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### The Land of Valleys and History

(The Busy Edge)

To get a real travelling start on a tour of Canada, one naturally begins at Halifax, which is history and scenery. The scenery is obvious. The history is gradually being back-grounded by progress. Graphic chapters have been written about life in Halifax in the days when history was in the making. Halifax had a picturesque and somewhat bombastic life a good while before the capture of Quebec. It was the headquarters for the English military life of this country in the days when French and English were beginning to get ready for the great struggle that has made Canada so peculiarly different from any other overseas dominion. And if you stay long enough in Halifax even now you will find the history all there. Somebody has time and memory enough to recall the days when old St. Paul's Church was built on the edge of the Grand Parade just overlooking the great harbor big enough to hold the combined fleets of the world's navies without a cubic yard of dredging. St. Paul's is the best convenient museum of history for Halifax, and the traveller can employ his time to no more agreeable purpose than by spending an hour or so in that historic wooden building made of lumber that was shipped up from Boston in the days before the American Revolution made Canada build saw-mills of its own. And Halifax is to Canada what Boston is to the United States. That is in history. In charm and scenery and repose of manners in its people; in the quiet cordiality of its life and the atmosphere of classic contents that pervades the place, it is quite the equal of Boston. Halifax hangs on hard to the spirit and manners of earlier days. It is quite willing to let foot frontage dawdle in value so long as the charm of historic unity is not altogether broken. It is the one place in Canada—unless we except St. John—where history and politics are parts of the same book. But St. John is not so concerned about history and much prefers to boost the concerns of actual business. St. John is willing to concede to Halifax more historic lore and probably a better harbor; but in business and politics, let no Halifaxian imagine that St. John is willing to be left behind.

Nevertheless, the traveller is very little concerned over mere politics, which need not bother him if he keeps out of its way and keeps looking forward for the travel features which confront him at almost every turn in this somewhat quaint and beautiful city by the sea. Halifax is a character which it ought never to abandon as long as the old citadel stays on the hill. It has a rare combination of religion, history, politics, and scenery, and real human interest that it has taken generations to develop. And if Halifaxians substitute for that mere business, the country at large, thousands of miles from the Atlantic, will be so much the poorer. Halifax should lead the way—along with

Quebec City in French Canada—in the preservation of the best of elements that make a country interesting to both inhabitants and travellers.

And when you steam out of Halifax—remembering how you got to it up the famous Annapolis Valley and the Land of Evangeline, remembering the cherry trees and the apple blossoms—you have a feeling that here on the edge of things begun and still beginning in this country, you are leaving behind much that you never can see in any other part of Canada.

You came to Halifax by the Dominion Atlantic. You leave it by the Intercolonial, which is your most picturesque way of getting into it from the west. For half a day the route leads on towards Moncton, the headquarters of our only national railway; on through a country of varied local colors and never-ending charm of home-making scenery. It is a route that never tires. There is always more than enough on either side of the train to make the time pass a vain thing. You have no impatiently when the train hangs up a few minutes longer than scheduled at some station. You rather wish sometimes that it would switch off for a couple of hours to give more time for the study of the town that has for so long been posturing that tantalizing picture.

But shortly after lunch time you are in Moncton, which is as different from Halifax as Halifax is from Quebec. Moncton is a city of natural phenomena, of which before natural gas at 48 cents per M. entered the field, the Tidal Bore was the chief. For as many hundred years as the mind of man is able to conceive the Tidal Bore on the Petitcodiac has been a daily miracle of second importance only to the Flood. For a good while during the recent historical era it was imagined by some legend-loving people that this remarkable influx of the tide under influence of the moon, meeting the current of the impetuous Petitcodiac and so driven into a mad upheaval of water, had some time in its making given birth to Moncton. This is a mistake. Moncton really discovered the Bore, which didn't know what itself was till Moncton came on the scene. But having for generations proclaimed itself at the home of the Great Bore, Moncton now wishes it to be understood that the Bore is but one of the sideshows to the main circus.

Nobody ever hitched the Bore up for a purpose. It never created industries or boosted the cost of real estate. So as no man can do anything with the phenomenon, except gawk at it or write poems about it, or paint pictures of it, the only hope is that some "movie" producer will some day include it in a photo-play. The benevolent guide somewhat sadly steers the tourist away from the placid picture of the Bore that hasn't yet come up to the powerhouse and electric light works of the town on the banks of the Petitcodiac. Once upon a time it might have been hoped that the Bore would generate electricity enough for Moncton. Now the power people have installed a battery of tremendous boilers that never eat a pound of coal. Gaze in to the maw of one of these boilers and you will find it seething with flames that come piping from the natural gas field down around Sussex way. That's the hope of modern Moncton, and it looks as though it would last as long as the great Bore itself.

### Saint John Exhibition

Advices are to hand that the Dominion Atlantic Railway have issued circulars setting out their special rates in connection with the St. John Exhibition. These comprise three separate divisions.

General Excursion tickets will be issued September 4, and 8, with a return limit of September 14th. On Tuesday, September 8, special exhibition tickets will be sold, good until the 11th, and on Thursday, September 10, similar tickets will be sold, good until the 14th.

Judges' and Exhibitors' tickets will be on sale from September 1st, to 12th, inclusive, with a return limit, September 15. In addition to the above excursions, the regular Labor Day Excursion tickets will be available from Saturday, September 5, good until Tuesday, September 8. The excursion rates this year have as usual been put at a very low figure and particulars of the fares from any one station may be obtained from any of the Station Masters.

### Mr. John Irvin Strongly Urges Patriotic Services

To the Editor of The Monitor.

Sir—The spirit which suggested and animates the united services is highly commendable and it is the duty of all our citizens of every class (professing Christians or not) to come together in these services and in this way give expression to our love, loyalty and devotion to the British Empire, of which our beloved Canada is acknowledged to be one of its most important factors.

In this connection I would suggest that the Friday afternoon service in the St. James' Church be not forgotten. It will do no one any harm and will be of much good to all who partake of it, whatever their doctrinal views may be. In this time of deadly peril and calamity, not only threatened, but actually upon the world, it behooves all of every shade of religious opinion to come to the one Father of all and implore His blessing upon us in maintaining the struggle for the right. Let no one cavil at the British peoples in thus seeking the blessing of the Deity, because the German Kaiser claims that the "Living God is with him in this contest for supremacy, as which power shall rule the world—a military autocracy, or an enlightened educated democracy, for this after all is the basic principle at stake in this world-wide convulsion.

The present struggle had to come to bring to an end the terrible armament incubus, which for the last twenty-five years has been crushing the material and moral progress of the world. In this struggle for supremacy in armament, the German Emperor, under the tuition of the Bismarckian policy, has led the pace, and Britain had necessarily to follow! Well it is, for the world, that she did so.

The sentiment prominent in the service last night was all that could be desired, even from a Christian standpoint. Not from selfish motives, not for aggrandizement, nor for mere national pre-eminence in the world is it desired that the allies should win in this stupendous struggle, but that national obligations should be honorably observed and the weak states in the family of nations protected from the strong in the mistle of mere physical force; that moral force shall rule instead of the brutal power of might. That English statesmen for the last six years, ever since the "Morocco" incident, have done all that was possible in human effort to preserve and keep the world's peace, was apparent from the admirable summary of the diplomacy of Sir Edward Grey, given us by Dr. Jost in his instructive but too brief remarks in the meeting and to which the packed audience in the Presbyterian Church listened with great interest and pleasure. Dr. Jost is always apropos when we speak, and length of days, seems not only to have widened but mellowed with wisdom his outlook upon human affairs. Of course it is all right in such a service to deplore the fact that though the Western world has passed through nineteen centuries of Christian civilization it still appears to be necessary for the nations to submit their disputes to the arbitration of the sword, but I cannot agree with one of the speakers (well meaning though) that Great Britain had sinned in keeping up her military and naval armament, or that we should humiliate ourselves in the dust because she has done so. I do not think that this speaker meant all that his words implied, but some might misunderstand him. Thoughtful students of history will recognize that physical force is one of the -ents the Divine Ruler of the world has employed for the development of the freedom of humanity.

