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THE MARTIN-SENOUR CO., LTD.

## H. McGRATTAN & SONS

SOLE AGENTS

### WILSONS BEACH

Mrs. Hannah Nash visited friends in Eastport last week.  
Miss Willa Wilson entertained a number of her young friends on her thirtieth birthday. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was passed by all.  
Merrill Lank who is attending school in Welchpool spent the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lank.  
Dr. Jonah of Eastport was called here on Saturday by the illness of the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Brown. Simon Brown is visiting his daughter Mrs. George Wathen at Doaktown, N. B.  
Mrs. Frank Lank spent Tuesday and Wednesday at her home at Lords Cove, D. I.  
Misses Gertrude Ludlow and Alice Brown have been guests of friends in Lubec the past week.  
L. V. Price and Hazen Thompson, commercial travellers registered at the Willows this week.  
Miss Gladys Matthews gave a party on Friday evening to a party of her young friends. Refreshments consisting of ice-cream, cake and lemonade were served during the evening. Games and music made the time pass very pleasantly.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Matthews returned on Thursday from St. Stephen where Mr. Matthews received medical advice from Dr. Holland.  
Miss Flossie Matthews went to Lubec on Wednesday where she will be employed as sales-lady in the store of H. Dodge.  
Albert Newman moved his family

to Lunenburg last week where they will spend the summer season.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Babcock are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a young daughter on Tuesday evening.  
Blair Fletcher was taken to Chipman Hospital on Wednesday where he will receive medical treatment. He was accompanied by Rev. M. K. Vallis and Nathan Searles. Mr. Fletcher is not improving as fast as his friends would wish.  
Schools in both districts re-opened on Wednesday morning after the Easter vacation.  
A number of young folks attended the dance at Welchpool on Easter Monday evening.  
The stores of G. Babcock, H. Jackson and J. W. Matthews were broken into on Saturday night. Small sums of money and a few provisions were taken.  
Miss Gladys McGowan returned to this place on Wednesday after a pleasant Easter vacation at her home in Welchpool.  
Mrs. Sophia Lank, Mrs. W. B. Lank and Mrs. J. W. Matthews attended service in the Episcopal church at Welchpool on Easter Sunday.

### BEAVER HARBOR

Mrs. Bartau of Leonardville, D. I. spent a few days of last week with friends here.  
George Brown of Campbell spent last week in the village.  
J. R. Gilmer drove here on Wednesday and returned to his home in Bonny River the following day.  
Mrs. Ira Hawkins has been very ill during the past week.

Fred McLean of Letete called on the merchants here last Wednesday.  
Hayward Sparks is confined to his home by illness.  
John Snider of Maces Bay is visiting relatives here.  
Robt. Barry went to St. John on Monday.  
Mrs. Gideon Justison and son Gilbert of Pennfield called on Mrs. Ira Hawkins Tuesday.  
J. Fred Eldridge spent Friday in St. George.  
On Friday last Dr. Alexander was called to attend Capt. Dickson of Schr. Jennie C. who was seriously ill. He is much improved now however, and the little schooler has proceeded on her trip.  
Burton Cross is spending a few days in St. Stephen.  
Several of the relatives of Oscar Eldridge went to Blacks Harbor on Tuesday to be present at his marriage to Miss Mildred Cross of that place.  
Melbourne Bates has returned home from Eastport.  
Rev. Mr. Spencer of St. George visited the members of his church in this vicinity one day last week.  
Basil Paul made a trip to Eastport on Monday.  
Alice Hutton and Alberta Wright drove to St. George on Thursday.  
Dr. F. M. Wilson, (Dentist) made a professional visit here on Tuesday.  
Schr. "Linnie and Edna," Capt. Guphill discharged a cargo of salt for Beaver Harbor Trading Co. on Monday.

### ELMCROFT.

Wm. Boney has gone to Woodland to

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BLACK'S HARBOR, N. B.

