Regular Price \$.60, .85, .90 .98. Sale Price \$.39, .60, .65, .70. Ladies' Panama Suits An exceptionally fine tailored garment. 3 (only) Suits; colours, royal, navy and black. One of each shade. size 36. Regular price \$12.00, now only \$8.50. 20% off Whitewear Underskirts, Drawers and Night Gowns selling at 20 per cent off. Strong & Whitman PHONE 32 RUGGLES BLOCK.

For Sale 1 Jersey Cow, 1 Mare, 1 Express Wagon, 1 Carryall, 2 Light Buggies, 1 Kitchen Cabinet. W. A. MARSHALL, Bridgetown, August 9th

MILLINERY BARGAINS! MISS ANNIE CHUTE is selling off the balance of her stock of Summer Millinery very low to clear. HATS PURCHASED SATURDAY, WITH TRIMMINGS, WILL BE TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE.

Repairing The subscriber having opened a boot and shoe repairing shop on Water street opposite the blacksmith shop would respectfully solicit the public patronage. JAS. BRANIFF, May 21st, 3 mos. MILLINERY SNAPS! The balance of our Summer Stock of Millinery will be sold at cost to clear.

This Excellent GO-CART for only \$8.50 It has rubber tires, folds into a small space and is trimmed with dark leather. We have only a few left. 20 per cent discount on other Baby Carriages for this week. J. H. HICKS and SONS Furniture and Builders' Materials, Factory & Warerooms - BRIDGETOWN N. S.

Sweater Coats! 2 cases Ladies' Sweater Coats of the celebrated Hewson make in all the new fall designs, marked at very low prices SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK 44 LADIES' SWEATER COATS of the above make in white, smoke and silver \$1.50. Other lines at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.90 and \$4.75. We are still giving big discounts on all Summer Goods. John Lockett & Son.

PLEASE NOTICE
We respectfully request our patrons not to overlook the fact that all subscriptions are payable strictly in advance.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Halifax has organized a "Booster Club."

Melba will be in Halifax on September the first.

Native peaches are in the market at sixty cents a basket.

The watering cart made a trip through the town on Monday.

The Methodist Camp-meeting of Berwick, closes a successful session this week.

The County Sunday School Convention has been postponed from Sept. 2nd to Sept. 20th. To be held at Melvern Square.

Hon. W. H. Owen and daughter, Olive, who were injured in a carriage accident at Bridgewater on Monday, are now out of danger.

Mr. Wm. Manthorne started out with his grain thresher on Monday. The crop is a record one and his engagements will keep him busy some time.

The marriage took place at Deep Brook yesterday of Miss Mary Ebebe Payson to Rev. Arthur Silver Payson. Both are graduates of Dalhousie.

The case against Mrs. Harry M. Pridie with regard to the auto accident in which Mrs. Pridie was driving the machine which killed Mrs. Brine, the wife of the plaintiff, is to be heard today.

A. S. Barnstead, the secretary of industries and immigration department, will visit Great Britain during September and October in the interests of the immigration campaign instituted by the provincial government.

Mr. George Lake has sold out his harness stock and has vacated the building leased by him from Miss Lockett, all his business now being carried on at the Larrigan factory situated south of the D. A. R. railway track.

Archie Ruggles, son of Norman Ruggles, of Weymouth, got his A. certificate at the Pictou Academy this year and accomplished the feat of completing the four year course of French and a two year's course of German in one year's study.

A despatch from Yarmouth 15th inst. says:—Seismic disturbance lasting fully ten seconds, occurred here at an early hour this morning. They were distinctly heard throughout the town and in several sections of the country. No damage to property has been reported.

The United Baptist Women's missionary convention of the maritime provinces is being held in Yarmouth, August 17th and 18th, in Zion church. A large number of delegates are present. Nine missionaries are to be sent to India this autumn by the Baptists of these provinces.

The Monitor congratulates its valued contemporary the Yarmouth Herald in attaining its seventy-eighth birthday. It starts the new year with excellent prospects and with a larger circulation and a more extensive business patronage than ever before. Long may it prosper.

The sailor who was charged with stealing money from his captain's trunk was tried in Judge Pelton's court. John Irvin, K. C., was prosecutor. The prisoner pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two months in jail with hard labor. Here before there have been no facilities for giving prisoners hard labor in the Annapolis jail, but the Judge said this state of affairs must be remedied.—Spectator.

The Westville Free Lance claims that the first rural free delivery mail route to be put in circulation is between New Glasgow and Kings Head, Little Harbor, which was opened August first. The Free Lance is some what astray as the residents of Clarence in this County have been enjoying the privileges of the rural free delivery system for the past month. There are about thirty residents of this section served by the system. Each has provided a post before his gateway and has paid \$3.00 for the mail box. The box is a neat metal receptacle with lock and key. On each box is the name of the owner with the inscription "Royal Mail Canada" and the royal coat of arms.

PERSONAL

LeMoine Ruggles and Sydney Fay are enjoying an outing at Port Lorne.

Mr. and Mrs. James FitzRandolph, of Boston, are guests at the Grand Central.

Mrs. J. Salter leaves today on a visit to her niece, Mrs. Seidler, of Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Harry Baughman and little son, of Boston, are at Port Lorne for a few weeks' outing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peters attended the Odd Fellow's Convention at Truro last week.