This has been so well put by Hegel, the great German philosopher, in his work on the "Philosophy of History" that I cannot do better than close with the last grand words of the last chapter of that excellent volume.

"That the History of the World, with all the changing scenes its annals present, in this process of development (of freedom he means) and the realization of spirit.

This is the true THEODOCEA, the justification of God in History. Only this insight can reconcile Spirit with the History of world—viz., that what has happened, and is happening every day is not only not "without God," but is essentially His work.

JOHN IRVIN.

August 31, 1914.

## THE WEEK'S WAR NEWS

### MONITOR'S LATEST WAR BULLETIN

St. Petersburg.—War office announces Russian left wing has further captured impregnable Austrian position; 5000 Austrians left dead on field. London despatch says twelve Red Cross nurses have been killed, others wounded.

New York.—British consul here says German liner Kron Prince Wilhelm fallen prey to British cruiser.

Washington.—Turkey has half a million men mobilized preparing for any eventuality.

Paris.—British-French wing attacked by greatly superior numbers retired to prevent being overwhelmed or cut off. At no point have Germans been able to break through allied lines. Austrians have recalled all troops sent to aid of Kaiser in France, in order to defend their own territory.

A lady, a native of Bridgetown, who has been travelling in Europe with a wealthy American lady, writes that they were in Paris occupying rooms in an elegant hotel, but, when hostilities began, every waiter in the hotel left for the war, consequently they with other guests were told to leave at once, and hurried on board a steamer bound for England, but obliged to leave all their baggage behind. They expected however, to receive it later.

### WAR BRIEFS

Belgium is the most densely populated country in Europe. It contains 638 people to the square mile, while Great Britain and Ireland contain only 375 in the same area.

Mr. Bonar Law, leader of the opposition in the British House, referring to the great burden of responsibility which Earl Grey must have felt when he recommended the proclamation of war against Germany, said "But this is a burden which the Right Honorable gentleman can bear with a good conscience, and every one of us can unhesitatingly put up the prayer, God defend the right."

Public Opinion, a very influential English paper remarks, "The moral wrath of the world against the Germans and the coincident approval of Great Britain's action is the most tremendous and encouraging fact of the day."

A week's rations for the German army, according to the Scientific American, Potatoes, 120,390,000 lbs., meat, 16,030,000 lbs.; Bread, 60,130,000 lbs.; Sugar, 1,365,000 lbs.; Coffee 2,009,000 lbs.; Salt, 2,009,000 lbs.

The King has offered Balmoral Castle as a hospital for wounded soldiers.

It is reported that a railway driver of Alsace, moving a train of 700 German Uhlans, purposely switched the train to another track and carried them all into France, and handed them over to French soldiers.

According to information, believed to be reliable, Russia has mobilized 2,000,000 men on the German and Austrian frontiers, half a million on the Turkish and Roumanian frontiers, and has also 3,000,000 men in reserve.

Portugal has pronounced itself against Germany.

The Crystal Palace, London, will be used as a hospital during the war.

The German West African Colony has been seized. It possessed one of the largest winter stations in the world.

The Lord Mayor of Leeds says that one half of his capital is freely at the disposal of Britain, and the whole of his income if required.

The Empress Eugenie sent to Alexandra, £200 for the Red Cross Society.

The King has appointed Lord Roberts as Colonel-in-Chief of all overseas forces which may go to England.

The Ladies of Bear River raised \$312.00 for the hospital ship.

Two sailors, an Austrian and a Swede got into a dispute on their ship at Bridgewater, on the 26th inst. The Austrian stabbed the Swede and he died in a few moments. Lunenburg jail holds the murderer.

Germany has been supplying Great Britain with larger part of the iron and steel products required in different industries. This business will now come to Canada.

Prince Frederick of Saxe-Meiningen, a German Lieut. General was killed by a shell at Namur, Aug. 23rd. Prince William was struck and killed by two bullets before Liege.

The British naval authorities are using steamfishing vessels to remove the mines anchored by the Germans, in the North Sea. A large wire the ends of which are attached to two vessels, is dragged along the bottom and catches the mines.

The Steamer Tunisian, at Montreal is taking to England the first of 1,000,000 bags of flour which Canada contributes for the British Government. The bags are marked "Flour Canada's Gift". Several large English bakeries have offered to bake it and deliver free.

The term of the Governor General has been indefinitely extended on account of the war situation.

Twelve hundred and eight German merchant ships are tied up in Hamburg Docks, useless because of the war.

### SPLENDID BRITISH NAVAL VICTORY

LONDON.—August 28—The Daily Chronicle says: "A glorious victory has fallen to the British fleet. With all the courage and fearless enterprise that distinguished our old officers, who many times went into the very jaws of the enemy, Rear Admirals Beatty, Christian and Moore have conducted the combined operations in the Bight of Heligoland, where the enemy had all its strength at command.

The triumph was complete. The German light cruisers, Mainz and another of the Koln class and a third whose name is unknown have been destroyed as well as two destroyers. The tale is probably not complete.

Evidently a concerted attack was planned just as our sea-

men would have planned it, to begin in the dark and reach its decisive point at dawn. The attacking force was the organic First Battle Cruiser Squadron. The light cruiser squadrons and destroyers and submarine flotillas were engaged.

To Rear Admiral Beatty, the youngest flag officer afloat, commanding the first battle cruiser Squadron comprising the Lion, (flagship) Queen Mary, Princess Royal and New Zealand, fell the opportunity and honor which make him and his officers the envy of the whole fleet. To him was entrusted the conduct of operation under the direction of Sir John Jellicoe, Commander-in-Chief.

Sir David Beatty is one of the most brilliant of our officers and with him were Admiral A. G. W. Moore, and Rear Admiral A. H. Christian, and Commodore R. J. B. Keyes, Commodore Reginald C. Tyrwitt, and Commodore William E. Goodenough.

Complete as was the victory, we have suffered little. All our ships and vessels are afloat and in good order. We must especially note the high efficiency of our gunnery. Not a German cruiser escaped, and their destroyers wildly fled to shelter having had two of their numbers sunk.

Not only were two of their number sunk, but not a few others were damaged by the British fire. In addition to not losing a single ship, the British loss of life was not heavy.

The importance of this daring raid is the fact that the British fleet passed behind Germany's heavily armed outpost on Heligoland Island and engaged the German mosquito fleet guarding the mouth of the Elbe and the entrance to the Kiel Canal.

The speedy protected cruiser Mainz was one of four of her class. Her complement was 380 officers and men. In her armament she carried twelve four-inch guns.

### Nova Scotia's Splendid Gift to Aid the Empire

Provincial Government Offers Hundred Thousand Tons of Nova Scotia Coal to Supply the Needs of the Warships on the Atlantic.

(Morning Chronicle.)