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work for E. Sherwood.  
David Issansa has returned to his work at Sorrell Ridge.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Anderson are both on the sick list.  
James Ash is very sick, his many friends hear with deep regret of his slow recovery.  
Oliver Lee has gone to Anoka, Minn., accompanied by his daughter Mrs. Allen.  
Mrs. Thos. Sullivan of Bonny River spent Sunday with her brother.  
The many friends of Lorin Ash hear with regret of his serious illness.

### Is No Gold Mine

Hamilton, Ont., April 19.—The street railway officials at the conference yesterday afternoon to extend the extensions with the city dropped a bomb by telling exactly how much money the company lost in last nineteen years since it secured its franchise. Instead of being the gold mine it is generally pictured the system has lost 375,000 while the city has derived in mileage and percentage from the earnings \$404,000. With the city's fast growth, however the earnings are rapidly growing, as indicated by the fact that last year the company carried 9,844,000 people. A financial and electrical railway expert will come here at once to go into the matter of numerous extensions planned to meet the rapidly growing needs of the city.

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### LORD'S COVE

The musical entertainment which was given in the Christian Church on Sunday evening last was enjoyed by all present. Much credit should be given those who took part especially the two soloists, Miss Annie Cook of this place and Capt. Crookard of Nova Scotia.  
All those who came to their different homes to spend the Easter holidays have returned to their duties again.  
The funeral of Mrs. Thomas Calder was held on Monday last.  
Mrs. Thieralt of Butlers Point called on Mrs. Kenneth Stuart recently.  
Dr. Gove of St. Andrews was here on Wednesday to attend George Gowan who still continues ill.  
Mr. and Mrs. Aiver Lambert called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gowan recently.  
Mrs. Sydney Lord called on Mrs. Simeon Lambert recently.  
Mrs. Frank Greenlaw called on friends at Butlers Point recently.  
Dr. Minor was called here last week to attend Robert Lambert who is ill.  
Miss Ida Sirles was called home to attend her father Isaac Sirles who still continues very ill.  
Maud Lord was called home to attend her mother who is ill at her home here.  
Miss Georgie Pendleton who has been in poor health the past winter is slowly recovering.  
Mrs. M. C. Stewart called on Mrs. G. A. Lambert recently.  
Mrs. Wallace Lambert called on Mrs. Wesley Lambert.  
Mrs. Chas. Stewart called on Mrs. Burton Stewart recently.  
Mrs. Stewart called on Mrs. Sydney Lord this week.

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IN THE  
"GREETINGS"

The Greetings is in need of a Correspondent at Blacks Harbor, now is the time for some one there to get busy and put in some work in competition for the next distribution of prizes which takes place in July next, a number of prizes will be distributed among our correspondents some of which will be quite well worth contending for, there is also several other places we would like to have represented among them, Lepreau, Lorneville, Seaview, Chance Harbor, Dipper Harbor, Saltkeld, Musquash, Boabec, Boabec Cove, Lords Cove, Digdegash, and other unoccupied districts. Paper and Envelopes will gladly be supplied on application.

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### NOTICE

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The date under your address will inform all of the date they are paid up to. Remember 25 p. c. discount allowed when subscriptions are paid in advance.

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Tuesday: Leave St. Stephen for Letete.

Wednesday: Leave Back Bay for St. Stephen, 7:30 a. m.  
Thursday: Leave St. Stephen for Back Bay.

Saturday: Leave L'Etete during Jan. and March, Back Bay during Feb. and April, for St. Andrews, 7:30 a. m.

Returning same day, leave St. Andrews, 1:00

Hour of leaving St. Stephen, public wharf Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:00 a. m. unless otherwise stated below.

Tuesday, Jan. 3, 10:00, Thursday, Jan. 5, 7:00, Tuesday, Jan. 17, 9:30, Thursday, Jan. 19, 7:00, Tuesday, Jan. 31, 8:30, Thursday, Feb. 2nd, 10:00, Tuesday, Feb. 14, 9:00, Thursday, Feb. 16th, 10:00, Thursday, March 2nd, 9:00, Thursday, March 16, 9:15, Tuesday, April 4th, 7:45, Tuesday April 18, 7:00.