Mrs. Arnold McColgan and children of Ottawa, are visiting her brother, Wm. Spurr, Elmhurst, Clarence.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chapin and son, George, of Somerville, Mass., are visiting Mr. James Goldsmith.

Mr. F. L. Milner, of the firm of Rogers, Milner and Purdy, of Amherst, has been in town a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chipman, of Wolfville, were in town last week on their way to Port Lorne to spend an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, of Ottawa, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. McLeod during the past week.

Mrs. Marsh left on Thursday for an extended visit with friends in Kentville, Canning and other places along the line.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Welling and daughters of Moncton, N.B., are visiting Mr. Welling's sister, Mrs. Eliza Messenger.

Mrs. Alice M. Orde and Mrs. Maud Marshall are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marshall, of Clarence.

Mr. Charles Palfrey, of the staff of S. S. Pierce Co., Brookline, Mass., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palfrey.

Misses Ruby Stronach, Nan Hoyt, Gladys VanBuren and Minnie Buckler have returned from a pleasant week's outing at the Bay View, Port Lorne.

Mrs. D. J. MacQuarrie and daughter, Isabella, of Haverhill, Mass., are spending a few weeks at the home of the former's brother, Mr. Neil Walker.

Miss Salter, of Parrsboro, who has been the guest of her uncle, Captain J. Salter for the past week, has returned home, accompanied by her cousin, Millidge Salter.

The new secretary of the Y.M.C.A. Mr. L. R. Archibald, has arrived and entered upon his duties this week. His family accompanied him, says the Yarmouth Telegram.

Miss Grace Woodward arrived home Saturday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Forster, Natick, Mass. She was accompanied by her sister and children, who will spend a month with her parents in Granville.

W. A. Hills, Burpee Phinney, Will Murray, Fred Murray, Clifford Messenger and Ira Britton left on Monday for Campbellton, N. B. Unless conditions favor their remaining there for a season, they will join the harvesters' excursion.

Mrs. Alice Murphy and daughters, Misses Susie and Nettie Cook, of Salem, Mass., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Emma Burns. Mrs. Burns has been quite ill for a fortnight past from quinsy sore throat, and is slowly improving.

Dr. Avery DeWitt, who has been taking a special course in Germany, has arrived home and will, on the arrival of Mrs. DeWitt from St. John, occupy his commodious residence on University avenue and practice his profession in Wolfville.

Mrs. Peter Nicholson, who has been spending the winter in Boston with her daughter, Mrs. Stewart, arrived in Bridgetown on Monday for a brief visit after which she will go to Marshalltown, Digby County, for the remainder of the summer.

Rev. Denton J. Nelly, pastor of the First Baptist church of Gloucester, Mass., and wife are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Chute. Mr. Nelly occupies the pulpit of the Baptist church here next Sunday and the German St. Baptist church, of St. John the last Sunday of the month.

Mrs. Jessie Huntington has gone to New York, where she will meet her daughter, Miss Alice Huntington, who has been with a party of school friends on a trip to Europe taking in the Passion Play at Oberammergau. Mrs. Huntington will visit her son at Philadelphia and friends in Toronto and Montreal before her return. Miss Huntington returns to her teaching position in Texas—Wolfville Cor. to Herald.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Apples are almost as precious as gold to those who are fortunate enough to have any.

At latest accounts the condition of Mayor Gaynor, of New York, showed fair prospects of recovery.

Mr. Doane, editor of the Truro News, and Mrs. Doane, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fulmer last week.

C. L. Gesner, who has been teaching at Weymouth recently, goes to Westport, Digby County, for the coming year.

Mr. Harry F. Bishop, of the Liverpool branch of the Union Bank of Halifax, spent a part of his annual holiday in Bridgetown last week.

M. P. Miller, of Boston, and Jas. H. Miller, of Winchendon, Mass., have been visiting the province and have erected a family monument at Arlington.

Rev. W. B. Muir, who has been supplying the pastorate of the Presbyterian church, Annapolis, has received a unanimous call by the congregation.

Rev. B. J. Porter and family attended Berwick Camp-meeting last week. Mrs. Porter was taken ill the last of the week but was able to return home yesterday.

Rev. R. G. Fulton, of Woodstock, N. B., preached in the Methodist church last Sunday and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fay during his stay here. Mr. Fulton is the editor of the Woodstock Sentinel Review.

Mrs. Everett Sproute returned home from a visit in New Brunswick last week, and was accompanied by her niece, Miss Mary Sproule, of Norton, N. B. Miss Abbie Phaneuf, of Port Lorne has also been the guest of Mrs. Sproute since her return.

Miss Bessie Crowe has returned from a visit to Little Harbor, Pictou County, where she was the guest of Rev. A. J. and Mrs. MacDonald. It will be gratifying to the reverend gentlemen's many friends here to know that he is greatly improved in health since going to Little Harbor.

The new principal of Horton Collegiate Academy has been appointed in place of Ernest A. Robinson resigned. The many friends of William L. Archibald Ph.D., will be glad to know that he has accepted the principalship of the university, after a month's successful campaign as field secretary for Acadia, and the best wishes of all will accompany him into his new field of labor. Dr. Archibald is a graduate of Acadia in the class of '92, a student of Semitic languages at the University of Chicago and a graduate of Rochester, and Ph.D. of the National University of Chicago.—Ex.

FATALLY BURNED

Mrs. Mary A. Doyle, aged seventy-seven years was terribly burned by the explosion of a lamp in her home, who will spend a month with her parents in Granville.