When the war broke out, Premier Murray immediately considered in what manner Nova Scotia could best assist the Empire. After careful consideration and after consultation with naval authorities, the Government decided that coal, the product of Nova Scotia, would be the most practicable gift, which this Province could offer from any of its resources, for the help of the Empire at this time. Accordingly, Lieutenant Governor MacGregor wired His Royal Highness, the Governor General, yesterday that the Government of Nova Scotia was prepared to contribute 100,000 tons of coal for such purposes as will best serve the interests of the Empire at the present time.

His Royal Highness immediately acknowledged the generous and patriotic offer of the seaboard Province, and communicated with the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Borden, who telegraphed that the Federal Government warmly appreciated the noble gift and he had communicated it to the Imperial Government.

This magnificent gift of fuel from the mines of Nova Scotia offered the Empire at the present time, will doubtless be supplied to the ships of the Fourth Cruiser Squadron patrolling the North Atlantic trade routes at their base at Halifax. In every respect it is the most appropriate, practicable and valuable gift which this Province could make, and ranks high among the contributions given by every part of the Empire, even from those of greater wealth and population than Nova Scotia.

### Lawrencetown's Contribution to the Hospital Ship Fund

On Tuesday, the 18th, a meeting of the Women of Lawrencetown, at the home of Mrs. S. T. Jefferson, resolved itself into a committee of ways and means to raise funds for the equipment of Canada's Hospital Ship.

This was done by appointing collectors for the entire district and by having a lecture on "The War Situation in Europe." This was given by Prof. T. F. Collier on Tuesday evening. By all who attended, it was considered one of the finest lectures ever delivered here.

As Mr. Collier is the Professor of European History in Brown University, he is well qualified to put the present gigantic struggle, in its historical setting.

At its conclusion, we felt, more than ever before, that England's attitude is just and righteous.

On Friday afternoon the collectors appointed, met in the Methodist Vestry and as a result of the work done reported a generous response by the women visiting.

However, the sum of \$100, was sent from Lawrencetown as our first gift. The sum of \$13.50 was sent from a small section of Paradise, at the same time.

### Bridgetown's Contribution to the Hospital Ship

Bentville—Mrs. Wiltshire, 12.00. Clarence—Mrs. Howard Marshall, Miss Wheelock, 11.00. Tupperville—Miss Chipman, 13.00; Tupperville to Carleton's Corner—Mrs. Chadwick, 19.10. Carleton's Corner—Grace and Annie Ricketson, 7.00. Paradise West—Miss Rita Abbott, 39.75. Carleton Corner to Bridge—Miss Fulmer, 14.10.

Bridgetown—Mary Duxan, Jean Marshall, 36.40; May Marshall, Janie Duxan, 13.60; Mrs. Betsy, 29.25; Miss Cochrane, 13.65; Miss Lloyd, 6.00; Mrs. Warren, 12.55; Ethel Daniels, 28.70. Grand total, 222.16.

This amount was sent to Mrs. MacGregor, Government House, Halifax.

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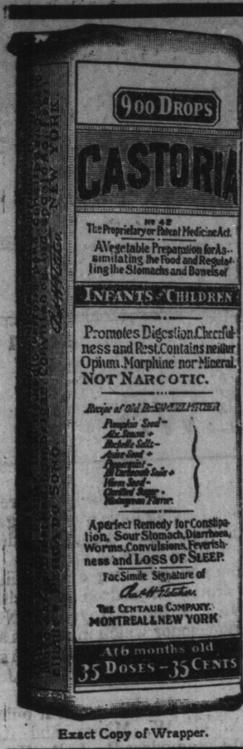
CAPITAL - \$11,500,000  
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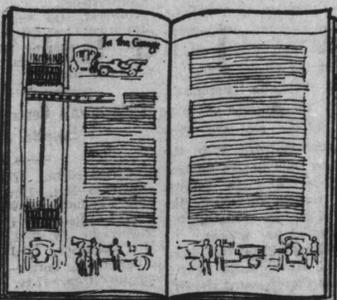
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**Middleton**

Aug. 30.

Philip Andrews, of New Glasgow, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Phinney were in Middleton last week for a few days.

Mrs. N. H. Parsons, of Wolfville, and Miss Mona, were in Middleton, last week.

We are sorry to report that our aged friend, Mrs. Rebecca Middlemas is quite ill.

Walter Ruggles was the guest of his parents, Principal and Mrs. Ruggles, last week.

Miss Mildred Banks, of Waterville, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. Ambrose Dodge.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Durling left on Saturday to spend a few days with relatives in Halifax.

Dr. W. R. Smith, of West Virginia, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. L. T. Richmond Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Armstrong, of Kingston, recently spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Langille.

Miss Nettie L. Baltzer, Domestic Science Teacher, at Yarmouth, returned to her school on Saturday.

W. J. Simms returned to Boston on Saturday, after spending a couple of weeks with his son, Emery Simms.

Mr. Peter Marshall went to Halifax on Saturday to spend several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Andrews.

Percy F. Hatt returned to Dorchester, Mass., a few days ago, after spending four weeks at his home in Nictaux West.

Mrs. Chas. Joudrey, of Paradise, who has been at the Cottage Hospital for a couple of weeks returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Armstrong and Master Campbell, who have been spending a few weeks in the Valley left on Tuesday of last week to return to Sydney.

Jos. E. Phinney, of Plumias, Man., formerly of Middleton, N. S., volunteered for the first Canadian contingent joining the eighteenth Mounted Rifles under the command of Major A. C. Williams.

Mr. Theodore Johnstone and sister, Miss Esther, who have spent the past three months the guests of their grandfather, Mr. Theodore Marshall, returned on Saturday to their home in New York.

Mrs. Hilchey who is returning to her home in Vancouver, after visiting various parts of Nova Scotia, including her old home in Digby, spent a few days last week, the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. Gaetz.

Miss L. Godard who has spent three weeks' vacation out of town, returned on Monday to resume her duties in the telephone office; her substitute, Miss Irene Buckler, having returned to Annapolis Royal.

Mrs. Tate has leased her house to the Misses Reynolds, of Halifax, who expect to move to Middleton the middle of this month. Mrs. Tate with Mrs. E. A. Tate and two children started on Saturday for Alberta, to spend the winter.

**MELVERN SQUARE**

Aug. 31

Mrs. Ralph Flett is visiting relatives in this place.

Mr. Watson of Dorchester, Mass., is the guest of his friend Mr. Kenneth McNeil.

Mrs. Robert Feltus, of Lawrence town, visited friends in this locality last week.

Mr. Harry Baker of Massachusetts, is spending a brief vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker.

D. M. Outhit spent a few days in Amherst last week, where he attended the Convention of N. S. Municipalities.

Lt.-Col. McNeil received a telegram quite early last week that our volunteers had reached Valcartier, safe and well.

Our summer visitors are leaving us one by one, and a hint of Autumn in the air warns us that summer is departing and the bright and beautiful autumn days are just ahead of us, in spite of war.

Mrs. George Armstrong, who has been spending the past few weeks with her parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Spurr, returned to her home in Sydney, C. B., on Tuesday last, accompanied by her little son Campbell.

An open-air concert was held on the pleasant grounds of Mrs. Copeland on Monday evening last, in aid of the Hospital Ship Fund, the proceeds amounting to something over twenty-six dollars. Not too bad for Melvern! This shows that we still have some good local talent, and a patriotic spirit as well.

Dr. Morse and family, of Saskatchewan, were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. D. M. Outhit, and other relatives, during last week. Dr. Morse is one of our Melvern Square boys, who has made a success of life, so far, and his many friends were pleased to see him again if only for a brief stay.