Touching on all trips at Lord's Cove, Richardson, Leonardville, Wilson's Beach, Welchpool, Eastport, Indian Island, Fair Haven and St. Andrews.

ATLANTIC TIME

F. E. ROSE,  
Manager

### Patriotism and Cigarette Heart.

It is a startling story that comes from Ottawa in the form of a report on recruiting for Canada's naval service. Of the young men in Nova Scotia and British Columbia—fine sturdy fellows in appearance—who

wished to join the naval service seventy-five per cent failed to pass medical inspection. In most cases rejection was due to cigarette heart or moving picture—eye. The cigarette heart is something with which medical men and all interested in the athletic training of the youth of the country are familiar. Nicotine poisoning, and especially the variety of nicotine poisoning following the use of cigarettes, is steadily on the increase. In every factory, store and office one may see lads with the tell tale yellow stains on the first two fingers of the right hand. Not for them are Marathon triumphs, the fierce joy of a Rugby championship game, or a place in the Henley eight. The stains on the fingers are but the outward signs of the havoc wrought by the cigarette habit; havoc so great that a few days ago it was suggested in the House of Commons that a bill to prohibit the use of cigarettes was almost as necessary as one to forbid the smoking of opium.

Canada's naval force may be small at first, but it must have men of the best available quality. The cutting out of rations, grog and the weeding out of the youth with the cigarette heart and the moving picture eye afford evidence that the personnel of the service is to be maintained on the highest possible standard. But what about the seventy five per cent of the unfit who come back to civil life? Are we to go on producing the cigarette indefinitely? Is the moving picture eye to take a permanent place among the diseases of the modern world? It may be all right to make war impossible by raising a race unfit for its hardships and exacting tasks, but peace also has its duties and its dangers. Every good Canadian should set himself against the growing use of cigarettes by the youth of the country.—For, Globe.

### BRONCHITIS COMPLETELY CURED.

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### QUEER SOLOMON OAKS.

A queer old fellow in Solomon Oaks; He belongs to the good-natured class of folks; He sings and he whistles about the work And nobody has ever known him to shirk; And he makes you think, with his blithe good cheer, Of the merry blackbirds when spring is here.

If they come to him with a doleful tale Of a neighbor's fault, they always feel To pause attention to what they see; At such a time he can't hear very well; But if they praise up a neighbor—oh He can hear as well as the best of men.

He always indorses the good things said By the friends of the living, as well as the dead. If he's asked what he thinks of a man, some words, He'll praise, perhaps, in his cheerful song, And say, "I'm sorry, but there seems to be some good in his credit, it seems to me."

"I haven't time to keep track," says he, "Of the bad things and bad things that I see; If I was to ask for them, so I try To shut my eyes as tight as I can; And see only good things, as you may—see, I like a lot of them every day."

"By a ways having something to do I keep out of trouble and mischief, too. I stick to my business, as best I can, And keep on good terms with my fellow-men— And the better I treat him, it seems to me, The better my fellow-man treats me."

A queer old fellow, this Solomon Oaks, With his merry laugh and his pleasant jokes, And his faith in his fellows, said or sung He's a host of friends among you and me. He makes it up and keeps them by side-side-side.

And the words that help us when things go wrong. His life has a lesson 'twere well to learn; Shut your eyes to the bad; all the good discern; Be cheerful and aim to make everybody else for love's sake cheer; Queer? Well, it may be, but this I say: More of such queerness we need to-day.

### Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. S. H.

IT is said that prosperity is a better test of character than adversity. At any rate, it is the one that has our preference.

The reason Friday comes once a week is because we must have something to accredit our bad luck to.

It always makes a woman cross to find her husband sympathetic with another woman's woes.

Would an old age pension induce a woman to own to sixty years before she was ninety?

Man has no cavity, but still he does like to show how nicely his nose matches his tie.

What an antediluvian the man who used to do bicycle stunts at the county fair appears today.

Soon wood will be so expensive that we will not dare trust a tramp to saw it.

The man who has an old fashioned family to support dares not flirt with a better looking but somewhat uncertain job.