BORN

CRISP.—At Paradise, Aug. 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Crisp a daughter, Dorothy Winifred.

DIED

AMBERMAN.—At Granville Ferry, Aug. 14th, after a lingering illness, Eliza, beloved wife of William Amberman, aged 64 years.

Lost

LOST.—A gold mounted tiger's tooth stick pin, between C. F. DeWitt's and Church of England. Reward offered. Frazier please leave at Post Office, Bridgetown.

Wanted

EGGS WANTED.—20 cents per dozen at J. E. Lloyd & Son's.

TEACHER WANTED.—A Grade C teacher wanted at Port Lorne School Section. (male preferred.) Apply to A. M. MILBURY, Secty. and Trustee. Port Lorne, Aug. 15th, 1 inst.

TEACHER WANTED.—A grade B or C teacher for Port Wade School Section. Apply to EDWARD JOHNS, Section Trustee, Port Wade.

TEACHER WANTED.—A Grade C teacher wanted for Hampton School Section. Apply to CURTIS FOSTER, Secty. Trustee, Hampton, Aug. 9th, 2 inst.

Classified ADVERTISEMENTS

TRANSIENT RATES: 10c. a line; Three consecutive issues will be charged as two. Minimum charge, 25c.

Business Notices

Peach and Plum Baskets at J. E. LLOYD & SON'S.

Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.85 cash at E. S. PIGGOTT'S.

We are selling this week five dozen Wakefield Water Resistant Hats \$2.00. HAYWARD'S CLOTHING STORE.

Forty-three cases Men's, Women's and Children's Rubbers. Prices to suit the hard times, E. S. PIGGOTT.

Three dozen Straw Hats, regular \$1.50, now \$1.00. HAYWARD'S CLOTHING STORE.

Electric Varnish for hard wood floors and furniture. \$1.00 per quart. J. E. LLOYD & SON.

LABOR DAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1910. The HALIFAX & SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY will sell round trip tickets at the ONE-WAY FARE between all stations on September 2nd and 3rd valid for return until Wednesday, September 7th, 1910.

Buy your Fruit Jars at C. L. PIGGOTT'S. We have the Mason, Lightning and Gem.

We are offering Palmer's HAM-MOCKS at 20 per cent discount. K. FREEMAN.

J. W. Beckwith will pay 25c per lb. for GOOD WHITE WASHED WOOL another week, in exchange for goods.

Those REP DRESS GOODS so many customers have been waiting for have arrived at J. W. BECKWITH'S this week.

SHORE COTTAGE TO LET. A furnished cottage at Port Lorne. Apply to T. W. TEMPLEMAN.

20c for EGGS and BUTTER at J. W. Beckwith's.

All customers who inspect J. W. Beckwith's large stock of DRESS GOODS are satisfied that they can do better in price and get better suited at his store.

MONEY TO LOAN.—On First-Class Real Estate, security. Apply to O. S. MILLER.

NOTICE. For the convenience of those wanting Electric Beans and Electric Balm a quantity has been left at the store of Mrs. S. C. Turner, where they can be had at the usual price. F. H. DODGE, General Agent.

NOTICE. HAIR WORK DONE at Round Hill. Will make combs or cut hair into Puffs, Transformations, and Switches. Terms moderate. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mail orders promptly attended to. Address: MISS GEORGINA BANCROFT, Round Hill, Anns. Co.

FOR SALE.—Apply to R. J. MESSENGER.

FOR SALE.—Safe, nearly new, medium size. Apply to MRS. I. M. OTTERSON.

FOR SALE.—School Tax Forms. Apply at MONITOR OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—One second-hand sewing machine, in good repair. Also ash bedstead, mattress and spring. Apply at MONITOR OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—Good Milch Cow, Durham, Apply to ALFRED BARNES, Upper Granville, Aug. 9th, 3 inst.

FOR SALE.—A quantity of Old Type. Suitable for Babbling. MONITOR OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—A fine and stylish covered carriage.—cheap. T. D. RUGGLES.

FOR SALE.—A Kerosene Tank, almost new. Apply at MONITOR OFFICE.

FOR SALE.—A three horse power Gasoline Engine, Fairbanks Morse make. All but new. Will sell at a bargain. For further information apply to ISAAC C. WHITMAN, Round Hill, Box 61.

SUMMER GOODS Still Arriving Call and inspect our large and varied stock before purchasing anything in Dry Goods. We are showing many very attractive lines. Always a pleasure to show goods. J. W. BECKWITH

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Nova Scotia Crops
SUMMER 1910.
Hay crop, immense, grain, potatoes roots, excellent; pastures never better; live stock flourishing—in fact, a record year for the general farmer; but, fruit, a dismal failure. Such is the season of 1910. Even including the failure in fruit, it will be a great year for Nova Scotia. There will be fodder in abundance, and the farmer will be encouraged to multiply his live stock holdings, and those animals that he now possesses will be in better thrift and give greater returns than for years. And it will not be all lost in the fruit sections. The trees are growing and storing up food for other year's crops. This year's famine is the precursor of record fruit years to come.

SEASON OF 1910.
A mild winter was succeeded by an early spring. March and April were warm months and the grass was almost as forward by the end of the first week in May as it usually is at the end of that month. The last weeks of May and early weeks of June brought cool weather and copious rains. Several frosts were experienced during this period, notably on June 5th and 6th, when considerable damage was done. On lands that were either naturally or artificially well drained, crops were put in from one to two weeks earlier than during the previous year; on wet, poorly drained lands, seeding was almost as late as in the previous years. At the present time, growth is much more luxuriant than for many years, but the crops are not any nearer maturity than at the corresponding time last year.