**MARGARETVILLE**

Aug. 31

Dorothy Baker, who has been very ill, is improving.

Mrs. J. L. Cleveland is spending a few days at Auburn.

Mrs. Dodge of Kentville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Blair.

Mrs. H. Lawrence of St. John is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Balcom.

Mrs. James Cook and Miss Dorothy Margeson are spending a few days in Halifax.

The schooner Rewa, that went ashore here a few days ago, has been towed to the pier by S. S. Ruby L.

Mr. J. S. McLean, Miss Beatrice McLean and Miss Winnie Hall left on Saturday to spend the winter in Lawrence, Mass.

A concert and pie social was held in Orange Hall on Saturday evening. The sum of fifteen dollars was raised for charitable purposes.

Mr. C. D. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom and Miss Balcom, enjoyed an auto trip last week to Lunenburg, Chester and Halifax.

On Sunday morning, Rev. W. E. Hutchins preached a patriotic sermon in the Baptist Church, that had been prettily decorated with flags. Suitable music was furnished by the choir.

Capt. and Mrs. S. O. Baker entertained a number of friends on Friday evening, it being the thirty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. The evening passed pleasantly and at the close the bride and groom were presented with thirty-five dollars in gold from their children.

**MT. HANLEY**

The army worm has arrived in our village.

War notes are scarce. Our brave soldiers are all ready to go if need be.

Miss Cora Bowhly, of Spa Springs, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bartheaux.

Mrs. Andrew Canty, of Reading, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Harry Chute at Bridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Milledge Slocumb, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Balsor one day quite recently.

Misses Lizzie Slocumb and Vera Elliott, of this place were visiting Miss Alma Slocumb, of Outram, last week.

Miss Mabel Pierce from Keele, Mass., is spending the Summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pierce.

Mr. Wm. Reagh from Spa Springs, and Mrs. L. W. Pike from Woburn, Mass., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Fritz.

Our school opens Aug. twenty-fourth. Miss Elsie Hines will superintend for the coming year. We wish her success.

Miss Catherine Canty, of Reading, Mass., and Miss Mena Chute, of Bridgetown, were visiting Miss Addie Fritz, of this place, one day last week.

Mrs. Andrew Canty and family returned to their home in Massachusetts last week, after having spent four weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Elliott.

The farmers are talking of putting a good price on their butter and eggs in exchange for the high price on sugar etc. If we can't get it we can live while on our eggs and cream and butter and flour if it is high.

**DOUGLASVILLE**

Aug. 31

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green, of Middleton, spent the week-end at C. H. Ullman's.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Balsor on the arrival of a little son.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallett Daniels are spending a few days at Granville, with friends.

Master Everett Daniels of Spa Springs, spent a few days with his cousin, Orland Daniels, quite recently.

Mr. John Balsor has returned home after spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Edwin Vinot, of Harmony.

Mrs. Margaret Crawford has returned, home after spending a week with her three sons, Milledge, of Middleton, Robert and Weston, of Nictaux.

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**Lawrencetown**

Aug. 30.

Miss Vivian Phinney is teaching the South Williamston School.

Prof. F. Wheelock and wife and son are visiting friends in Lawrence town.

Mr. James Todd, of Bridgetown, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Annie Buckler.

Miss Josie Banks has taken charge of the school at Meadowdale for the ensuing year.

Miss Myrtle Best, of Cambridge, is the guest of the Misses Pauline and Mary Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cook, of Dorchester, Mass., spent the week-end at Mr. I. Durling's.

Mrs. W. Hunt was called to Bridgewater last week on account of the illness of Mrs. Shrader.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Anderson, of Dalhousie, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. W. Durling.

Prof. R. G. D. Richardson and wife are amongst those who leave the Valley to resume home duties.

Mrs. Warren Marshall and daughter, Miss Maude, of Middleboro, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Balcom.

Miss Julia Fair, of Albany, and Mr. Lewis Stoddart, of Stoddartville (r): attending the Lawrence town School.

Services for Sunday, Sept. 6th: Baptist, 11 a. m.; Episcopal, 3 p. m. Memorial service, 7.30 in the Baptist Church.

Captain and Mrs. R. M. Saunders, of Glasgow, Scotland, are visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. W. J. Shaffer, of South Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peters, of Providence, R. I., welcomed a little daughter on the fifteenth, "Claire Annie." Mrs. Peters was Miss Edith Durling of this town.

Carl H. Balcom left for Toronto, on Friday, to resume his duties as salesman in the Wall Paper Department at T. Eaton's. There are thirteen thousand employed in this well known establishment.

The address to have been delivered by Prof. Collier, in Clarence, was postponed until Wednesday evening, Sept. 2. The returns from the lecture will be devoted to the Hospital Ship Fund.

Donald MacPherson, Eileen Prince, Donald Messenger, Jean Messenger, Muriel Phinney, Pearl Bishop, Clyde Morse and Leonard Mellick, were successful in obtaining their "D" certificates. Donald MacPherson made one hundred in Arithmetic.

The annual Farmers' Picnic meets on Thursday in Lawrence town Park. Four good speakers have been obtained and the Committee is looking for a large attendance. Tea will be served from four-thirty to seven-thirty. A patriotic address will be delivered by Rev. W. Brown, of Aylesford.

Mr. Howard Corbett received the sad news on Saturday, of the death of his sister, Jennie, Missionary, in India. Much sympathy is felt for the father, brothers, sisters, and friends in their bereavement. A memorial service will be held on Sunday evening, September sixth.

Miss Pearl Balcom left on Saturday for Boston, where she will train for nurse in the Leonard Morse Hospital, Natick. Our young people are leaving one by one for various occupations in life. Pearl will be missed in the Mission Band where she was organist, the choir, the Division, her Sunday School Class, and the home where she was faithful to duty. A large circle of friends wish her success in her chosen vocation.

The Lawrence town Schools opened Monday, the thirty-first inst., Mr. B. S. Banks as Principal; Miss Leah Leck, Intermediate teacher and Miss L. Morgan in charge of the Primary Department.

This school, as a whole, made a good record for itself last year, and we are looking forward to another year which shall not only duplicate, but excel 1914. Of the eleven candidates who took the "D" examination, eight were successful.

**INGLISVILLE**

Aug. 31

Mrs. L. M. Beals spent several days with her son, Chester Beals, at Bear River, recently.

Mr. Vernon D. Beals is making improvements, building a new fuge and painting the interior of the house.

Several families went for a picnic at Port Lorne last week. Quite a treat for those that rarely see the Bay.

Miss Clara Miles and friend, Miss Littlefield, of Brockton, are visiting at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Jackson, of Clarence, and Miss Fulmer have made a recent visit at Mr. and Mrs. John E. Beals.

Our annual Sunday School Picnic was held on the old grounds on the twentieth. Quite a number from the surrounding schools were present.

Mrs. Samuel Gaul, who has been suffering from cancer for several months, passed away on August eleventh. In the absence of our pastor, Rev. L. F. Wallace officiated, assisted by Rev. Mr. Armitage. The words spoken from being: "I am the door." The sermon was very impressive; also the words sang: "Tell Mother, 'I'll Be There.'" She joined the Church a number of years ago, and always was seen in her place at church with her little ones around her. Much sympathy is felt for the family.

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**PORT GEORGE**

Aug. 31

Fishery Warden, Walter Purdy, of Deep Brook, made a business trip to this village last week.