When a woman can't think of anything else to do she rips up her dress and sews it over again.

This season when you hear your neighbor commencing with himself in low Canton dialect you instinctively know that the stovepipe doesn't fit itself.

The Big Noise.  
When in the public places  
The noisy ones appear  
And bother with their tales,  
You often hear someone say,  
"We're here because we're here."  
You often hear someone say,  
"You don't have to go."  
Converting time to noise.  
They make it clear, we hope.

You couldn't get it plainer  
Although they put a hand  
And went up to the sky,  
To make you understand.  
And if you pay attention  
As they pass by,  
They will pointly mention  
The only reason why.

Though sometimes you may wonder  
As they appear in view,  
Come in as soft as thunder  
It elsewhere wouldn't do.  
As voices hit the eardrum,  
And hit the atmosphere  
You sort of have a feeling  
They're here because they're here.

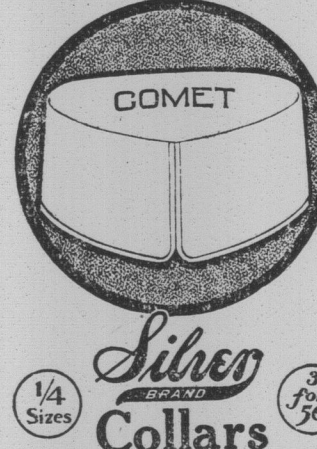
The youthful spirits bubble  
Like water from a spring,  
And, while not making trouble,  
They'd love to go to swing.  
Quite useless to protesting,  
"They must be noisy the noise  
That is their lungs congesting,  
For boys must still be boys."

Direct Descent.  
"Mother, isn't it just lovely? Uncle George says we have a family tree."  
"I am sure I never heard of it."  
"But it is so. He knows all about it."  
"And what kind of a tree is it?"  
"An apple tree. We are descended from Adam and Eve, and he says that was their tree on account of that little trouble over the apple."

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Boy's Heavy Grain Blucher, tapped soles, sizes 1, 3, 4, 5; reg 2.25 at 1.79  
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### THE FARM.

By John Fixter, Farm Superintendent, Macdonald College.

The success of next season depends on the place made now and carried out throughout the season.

Plan a rotation of crops. The same cannot be grown on the same ground year after year with success. Cultivation crops clean and pulverise the soil. Clover tops enrich the soil. Old meadow and grain crops, when repeatedly grown on the same land without change, impoverish the soil, encourage weed growth, and poor crops are the result.

In the rotation, plan for a very large field of corn, whether you have a silo or not. Corn is king of the grain crops, as well as succulent fodder crops. Varieties that have given big yields when grown for grain are: Quebec Yellow, Longfellow, Compton's Early, For ensilage—Leaming, Howie, Bailey and White Cap, all are good sorts and should come to the glazing stage before being cut. In the northern districts try the Longfellow and Compton's for ensilage. Purchase your seed corn on the cobs; select the best ears, then shell two or three rows from the tips and butt of each cob. This makes good chicken feed but very poor seed.

Roots are as necessary amongst the dry food for cattle as butter is on bread for man. Why not plan a few acres for sugar mangels, carrots or sweeties. Mangels give heavy crops. Thirty tons and over per acre can be grown. No feed can be grown to take the place of roots

in cutting down the heavy feed bills. Cattle, horses, hogs and poultry crave for succulent food in winter.

Alfalfa should be grown on every farm in Canada. It is one of our very best dry or green fodder plants. Twenty to thirty tons of green material, and five to seven tons of dry material can be grown per acre in one season. By growing alfalfa you enrich the soil, at the same time growing big crops. Sow plenty of seed, a few pounds extra may mean success or failure, and do not sow too early. The soil must be warm and in good condition.

### The Seed.

Selected seed of any kind give better results than poor, uncleaned, shrunken, light seed. The fanning mill will make a great improvement if you give it a chance. Seed grain should be run through two or three times to make a perfect job. The material taken out is not wasted, but it makes good food, if ground, or fed to poultry.