CROP RETURNS
This crop report is based upon the estimates of one hundred and fifty correspondents representing every county in the province. Never have we seen our correspondents come so near agreeing upon the character of the various crops reported upon. The figures given represent the percentage of crop as compared with 1908, and also as compared with a so-called average year.

HAY—ESTIMATED YIELD.
Compared with 1909 upland 123; Interval 112; Marsh 120;
Compared with average crop upland 121; Interval 110 Marsh 118.
Not a single correspondent reports less than 100 per cent crop, and several report high as 200 per cent. Newly seeded, well cultivated areas are producing almost as much hay as they could be expected to grow. Some correspondents write that the old lands are not much better than in former years. It will always be thus. In other countries crops must be rotated and lands frequently plowed and seeded if big yields of hay are to be expected. Nova Scotia's procedure of leaving farmers would lead one to believe that they thought otherwise. Clover is more abundant than usual, which will make the hay all the more nutritious. In addition to the heavy yield this year, from five per cent. to ten per cent. of last year's crop is being carried over. There is, therefore, in sight, at the present time, many thousand tons more hay than for years. Corresponding reports are being received from all Eastern Canada and the United States and every thing points to low prices for this fodder. We would like to see a stimulant state of affairs for years to come, for it would lead farmers to keep and raise more stock of all kinds, which seems to be the crying need if Nova Scotian agriculture is to be improved.

OATS AND OTHER GRAINS
Compared with 1909 107 p. c.
Compared with average 105 p. c.
On well drained lands, oats and other grains will be relatively as good as hay, but on the wet lands the crop will not be any heavier than last year and in some cases lighter. The general average is, therefore, about eleven per cent. lower than hay-straw promises to be relatively heavy. There is about five per cent. more land in this crop than last year.

POTATOES.
Compared with 1909 95 p. c.
Compared with average 100 p. c.
Estimates in regard to this crop are quite variable, ranging from fifty per cent to one hundred and twenty-five per cent. The same observations made in regard to the character of the soil in the discussion of the general crops apply to the potato crop. Potato bugs have been unusually troublesome, which is usually the case after a mild winter. However, it is yet too soon to say anything definite about this crop. The average of potatoes is about five per cent. less than in 1909.

TURNIPS AND OTHER ROOTS.
Compared with 1909 104 p. c.
Compared with average 110 p. c.
The prospect for the root crop is extra good. There is an increase in the acreage devoted to mangles of 14 per cent, and to turnips of ten per cent. The prospects are, therefore, for a considerably larger gross return from these crops than for any previous year. This extra amount of roots will provide, along with the hay, a considerably extra amount of fodder for stock.

INDIAN CORN AND OTHER FORAGE CROPS.
There is about the same acreage devoted to these crops which are grown for the purpose of supplementing summer pastures. The yield will be about ten per cent. higher than last year.

PASTURES.
Pastures are universally reported excellent and have been so ever since the middle of May. Cattle were generally turned out from ten days to two weeks earlier than usual. It is now the month of August and the pastures are almost as green as in June and there seems little likelihood of bare pastures this year.

CONDITION AND NUMBERS OF LIVE STOCK.
There is about a five per cent. increase in dairy cattle. Beef cattle have been reduced about one per cent and sheep, most unfortunately, still continue to decrease; this year it is estimated to the extent of three per cent. Several correspondents complain bitterly of the dog nuisance.

DAIRY PRODUCE.
Everything points to a record year for butter and cheese. Private dairying is growing and figures at present to land in regard to factory dairying are most encouraging. The Scotchurn Creamery, for example, is producing nearly three times as much butter as last year, and last year's record was double the previous year. One new factory has been established, near Berwick, in Kings County, and several localities are considering the erecting of factories.

FRUIT.
We have finished the optimistic part of our report and now have to consider the most signal failure of the fruit crop since it became commercially established in the province. Several reasons have been adduced for the failure. The season opened unusually early, the fruit buds began to swell at least two weeks earlier than in the previous year. Frosts in the latter part of April, followed by cool, wet weather and severe frosts on June 5th and 6th are the explanations most frequently given for a crop that will not be more than one-quarter to one-third as heavy as last year. With few exceptions, trees that have heavily fruited in the past year, are almost bare this year. Trees which failed to bear last year have in some cases, a promise of a very good yield this year. The most promising variety is the Baldwin, followed by Sprys, Kings and Ben Davis. There are odd sections where Gravenstein and other varieties are quite good, but, for the most part, they are almost a complete failure. The quality too promises to be poor. Owing to the small crop, many have ceased spraying and fungus diseases are being evidenced. Pears, plums and other fruits are also light. There is no question that the fruit growers will have to face a disastrous year. There are two consoling features. First, the foliage is luxuriant and the corresponding tree growth excellent. This will lay the foundation for a record crop some future year. Second, the orchardist who, in addition to growing trees, keeps stock and grows general farm produce will still have something for his year's work. It would be a blessing in disguise if such a year as the present would lead to his example being more generally imitated.