Mr. Roy Fritz, of Somerville, Mass., is a guest of his parents, Captain and Mrs. Henry Fritz.

John Hall, Jr., has returned to his home at Lawrence town, after spending two weeks at this place.

Mrs. G. C. Miller returned to Middleton, Saturday last, after spending five weeks at the Bay Side House.

Mrs. Bessie Fowler, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Charles Parks, at Port Wade, has returned home.

Our school reopened on Monday, Aug. twenty-fourth, with Miss Muriel Lantz, from Melvern Square, as teacher.

Rev. Mr. Armitage will hold his regular service in the Methodist Church, Sunday, Sept., sixth, at seven-thirty p. m.

Preaching service, Sunday, Sept. sixth: Mt. Hanley eleven a. m.; Port George, three p. m.; Gates' Mt., seven-thirty p. m.

A business meeting was held in the Baptist Church last Friday night to appoint officers. Mr. J. C. Slocumb was chosen Deacon, and Mrs. Edward McKenzie, treasurer of the Port George Section, of the Mount Hanley United Baptist Church.

**The Agricultural Editor's Poem**

(By Sam Walter Foss.)

I will flee from the city's rill and law,  
From its fashion and form cut loose,  
And go where the strawberry grows  
on its straw,  
And the gooseberry grows on the  
goose;

Where the catnip tree is climbed by  
the cat,  
As she crouches for her prey—  
The guileless and unsuspecting rat,  
On the rattan bush at play.

I will watch at ease the saffron cow  
And the cowlet in their glee,  
As they leap in joy from bough to  
bough.

On the top of the cowstip tree:  
Where the musical partridge drums  
on his drum,  
And the woodchuck chucks his  
wood,  
And the dog devours the dogwood  
plum  
In the primitive solitude.

Oh, let me drink from the mossy  
grown pump  
That was hewn from the pumpkin  
tree,  
Eat mush and milk from a rural  
stump  
(From form and fashion free)—  
New gathered mush from the must-  
room vine,  
And milk from the milkweed sweet,  
With luscious pineapple from the  
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Such food as the gods might eat!

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Ontario Boy Goes Whaling

(By Herbert Collier.) (Concluded from last week.)

The whale is a most unique animal, as different as can be from its fellow-inhabitants of the ocean, fishes. It is warm-blooded, and must have lots of air to breathe, as well as many other peculiar characteristics. In expelling the air from its lungs, with great force it passes through the spiracles, or blow-holes, and shoots high in the air in two streams of semi-liquid consistency. Four or five "breaths," as we would term it with their subsequent exhalations in the form of these "spoutings," and the whale can stay beneath the surface of the water for nearly half an hour before reappearing. That seems a long time to hold your breath, and exceeds by a long way man's ability at such a feat. And here just let me give further information about this animal which may assist you to a proper understanding of this marine monster.

Although by their mode of life so far removed from close observation that it is impossible to become as familiar with them in their natural condition as with many other animals, whales are in many respects the most interesting and wonderful of all creatures. There is much in their structure and habits which is well worthy of study, much that is difficult to understand, and much that leads to great generalizations, and throws light upon far-reaching philosophical speculations. One of the first lessons which a study of these animals affords is that in the endeavor to discover what a creature really is who were its ancestors, and to whom it is related, we find the general outward appearance affords but slight information, and we must go deep below the surface to learn the essential characteristics of its nature.

In the first place a whale is not a fish. When you consider carefully what a fish really is, what is common among this class of form, size and other characteristics which distinguish them from other classes, such as reptiles and mammals, the whale is found to resemble the last-named class. It is as essentially a mammal as a cow or a horse, and simply resembles a fish externally because it is adapted to inhabit the same element. But it is no more on that account a fish than is a bat nearly related to a bird because adapted to live and fly in the air. Careful examination of the structure of a whale indicates that long ago its ancestors lived on land, and could at least move about on shore on its four legs. Yes, you may well laugh. It does sound funny. Yet there in the whale today are its four legs—all that is left of them—every bone necessary, even to its toes. But because he changed his way of living, and stayed so much in the water, he lost the use of these legs and they shrivelled up. His forelegs became little flippers or paddles, but supplied with all the bones necessary for good legs if properly developed. The rudimentary hind legs are also to be found by careful examination. This is an excellent example of how nature demands that every organ of the body must be used, otherwise it is taken away.

The most remarkable characteristic of this animal is its similarity to human beings. It gives birth to children, and the mother provides milk for its baby. It does seem so odd for a baby whale, with its great mouth, to get its food supplied by sucking, and down under the water at that!

As we approached slowly and with engines going as quietly as possible under muffled steam, we detected some of the whales feeding. By a great sweep of the tail thousands of shrimps would be gathered together into a concentrated mass. Sometimes the whale, apparently not satisfied with the result of one such sweep, would make a second flourish, to insure that his meal was properly set before him. Then, swinging his enormous body into position, he would lazily roll over on his side and make a sudden dash through the water with wide-open mouth, in such a manner as to make the upper jaw a sort of scoop-net.

umbrella closes partly, when the lower jaw is brought up and, like a lid, covers all. Contained within is a great mass of food and water. The latter is not wanted, so the whale hurls this out through the hundreds of narrow passages, while a fringe of bristles along the edges prevents even the smallest minnow from escaping. It is simply a huge strainer. Sometimes as much as a ton of food is thus taken at one mouthful, and whales have been captured with as much as four tons of food in their stomachs.

But no time was lost by our captain and crew in watching the animals eat. Quickly and quietly had all necessary preparations been made, and now every man was at his post, alert to perform his particular duty when the moment for action arrived. Everyone seemed anxious and excited with the exception of two, Captain Macauley and the gunner. There, beside his powerful gun, stood Franz, coolly awaiting the approach to within striking distance, and to this end much skillful manoeuvring of the ship was necessary. Selecting first one whale and then another, we crept up quite near, when each suddenly decided to go below. With a flourish of the great flukes in the air he would "sound," or dive. Truly it was quite disappointing to meet with two such experiences. But with the third selection success came. Closer and closer we approached. Franz, with his eye along the sights, touched the lever. A flash and loud report followed instantly. My heart fairly stood still as I beheld the great harpoon, with enclosed bomb, speeding through the air on its journey of death. The attached heavy rope gave a merry "soop-soop-s-s-soop" as it flew out of its porthole, and chased the harpoon deep into the vitals of the whale. About two seconds after the entrance of the harpoon the bomb exploded. The enraged animal, mortally wounded, threw itself entirely out of the water, lashing his great tail furiously. Who the vessel, of whatever size, that chanced to be within striking distance of those flukes then! Like an egg-shell would it be crushed. We were indeed near enough to meet with a sufficiently unpleasant experience. One hundred tons of whale falling back into the ocean created an enormous disturbance of water. A mountainous wave leapt up and rolled toward us. A warning cry rang out as the danger to ourselves became immediately apparent. Each clung desperately to the nearest support as the wave, towering high above us, thundered upon our decks. Our good boat, built for heavy seas, shed most of the water nicely. Not so with us, however, as our clothes held every drop possible. Choking with the brine, we took a hasty look about to see that every man was safe, and then all eyes hurried to the dying whale. His struggles caused a frightful commotion, foaming water flying in all directions. Only occasionally would we catch a glimpse of the dark skin, for the splashed water hid everything. Suddenly quiet came. The back of the huge animal showed above the surface of the calming water, and then slowly disappeared from view. He was dead.