All seed should be tested as to their germinating power. Many failures have been attributed to soil and weather when it was the seed that got sprouted in the field or heated in the granary. Plan to grow your own seed if possible. By careful selection the crop can be nearly doubled.

Potatoes for seed should be selected from clean medium to grow tubers, free from scab or dry rot. A set should have a large amount of flesh and about three eyes to the set, and do not cut the seed longer than an hour before planting.

Half the seed potatoes are dried out when cut for days and weeks before being planted.

Don't get in a hurry to turn the live stock on pastures. Cattle on soft pastures will do more harm in one week than can be repaired in one month. The soft immature grass is also very bad for the cattle. One farmer will have good pasture all summer, while his neighbor, with the same number of cattle and the same amount of land, will have no pasture. There are three reasons: Cattle were put on too early in spring time; the pasture has been down two years too long; the mixture sown was not a pasture mixture.

### Don't Plow Too Early.

In preparing the soil in spring time many imagine that the time to begin is as soon as the frost is out, and especially soft land. It plows easier no doubt, but imagine the damage you are doing to the soil. When it is wet and sticky the soil granules will bake together so firmly, that when dried out, a very rain that comes will be lost for the want of a sponge to hold it. Then sod plowed in that condition will not decay as readily as if left until the soil warms and dries up to start vegetation. When the glass is left on the furrow after the plow has passed, it is too wet too work. The soil should crumble to be in the best condition for growing.

It is often possible to get the water in ponds, or in the furrows of the fields, lowered sometimes days and weeks ahead by a little work. A man with a shovel and a single horse with a plow will hasten the drying. Often the headlands act as a dam across the whole field. A few minutes with the shovel will make a continuation of the furrow and allow the water to get away.

### Ireland Under Home Rule.

In a recent interview Mr. John Redmond pointed out that a big surprise awaits those who object to Home Rule on the ground that Irishmen are unfit for self-government. Both in the personal of Irish representation and in the conduct of public affairs Ireland, he affirms, will surprise not only British but also Irish Unionists.

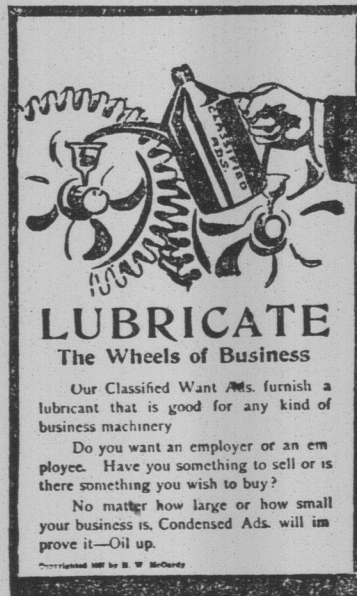
A good many years have passed since the Ulster Unionist leader, Colonel Sanderson, during the debate on Mr. Gladstone's first Home Rule bill, pointed a finger of scorn at the benches occupied by Parnell and his followers, and exclaimed that his objections to the measure were eighty in number and to be found sitting below the gangway. Those were the days when the Irish party was ruled by a dictator, and when the members were but pawns in the great game of independent opposition and obstruction played by that mastermind, Parnell. At that period the Irish Nationalist electors were in the main illiterate. Ireland was in a transition stage. Education and land reform had not yet emancipated the people. Since then a new race has arisen whose political vision is not circumscribed by the fight for self-government, but a race that through local government and the wider possibilities that have come through local government and the wider possibilities that have come through twenty years of legislative reforms is already adapting itself to the practical problems of home government, such as manage the attention of a domestic Parliament.

The present Irish representation at Westminster has been chosen as the best weapon for agitation and for the attainment of Home Rule. Mr. Redmond is but voicing the sentiment of the Irish people when he asserts the personnel of the Irish Parliament will be totally different, and will embrace men gifted, not as agitators, but as practical men of affairs. "You may take it from me," said Mr. Redmond, "that the Irish people ardently desire to see the Irish gentry devoting themselves to the service of the country. Able men, educated men, and with a large stake in the country, would undoubtedly be chosen to represent the country."

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