The following telegram just received from A. McNeil, Chief of the Fruit Division, Ottawa, offers a further consoling feature: "Eastern apple prospects lower than last month. Ontario winters very light. Eastern apples and pears, medium; plums, light; peaches good; raspberries, currants, gooseberries and grapes average. United States apples below average in Eastern States. Pacific States, full crop. Peaches, good; other fruit, medium. Great Britain, apples below average. Plums, poor; other fruits, below average. Continental apple crop, medium."

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.
This report has been compiled by Mr. A. J. Campbell, of the Office of Industries and Immigration, and has been edited by the undersigned. On behalf of all interested, I wish to publicly thank those correspondents from the various counties of Nova Scotia who have voluntarily contributed their estimates.
(Signed) M. CUMMING, Secretary for Agriculture.

The Crop That Pays
No farmer can make the broad statement that one crop pays better than another. The amount of the return depends largely upon the character of the land on which the crop is grown. One kind of land brings the greatest return from a certain crop; another piece of land of different quality would perhaps yield a very small return if sowed to the same crop. Finding out the particular class of crops the land is best suited to is therefore a very important matter for the wide-awake farmer.

A splendid example of what can be gained by the intelligent adaptation of crops to soil conditions is to be found in the county of Norfolk, Ontario. In certain parts of that county there are considerable areas of sandy land that cannot hope to compete with heavier, richer soils in the growing of wheat and other staple grains. Thus, farmers who attempted to grow these crops found that their profits were not as satisfactory as might have been desired. Some years ago, however, a few men noted that the soil and the climate of the county were well suited to growing fruit, especially apples. The Norfolk Fruit Grower's Association was formed and forthwith started on a reputation making campaign. All members agreed to care for and spray their orchards as stipulated by the rules of the Association. Incidentally, too, all fruit was to be marketed through the central agency. The results have been little short of phenomenal. The orchard acreage has been largely increased, Norfolk apples are now held as second to none in the markets of the world and the profits have been most gratifying. As a consequence, land values, in the last six years, have doubled.

And this has been accomplished mainly by selecting the crop best adapted to the soil. The work that the Commission of Conservation has undertaken, of classifying lands according to the character of the soil to determine what crops can most profitably be grown, is therefore a task of no small importance. If the Commission points out the crops that pay the best on different soils, both the farmer and the nation will be the richer for it.

USES OF SAWDUST.
Sawdust is usually regarded as an objectionable product because it increases the danger of fire if deposited near mills or lumber piles and necessitates either cartage with accompanying expense or the construction of a "burner" and the use of conveyors or carts to transfer it from the saws.

A double economy, however, is now in progress. As a result of the use of band saws instead of the old circular and gang saws, a log that, under the old system produced eight boards, will now produce nine, a very substantial increase in product with a corresponding decrease in the amount of sawdust produced.

Owing to its chemical and mechanical properties, it has an ever increasing field of usefulness. Used as an absorbent for nitro-glycerine, it produces dynamite. Used with clay and burned, it produces a terra-cotta brick full of small cavities that, owing to its lightness and its properties as a non-conductor, makes excellent fire-proof material for partition walls. Treating it with fused caustic alkali produces oxalic acid. Treating it with sulphuric acid and fermenting the sugar formed, produces alcohol. Mixed with a suitable binder and compressed, it can be used for making mouldings and imitation carvings; while, if mixed with Portland cement, it produces a flooring material. It is an excellent packing material for fragile articles and for dangerous explosives and can be used as packing in walls to make them sound-proof and cold proof.

St. Mary's, N. B., Feb. 18, 1909.
Empire Lignum Co., Ltd., Bridgetown, N. S.
Dear Sirs,
This is to certify that I have handled your Empire Lignum since it was first introduced in this section and today it is my best seller. I am closing out other lines as my customers demand Empire and will not take a substitute. I personally know of cases where it has given wonderful results and I have no hesitation in saying that I believe it to be the most reliable lignum advertised on the market today. I am placing a large order which please give your kind attention.
Yours very truly,
F. W. GEORGE, Druggist.

Woman For State Governor
Concord, G. H., Aug. 1—Ex-Senator William E. Chandler, in a statement made today, declares that the only real way of determining whether or not a woman may be governor of New Hampshire is to elect the woman first and then let the Supreme Court decide the question.

The former Senator says this is a discussion of the decision made by Attorney-General Eastman that the name of Marilla M. Ricker cannot appear legally on the ballot at the primaries September 6th. Senator Chandler's statement follows: "Strong argument will be necessary to convince me that Attorney-General Eastman or Secretary of State Pearson can prevent Mrs. Ricker from being a candidate. Such action on their part might be tolerated if the Constitution said that the Governor of New Hampshire must be a male biped."

WHAT DOES "HE" MEAN?
"But it does not say that. It only says that the Governor shall be of the age of 21 by year and shall have lived in the State for seven years. To be sure it uses the word 'he,' but that word embraces 'she,' so apparently a 'she' can be a Governor."

"Naturally the way to find out whether a woman can really be a governor is for the voters to select a woman at the primaries and then elect her at the polls. Until these two things are done, the question does not arise in a sufficiently formal manner to justify any decision against a woman candidate for Governor. After they are done, the question may properly go before the Supreme Court in such form that it can be formally and authoritatively decided."

"To be sure there have been previous decisions about women. Chief Justice Doe held that a woman (Mrs. Ricker) could be a member of the bar. That was no decision that she could not be a Governor. He also elaborately, after his wonderful fashion, undertook to demonstrate that a woman could not hold a State office. But this further opinion of his was mere obiter dictum and should count for nothing except as a fine example of the erudition and power of the needless disquisition of the eccentric Chief Justice!"