The rope attached to the harpoon was now all that could save the valuable animal from being lost forever to us. A dead whale at the bottom of the ocean is worthless. Every eye held the question, "Is the rope all right?" as, fearful lest in the struggle this might have become detached or broken we watched the steam winches winding up the "slack." The answer came promptly, without words, in the tight rope showing the weighted end. The terrible suspense was for a time ended. Everybody was happy. In a short time the powerful machinery had drawn the carcass up under our bows. A half-dozen agile fellows trained for this particular work were ready and, grasping firmly their peculiar weapons, leaped down upon the great, slippery back of the dead whale. Pirates indeed they appeared as they took possession of this strange ship. Thrusting a tubular lance deep into the animal, a rubber hose was attached and connected to a powerful air pump. This was set in motion, and air forced into the body in such quantity as to make the animal float readily. A metal shaft was then driven in as a flag pole, and a Canadian ensign placed at its top. Such action seemed very romantic, and savored of true stories of sea warfare. Yet it was not for mere glory that the victors thus hoisted the flag of their country. The reason was so made apparent when the men scrambled back on board the steamer and cut loose from the whale. Away we went, leaving the captured whale to await our return. The flag was to enable us the more easily to locate him again.

Of course the great commotion caused by such a fight with this whale frightened the other members of this school of whales, and now none were in sight. Rapidly we steamed about, keeping a sharp lookout for spoutings. Fully three hours passed in eager searching before the watchman from his lofty perch announced that he spied one lone whale some two miles to starboard. A strong breeze had risen, and the waves, rolling high, broke in foaming crests. Our little boat seemed a mere marliner and more joyous an event of the extra struggle as, from

her bows, she dashed the water in great sheets of flying spray. With full speed we rushed to within a short distance of the whale, and then continued the approach more cautiously by slowing down, so as to make as little noise as possible. The animal, however, paid not the slightest attention. He was evidently in sportive mood, enjoying himself in the waves. Placing his great body in such a position that the waves rolled along his entire length, he appeared to take as much pleasure in thus having his back rubbed as if he were a dog. If his enjoyment was in proportion to his enormous length he should be pardoned for being wholly oblivious of his surroundings. The situation suggested to my mind that amusing rhyme of the giraffe.

"The tall giraffe, with his face all aglow, As he munches his wisp of hay, Blesses his neck as down it goes, For he tastes it all the way." But Franz Naroda had no time for such idle thoughts. Upon his judgment all depended. The real target, the vulnerable spot, was comparatively small. The waves tossed our boat and its gun about in reckless manner, making aim almost difficult. Under such conditions came the real test of skill, a proving of nerves unajured by alcohol or tobacco. With his eyes on the "sights" he quietly said to me, "Be ready," for he had consented to allow me the honor of pulling the lever. It was a great moment for me. The job was really one of the smallest and easiest imaginable, yet on my fidelity utter failure or great success was absolutely dependent. I simply watched his lips and waited for one word, "Now," when instantly my hand responded.

With thunderous roar and belching flame the massive harpoon shot from the gun and disappeared in the body of the whale. Interrupted thus rudely in his play, the animal, as though to wave us a farewell, gave a flourish in the air with his great tail and rolling over on his side, sounded. It was quite evident that the wound was not to be immediately effective. Though we could not see him, his speed was shown by the trailing harpoon rope, which whirled through the portholes. A mile of rope must have been thus let out before the winches tightened in an effort to check the animal. But instead we were towed along at a lively speed. It was quite like King Neptune in his royal chariot drawn by marine steeds. Our engines were reversed in an effort to tire the whale. Yet for a time even this was not wholly effective. A pause came, and advantage was taken to wind up all the slack rope possible. Then another rush followed, in which we not only lost all we had gained, but much more with it. And so the battle waged for three hours before the lance men were called upon to perform their duties. He proved to be one of the largest of whales and a very worthy prize, measuring no less than seventy-eight feet.

After sufficient air was pumped into the body to make it easily floatable, the great flukes were hoisted by derrick so as to rest partly on the side of the boat, and all made fast with ropes. In order that the huge animal might be more easily towed, the head was turned to the stern of our boat, the mouth being tied shut. These interesting operations completed, we set out to locate our former prize, and then on to the whaling station, with its towing astern. We were told that "the cargo" approximated \$25,000.

Long before you reach the whaling factory it comes to you. It announces its presence in no uncertain manner. It has a sort of wireless equipment, judging by the distances to which this peculiarly distinctive, pungent, disagreeable smell will travel. You must possess a really educated nose to live in harmony with such a plant. During the day I spent at Sechart I did my best to make my nose understand that it was not to rebel against the enforced discipline of handling bad smells. But I fear such was not a success.

Our arrival in the harbor with two whales produced a lively scene. Great steam winches were soon in operation and the big animals dragged up inclined runways to the working platforms of this modern factory. Immediately a group of men set to work with long-handled flensing knives. Marching from one end of the whale to the other, they made cuts through the blubber, which lay in thickness of from six inches to two feet. Parallel cuts, about eighteen inches apart, were thus made over the whole body, after which special machinery was used to catch hold of one end of a strip and peel it off, as one might a thread from a stalk of celery. These great strips of blubber was then passed through chopping machines into big vats, to be boiled, in order that the oil might be thereby "rendered."

For such large animals it is a surprise to find they possess so thin a skin. It is not much better than wrapping paper, and quite useless for leather. The coat of blubber of such thickness seems to be ample as a protection for this warm-blooded animal against the chilling effect of the icy waters. One can imagine the difficulty of keeping a skyscraper properly immersed in ice-cold water. Beneath the blubber is a coarse, red meat, which, among certain Indians and Japanese, is much appreciated. Especially is this so of the tall and fine of the humpback whale, which is dry-salted and packed in barrels for shipment to Japan. For a time at least a certain Newfoundland firm produced a very fine "extract of beef" with this red meat.

The head of the whale is the most valued portion of the animal, an account of the whalebone in certain species, or the fine oil in others. The value of the whalebone alone in one animal often exceeds \$5,000. In the head of the sperm whale there is a great pocket, or "case," containing as much as fifteen barrels, and sometimes even forty barrels, of the purest and best natural oil known to commerce. It is used for watches and delicate machinery, and consequently commands a very high price on account of its special qualities.

In the modern whale factory not an atom of the monster whale is discarded. After the oils and other useful products have been secured, the residue is placed in drying machines and then ground to a coarse powder. This product, which is much like coffee both in color and form, is highly prized as a fertilizer, especially on the sugar plantations of the Hawaiian Islands.

The tongue of a whale will usually exceed three tons in weight, and sometimes even five tons. The size of the mouth can consequently be the more readily appreciated when compared with a roomy cave. The heart, whose duty it is to pump warm blood through those miles of arteries, weighs about a ton. Truly it is a magnificent engine.

While examining the interior of the mouth of one of the whales, naturally I recalled the story of Jonah and "great fish." As some biblical critics have freely stated that the throat of a whale is so small as to prevent the passage of a man, father and I determined to discover for ourselves the truth. Donning oilskin suits, we entered the dead whale's mouth (a sulphur-bottom), and not only one at a time, but both of us together, passed through the throat. At least we went far enough to prove the possibility of such an animal taking care of Jonah in that respect. It is true that some whales have a small throat, but there are a number of species, especially the sulphur-bottom, with ample provision for the passage of even three men together.

The Black Sheep

The Canadian volunteer citizen soldier is, if properly managed, as near the ideal as a military force can be. It is probably as little imbued with Dutch courage as any army in the world. The Russian army is excluded from vodka from the moment of mobilization. That is found necessary with such a drink-soaked peasantry as the imperial saloon-keeper has been cultivating to replenish his war chest. But the same rule would be profitable even here. Military service might be made a valuable refuge for splendid men who have been their own enemies. It is pitiful to see a lad in the King's uniform get on a street car in a silly condition. It humiliates to the great sober majority who wear the uniform to see it openly be derided. The Mayor has been the saloon-keeper's refuge liquor to men in uniform after eight in the evening. This is a moderate restriction, he alleges, as the occasion of his instruction, that sentries have been drunk at their posts. This has been indignantly denied by Colonel Hughes who has done all that a Minister of Militia could under the law to have a sober army. Whether the indictment is true or not, one man was drunk on what might have been momentous duty. A soldier on an errand connected with the defence of a certain government work was seen emerging from an urban hotel so intoxicated that he was hardly able to stand. A good Samaritan took him in hand and helped him to discharge his trust. One such dereliction might wreck a railway or navigation system. Some seem to have a notion that drinking is a natural adjunct of soldiering just as swearing used to be thought necessary to the right sort of a soldier. It certainly is different from drinking in private life that so much more hangs upon it. A man who had taken the pledge never to drink nor give drink to others said he considered it no harm to treat a comrade to liquor at the regimental quarters. So a railway conductor might say it was no harm to treat his gang while running a train. The present Minister of Militia has faced much ill-humor in his determined efforts to stop all this. We could wish that Parliament before it rose had given the minister power to make our mobilized force as sober as the armies of Russia. These men certainly do Canada credit. It would be a pity if that credit should be in any case sullied by drink. For the most of the men the absolute stoppage of drink would be no privation, for a large proportion it would involve no change.

An amusing story is told of an officer residing in India. Returning home one day from the hunt he was encountered by an Indian tax-collector, who said to him: "Four rupees, carriage tax; five rupees, horse tax; total nine rupees!" "The Englishman was indignant, and said in an angry voice: "So you've been prying round, have you, and questioning the servants? If you don't go soon I'll set the dog on you."

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The recent history of Germany is especially interesting at the present time. It may be said to begin with the union of the German States under William I. and his great Chancellor, Bismark. This monarch died at the advanced age of ninety years, and was succeeded by his son, the Crown Prince Frederick, whose wife was the eldest daughter of our beloved Queen, Victoria. This reign was very brief. Frederick had been for some time suffering with a disease of the throat. Queen Victoria's physician Sir Morell MacKenzie, being summoned, pronounced the disease to be cancer, then too late for operation. When he ascended the throne he was unable to speak and died in ninety-nine days. But, during this brief period he made it plain that he desired to serve the interests of every class of his people. He was followed by his son, William II, the present Kaiser, who was then twenty-nine years of age. Englishmen cannot forget the disrespect which this young man manifested toward the memory of his father, and especially toward his English mother.

A friend of Frederick published a part of his diary in order to show that he had taken a more prominent part in the affairs of the Empire than had been generally believed. Bismark was displeased and made a report damaging to the reputation of Frederick. The son, to the great grief of his mother, ordered this report to be printed and distributed, discrediting as it was to his father. And in various ways he showed a similar disrespect, while evincing a great admiration for his grandfather William I.

It was not long, however, before differences arose between William II, and Bismark, which ripened, in about two years, in a quarrel leading to Bismark's resignation of the Chancellorship. Bismark invited the leader of the Catholic party in the Reichstag to his palace. The Kaiser heard of it and sent word to Bismark that if political discussion took place he wanted to be present. Bismark replied that he would choose his own visitors. The Kaiser appeared the next day at Bismark's residence and asked the subjects of his discourse with his visitor. Bismark replied that their conversation was private, and offered to resign his position, if the Kaiser so desired. Sunday intervened, and on Monday the resignation was demanded and granted.

It was then that the Kaiser revealed his real self, by saying, "There is only one master in the country, and I am he. I shall suffer none beside. Those who will help me I heartily welcome; those who oppose me, I will dash to pieces." Personal government was his ideal, and divine right was the authority he claimed. But, these ideas are out of date, and a large proportion of his people do not accept them.

The Socialists who have grown to be a large party have proved a thorn in the Kaiser's side. One hundred and eleven members of the Reichstag are Socialists, the entire membership of that body being three hundred and ninety-seven. Because they have opposed his measures, the Kaiser has characterized them as "traitorous rabble." One woman Socialist, known by the name of Red Rosa, has been particularly active in charging the authorities with cruelty to the soldiers in the barracks. A charge was brought against her of libelling the Army. But, when she declared that she was ready to produce one thousand and thirty witnesses to substantiate her statements, the charge was dropped.

Many persons believe that one reason for the hastening of the present war by the Kaiser was the fear of internal revolution. A letter, widely published, from which we make the following extract expresses without doubt, the opinion and wishes of many Germans. The writer is at present a Professor in an English College.

"I am a native German and a former German soldier. My own position in this struggle is perfectly clear. My loyalty to the British flag makes me stand against any and all enemies of Britain. If need be I should even fight against Germany, though with a bleeding heart. Furthermore, I desire disaster to the German Army in this war, for the reason that it will mean restoration of fellowship among the western nations for one of the greatest peoples of Europe. A liberated, free, democratic Germany will start on a new and lasting era of prosperity, of peace, and arm in arm with England and France.

"Germany's defeat will mean the establishment of a German Republic and the elimination of William II, and all that he stands for. Such things as 'divine right' and 'mailed fist' are anachronisms, and in the intelligence of the twentieth century. William II is the common foe of Europe, and he must be eliminated. Defeat of Germany in this war means ultimate salvation and freedom for her. Germany will be the greatest gainer through defeat."

OBITUARY

DEATH OF JOSHUA J. BUCKLER

The death of Joshua J. Buckler at his home in Dalhousie aged seventy-one years, on August twenty-fourth, 1914, removes one of the best known and most highly respected men in the central portion of the County. Last Fall, Captain Buckler was quite suddenly stricken with a serious heart weakness and for some weeks his life was despaired of, but his strong vigorous constitution rallied and at the beginning of this year he was able to come to Bridgetown and greet his many friends who in the Fall had daily inquired of his condition, as probably no man outside of the town had won more friends than Captain Buckler.

Toward Spring his symptoms re-appeared and after several months of suffering, borne with patience and gentle submission, the end came the first of last week. "Captain Josh," as he was familiarly known was a descendant of an old English family that came to this County about one hundred years ago and settled on the South Mountain. The deceased inherited much of the chivalry and manliness of his respected pioneer ancestor. Possessed of a vigorous constitution, a rugged vitality, of a kind and genial disposition and even temperament for years his life was the embodiment of the New Testament definition of greatness. "He that would be greatest among you let him be servant of all."

For many years before the days of good roads, telephones or even when there were very few horses in the settlement of Dalhousie it was Captain Joshua Buckler that every one called on to "go for the doctor" or perform other deeds of mercy for those in need, or for the whole community. None ever did it more gladly or willingly.

For more than twenty years he sat in the Municipal Council representing his district and for many years he was Deputy Warden of that body. Until he reached the age limit he was a Captain in the Sixty-ninth Battalion and his company in the annual camps at Aldershot was always among the most orderly and respectable.

In politics he was a Conservative, but always a fair and honorable opponent and one that stood for a "fair deal" with both friend and foe, and condemned mean tricks as often with his friends as with his political opponents.