NOVA SCOTIA LEADS ALL IN TECHNICAL EDUCATION.
Member of Royal Commission Surprised at Our Up-to-date Schools.

Montreal, Aug. 2—That Nova Scotia leads in the matter of technical education was the opinion expressed by Gaspard De Serres, a member studying this matter, who returned home yesterday.

"Quebec is on the way to have a good system, but I was surprised to find even in the smaller places in Nova Scotia that there were up-to-date technical schools. Halifax, Sydney, Antigonish and even Truro, with 800 population have schools of technical education" that were our envy.

"The Commission sits next in New Brunswick."

PREMIER UNHURT IN TRAIN WRECK.
Sir Wilfred's Special in Collision With a Freight-Both Engines Wrecked and Several Passengers Injured

Regina, Aug. 7—While speeding along at sixty miles an hour late Friday night with what the engineer believed to be a clear track before him, Sir Wilfred Laurier's special train collided head on with a fast train westbound, about midway between Moosejaw and Regina. The premier was thrown from his seat to the floor amid a litter of broken dishes and overturned furniture, but rose and declared himself unhurt.

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A CRIME OF THE PEOPLE
The confession of a murderer in France has accidentally revealed a crime for which the whole nation must assume responsibility. A farmer was arrested for the murder of his five children, whose mutilated bodies were found in bed. There were no grounds for doubting his guilt. The man was a widower, and as he desired to marry a rich woman the children were an encumbrance. The Judge spoke strongly on the evident and certain guilt of the prisoner. Public indignation was so strong that some shouted in fury for lynch law. The man was not condemned to death, but to a fate perhaps worse, for he died in prison, to which he had been committed for life. Now the real murderer has confessed, and the guilty and red-handed nation is as indignant against him as it was against the innocent man. No doubt there will be many excuses and palliations offered and many explanations made, but the fact remains that the people have committed a crime for which they can make no atonement.

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BOY'S EYE TORN OUT BY RAILROAD TORPEDO.
Montreal, August 8—Roy Silsmer, a young son of Donald Silsmer, of this city, picked up a railroad torpedo yesterday and boy-like placed it upon a rail and smashed a stone down upon it. One eye was torn completely out of its socket by the result of explosion.

AT THE HAGUE.
London, Aug. 8—At the Hague today, Mr. Root contended that the were not simply those of the Treaty of 1818 that the right to fish was to be a liberty in common. Mr. Root submitted that the makers of the treaty understood it in accordance with the American contention, and they had no idea whatever that the grant which they were making was to be subject to any power of authority of Great Britain to restrict, limit, modify or affect by subsequent legislation. He contended the French had exercised these fishing rights on part of these coasts under an earlier treaty with Great Britain, without being subject to local regulations, and the American rights were in effect the same rights, and were understood to be the same, before lawyers began to argue and try to find some distinction between the two.

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To the S. S. Workers:

As the County Convention meets at Melvern Square within a few weeks we would like to receive an offering from the schools toward the Provincial Work that have not as yet contributed. We are now a Eastern County but to keep this honor our apportionment of \$1500 must be met and not quite half of it has been raised.

We hope during this month to receive a contribution from the schools. Amounts received since June 1st:

South Williamson, Bapt.	\$1.00
Clarence, Bapt.	1.00
Clementvale, Meth.	1.00
Upper Clements, Bapt.	1.80
Annapolis, Bapt.	3.00
Nictaux Falls, Meth.	3.00
Nictaux Centre, Bapt.	1.50
Island (Collector's Card)	1.70
Princeton	3.25
Milford	2.25
Bal. on Card from Round Hill	.15
Collection per meeting Torbrook	5.00
Collection per meeting Falkland Ridge	4.16
Collection per meeting Round Hill	3.31
Collection per meeting Nictaux Falls	3.67
Collection per meeting Clementsport	2.16
Mrs. G. W. Whitman	1.00

Yours in the work,
A. E. YOUNG,
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Lawrencetown, Aug. 8th.

In buying a cough medicine, don't be afraid to get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is sure to follow. Especially recommended for coughs, colds and whooping cough. Sold by all dealers.

THE DEADLY CANCER

The recent congress of the British Medical Association was noteworthy for several able addresses delivered on the subject of the treatment of cancer. One eminent surgeon maintained that at present surgery alone could be relied on as the great remedy. Only one real opportunity to cure exists, viz.—at the first operations which should be pressed to the fullest extent. If all the malignant growths could be excised at a certain stage of development, all could be cured. There is not likely to be a recurrence of the trouble after three years freedom following an operation, absolutely none after five years. Treatment by drugs and serum are futile. Another equally eminent surgeon took the position that radium was of some aid in effecting a cure, for radium has a beneficent action, not merely caustic. The rays apart from their caustic action are particularly deadly to cancer cells immediately picking them out by selective action.—Ex.

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Nearing End of Tour

Woman Automobilist on Last Lap of World-Circling Drive.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Mrs. Harriet Clark Fisher, proprietor of a factory at Trenton, N. J., left Chicago yesterday on the last lap of a 24,000 mile automobile trip that has taken her through several European and Asiatic countries. She is accompanied by her secretary, Walter Brooks, a maid and a valet.

Since her arrival in San Francisco on the steamer "Siberia" from Japan two weeks ago, Mrs. Fisher has traversed the tourist route from the Golden Gate City to Los Angeles; the desert route from that city to Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah, and has made the trip from Cheyenne and Denver, via Grand Island, Omaha, and Des Moines without accident. Her car is a locomobile.

Mrs. Fisher left the United States on July 19, 1909, and upon arriving in Europe toured through France, Germany, Switzerland, and Italy, and then crossed the Mediterranean into Egypt. The automobile carried its four passengers up and down the banks of the Nile for several hundred miles. She also drove her car through India, Ceylon, Japan and China. The party landed at San Francisco June 17th. Mrs. Fisher expects to go directly from Chicago to Trenton.

THE TREMENDOUS ADVANTAGE OF BEING READY WHEN OPPORTUNITY COMES ALONG.

You hear of men who suddenly leap to fame compressing in a single day, perhaps, what others have struggled for in vain for years. Some of the men who are leaders in industry and literature today were unheard of yesterday. A young man who has been working in a poorly paid position in a theatrical company writes to me that he is now a millionaire. He played a honest, honest conditions during his theatrical career. The day after the play is produced he is praised in all the newspapers. The next week his picture and the story of his success are in all the magazines.

Opportunity, you say, came to him true, but the same opportunity comes to thousands of other young men similarly situated. It happened that this particular man was ready for it. He knew that his chance would come some day. Instead of sitting down and making plaintive outcries because it was late in coming, he worked and thought by day and night making ready for its arrival.

Today he is making a great deal of money—perhaps more than is good for his work. Envious rivals say that they wish they had his luck. He didn't have any luck. He only had the shrewdness to know that opportunity would surely visit him some day, and that it would not be worth while to shut the door on it when it did come.

FINEST CATTLE SHEDS & AWNERICA.

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"I have travelled all over this continent, and have religiously inspected all the live stock accommodations at the principal fairs, and have no hesitancy in complimenting the Dominion Exhibition Executive in St. John, N. B., upon having the most thoroughly up-to-date and luxurious accommodations for animals I have ever seen."

This statement was made by a well-known cattle breeding authority in one of the Maritime Provincial newspapers a short time ago after a visit to the completed buildings on the St. John grounds where the Dominion Exhibition for 1911 is to be held from September 5th to 15th. The cattle accommodations referred to include one gigantic sloping cattle shed, in which five hundred head can be accommodated—affording visitors a comprehensive view of this department at a glance. The long commodious stalls are fitted with patent troughs, fresh water faucets, special ventilation, brilliant lighting and natural drainage. The sheep pens, pigery, horse boxes and poultry houses are alike new and modern. The architectural designs for these structures were made from the best available accommodations heretofore standing, with special facilities made possible by the sloping condition of the St. John grounds. The safety and cleanliness of the animals and the convenience of sight-seers have been kept in mind throughout the erection of these buildings.

AN OMISSION.

Nervous and Inexperienced Host, (rising hurriedly at the conclusion of the song)—Ladies and gentlemen, before he started—to er—sing, Mr. Bawnall asked me to apologize for his—er—voice, but I—er—omitted to do so—er—so I—er—apologize now!

POULTRY NOTES

BY C. M. BARNITZ

RESIDENTS OF BRIDGETOWN, N. S.

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SPROUTED OATS DANDY FOR POULTRY.

A friend whose husband was forever teasing her because she got no eggs in winter quietly came to us for a tip. She wanted winter eggs, but she wished to have one on John more. She had been feeding cut bone and mixed grains, but no greens, and the solid ration made her hens too fat to lay.

We furnished her enough sprouted oats (ill what she soaked should sprout and advised her to give her hens less grain and to make them scratch hard for that antacid and blood circulator.

Pretty soon the eggs began to come, and instead of accepting it all as bona fide John accused her of feeding egg dopes. She showed him a long box of sprouted green oats which had been kept



SPROUTED OATS.

covered behind the kitchen stove, and the laugh was on John.

Note the picture. These oats were sprouted in cheese box lids fourteen inches in diameter, kept warm beside our hot water heater in the cellar in January.

Two quarts of heavy oats when soaked are enough for a lid and make a good meal of green feed for forty to fifty hens.

A sprouting space 3 by 3 feet will give a plentiful day's feed for 600 hens. All that is necessary are a box with a rim, good heavy oats, plenty of water and a temperature of 60 degrees or more.

Soak the oats for twenty-four hours, then spread them no deeper than two inches in the receptacle and water well every day.

Bore a few holes in the box for drainage, set it level and do not stir the oats or allow them to get dry.

For a continuous supply you must put oats to soak right along to take the place of what you feed.

The oats soon begin to grow, the sprouts coming to four to six inches



HELPING THEMSELVES.

In from ten to fifteen days. All poultry like sprouted oats. Phenants and Belgian hares run for it. Feed it when tender as lettuce, feed it regularly and watch the eggs pile up.

DON'TS.

Don't keep poultry right close to the well. You can't use the water; it will smell.

Don't forget that fruit and poultry pay. There'll be fruit to sell and store away.

Don't leave doors open. Your cocks may get together and be spoiled for show.

Don't imagine crows are just pest exterminators. They are great chick perambulators.

Don't let the babes alone in the house where they can get at the incubator. Oh, no; you're not such a careless mater.

Don't let the chickens track the back porch. Such a man any wife should scorch.

Don't put that brooder too near the road. Some thief may haul it off all in one load.

Don't bed small chicks on sawdust. It brings ill and kills.

OUR NEIGHBOR'S HEN.

What is this noise that I hear just at the dawn of day? It cannot be a steam shovel! She's moved most of our real estate across the country going. Oh, see the awful clouds of dust! There's a break in the earth's crust! Is that a cyclone blowing?

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LIFE'S TOO SHORT FOR STRIFE.

Wonderful what little things cause big heart aches! A hen flies over a garden wall, digs up a few onions, that is all. A brick flies out of the back door, and Biddy's scratching stunts are o'er. What a law wrangle and law tangle! A cat pounces on a chick. Then watch that broomstick and words fly about! "What a fuss! and muss! and cuss!" "And friendship! Like a spider's web, one blast of wind and it's all fed!"

But life's too short for strife. The law says hens must stay at home and scratch in their own patch and their owners must see that they do so, and he who will not obey the law is liable because they catch birds. neighbor's flower beds and garden and lets his dogs run on their lawns and porches, should be notified by the cops 'quit or git."

But that cat—The Audubon society wants the 3,000,000 cats in the United States to be killed because they catch birds. But they should count the birds on their hats, for it's woman that kills them and not pussy cats.

Some poultrymen say, "Kill the cats; they kill chicks!" Yes; poor starved cats get 'em once in awhile. Well fed cats don't. There's poor old Tibby and her kittens. Her owner doesn't love her. She catches a few rats and mice and then her babies go to starving.

She takes a chick, and some big built or a stinky man shoots her or she gets a few rats and mice and then her babies go to starving.

The preacher's discourse on "man's inhumanity to man" seems to flow about man's brutality to brutes or cruelty to cats?

FEATHERS AND EGGHELLS.

My friend, if you did get lined at the show there are others, and all men should be brothers. To hold a grudge at a man who won a ribbon blue is to let the devil make a fool of you.

Now that chickens have more range and pick up a good bit in a day you should extend their crops at slight, for sometimes they don't need the evening feed you throw down to them.

Five hundred dollars was paid for the turkey gobbler that won first at New York, Baltimore and Hagerstown, Md. It is the largest turkey in the United States, weighs fifty-two pounds and now belongs to E. H. Burns, Orient, S. D.

During the winter when egg prices at York, Pa., remained way up at a certain market it was discovered that a nearby storekeeper was regulating the price of eggs. Each market day he simply notified the farmers they should hold their eggs at a certain figure and, if not sold out at that price, he would take all the eggs unsold at a certain price. Oh, what hogs in the hen's nest!

Pity Ponce de Leon didn't hunt the spring of perpetual youth in these parts of going down into his jeans he could have got the tip from the cold storage experts who have discovered the secret of eternal youth for eggs.

A Philadelphia paper declares that any live boy who is smart enough to lace his own shoes can succeed in the poultry business. Don't forget when you read this that Philadelphia editors drink Schuykill water.

Chopped dandelions are claimed to make dandy turkey. A woman expert has a bed of them especially for her turkey poult and chops them with breadcrumbs and hard boiled eggs one day and uses onion tops for green the next. The dandelion keeps their blood pure and the onions kill intestinal worms.

When old hens rose to 13 cents at Chicago it was claimed they eclipsed the civil war price. But the old soldiers tell us all poultry flew higher when foraging parties were after them.

The American farmer's wife has the reputation of serving the best square meal on earth. May she always have plenty and to spare, but she should beware to pile up her little turkey's plates as she does those of her guests. Thousands of turkeys die of overfeeding.

Young Leghorns get wing feathers so quickly that their wings grow at the expense of their bodies and become a drag. They should be cut back like planks.

A good compressed air sprayer is a necessity. Spray the henery with lime, spray the roosts with coal oil, spray the trees for pests and spray roosting towers with carbolic fumes when roup and cholera germs are around.

Keeping an incubator lamp in perfect condition takes but a little time each day, but the lives of your family and safety of your property depend on whether you are careless or careful in the matter.

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MONITOR OFFICE,
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Paradise

Mrs. A. C. Freeman and little daughter, Margaret, spent part of last week at Port Lorne.

North Westmountain

Service here on the 21st at 3 p. m. by Rev. J. A. Hart.

Albany

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sarty and little daughter, May, from Farmington, Lunenburg Co., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Murray, Albany, from Wednesday 10th to the 15th.

Granville Centre

Mr. Wm. Hutchinson, of Boston, is spending his vacation with friends here.

Port Lorne

Mr. Howard Neaves is spending a few weeks with his family.

Granville Ferry

Mr. James Waugh, of Guiding Star Lodge I. O. O. F., attended the session of Grand Lodge, held in Truro last week.

Pictou

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morse are occupying their cottage on the Camp grounds and Miss Daisy Clements is with them.

Belle Isle

Miss Maude Inglis, of Attleboro, Mass., is the guest of Miss Annie Bent for a few days.

Hampton

James Ogden, of Chelsea, Mass., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph Marshall.

Bear River

The Messrs. Jessie and Daisy Milligan returned to St. John on Monday.

Celebration at Truro

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THE "JAPANESE BOBS"

Prince Pushimi, who has been paying a visit to Great Britain, is a full general in the Japanese army, whose exploits have earned for him the title of the "Japanese Bob."

A Noisy Name

Yell was in a motion before Mr. Justice Parker in London to restrain an alleged nuisance by noise.

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