His passing away leaves a vacancy in Dalhousie that will be long felt.

The funeral services conducted by Rev. Mr. Reeks was very largely attended by the entire settlement and many friends further away. All felt they had indeed lost a friend. The many beautiful floral offerings sent, indicated too, the universal sympathy for the family and the respect and esteem with which the deceased was held.

Captain Buckler was twice married, his first wife being a daughter of the late Noble Beek of Bridgetown, by whom he leaves one son, George, and three daughters, Mrs. Bartlett Gillis, Mrs. Thos. Todd and Mrs. Christopher. By his second wife, who survives him, he leaves three sons, Hartley, Avarad and Harold, all at home and two daughters, Mrs. Fred Harnish and Miss Gladys. One brother, Mr. Milan Buckler, of Eridgetown and two sisters, Mrs. Hines and Mrs. Cleaves also survive him.

Riverside Cemetery

Just now Riverside Cemetery is looking its best. The annuals are in full bloom, and the whole cemetery seems as neat and as well groomed as a house. Mr. Lister, the Superintendent, informs us that this season he has had a great many callers and visitors, not only from this vicinity but from many parts of the province as well as a large number from the States who have friends buried in the cemetery. All are greatly impressed with the improvements and care shown by our people for this "city of the dead." It is now proposed to put in the fountain that the original plans made provided for; and we are informed that this will be done by volunteer work largely. Many of the farmers or those with teams will assist in the work by contributing stones, sand, gravel, etc., while our masons have agreed to do the concrete work as their part in the further beautification of this portion of the cemetery. It will now be in order for some friend or lover of this most commendable work to offer a suitable figure or statue for the fountain. To those who knew the condition of the cemetery two years ago it hardly seems possible that so great an improvement could have been done in two summers.

Services of Intercession for the War

In accordance with instructions from the Bishop of Nova Scotia, last Friday was observed, as a day of intercession on behalf of the war, in all the Anglican Churches throughout the Diocese. At St. James' Church three services were held, a goodly number assembling on each occasion.

It has, moreover, been decided to hold a special service of Intercession in St. James' Church every Friday afternoon at four-thirty, until further notice. It is hoped that this service will be borne in mind and largely attended. Cordial invitation being extended to all. It will last about half an hour.

In addition to these services similar to that which took place in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday evening, will be held once a month in each Church in town.

Bridgetown Defeats Wolfville at Tennis

The Bridgetown Tennis Club played the Wolfville Club at Wolfville last Friday, winning by three events. The Bridgetown Club was royally entertained by the Wolfville Club, and at a bridge party given in the evening Mrs. F. R. Fay won the first ladies' prize. The following is the score of the Tennis tournament:

MEN'S DOUBLES
Jack Ruggles and Frank Ruggles defeated M. Netton and Dr. DeWitt 6-2, 6-2, 7-5
A. C. Chute and R. Tufts defeated W. Landry and Henry Hicks 6-4, 6-1

LADIES' DOUBLES
Mrs. Fay and E. Kinney defeated E. Starr and E. Tufts 6-3, 6-2
Mrs. Fay and L. Ruggles defeated M. DeWitt and Miss Chute 6-4, 6-3

LADIES' SINGLES
Ethel Kinney defeated M. DeWitt 6-3, 6-0
Mrs. Fay defeated N. DeWitt 6-4, 6-3
M. Chute defeated L. Ruggles 6-3, 6-0

MIXES DOUBLES
Louise Ruggles and F. Ruggles defeated A. Chute and M. E. Chute 6-3, 6-4, 6-4
Miss DeWitt and Dr. DeWitt defeated Ethel Kinney and E. Ruggles 6-2, 6-2
R. Tufts and E. Tufts defeated Mrs. Fay and W. Landry 8-6, 6-2

MEN'S SINGLES
W. Landry defeated Dr. DeWitt 6-4, 6-1
J. Ruggles defeated Prof. Balcom 6-3, 7-5, 6-3
Ron. Ruggles defeated W. Chute 7-5, 6-2, 6-4
R. Tufts defeated F. Ruggles 6-1, 6-1
A. Chute defeated H. Hicks 6-0, 6-0

Apple Crops

As the season advances it is plainly seen that the apple crop in most parts of this county will be a fairly good one in quantity and a wonderfully good one in quality.

In orchards that were thoroughly and intelligently sprayed, there is no black spot, but in orchards where this has not been done considerable spot has developed during the summer.

The markets this year is the most serious problem facing our growers. The European War not only limits our markets but it will so paralyze trade and industry that apples will not be used to the extent of times of prosperity and hopefulness.

We learn that our Co-operative Fruit Companies are making plans to ship Gravensteins both to England and the West and that they hope to dispose of the whole crop of early fruit at a fair price although a much smaller figure than they might have expected this year had not the war broken out. The United States apple crop is estimated by the Department at Washington to be about 210,000,000 bushels or 60,000,000 bushels more than the 1914.

We understand that the United Fruit Companies has been able to secure Flour Feed at a price very little in advance of the prices before the war broke out and are supplying our various fruit companies with these necessary commodities.

Cucumbers by the Yard

We were shown by Dr. Armstrong the other day some cucumbers grown in his garden that measured over a half yard in length. These might be retailed by the foot or inch, a family taking the number of inches required according to its propensity for this cool green vegetable that has enjoyed great popularity every since the days of Moses when his people murmured and expressed a preference for cucumbers instead of quite so much manna.

St. James Parish Church Notes

Next Sunday being the first in the month, the Services will be:
ST. JAMES, BRIDGETOWN, at 8.00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
7.30 p. m.—Evening prayer and Sermon.
ST. MARY'S, BELLISLE, No Service—The church being closed for renovation.
ST. PETERS BY THE SEA, YOUNG'S COVE, Service at 2.30

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Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Regular monthly Conference Meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. R. Y. P. U. on Friday evening at 8 p. m. Sunday services: Bible School at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and at 7.30 p. m. At the close of the morning service the ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the vestry, Tuesday evening, September 8th at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to bring their milk boxes as it will be the last meeting of the year.

Methodist Church Circuit Notes

Public worship next Sunday, September 6th as follows: Bridgetown, 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Granville at 11.00 a. m. Bentville 3.00 p. m. Prayer meeting this (Wednesday) evening at 7.30. Epworth League on Friday evening at 7.30

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LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Dr. V. D. Shaffer will be in his dental office at Lawrence town during the first two weeks in September.

All citizens are again requested to decorate their stores and dwellings, with flags, bunting, etc., on Labor Day.

J. H. Hicks & Sons have contracted to erect six stations and one engine shed for the Dominion Atlantic Railway on the North Mountain branch.

B. C. Clark, of Bear River, planted a cherry tree twelve years ago. This year he picked from this tree forty boxes of cherries, worth sixteen dollars.—Maritime Farmer.

The Annapolis County Quarterly District Meeting of the United Baptist Churches convened with the Mt. Hanley Church on Monday and Tuesday of next week.

The Fall meeting of the Valley Medical Society which was to have been held at Bear River on September seventh and eighth has been cancelled on account of the unsettled conditions due to the war.

An interesting tennis tournament was played at Belle Isle, Wednesday afternoon, August nineteenth, between Granville Centre and Tupperville which resulted in a victory for the former. Games—Granville Centre, sixty-two; Tupperville, forty-five.

In addition to speakers already advertised for the Farmer's Picnic at Lawrence town, September third, Dr. Borden, President of Mt. Allison University and Dr. Cullen, of Acadia University are expected to be present and give addresses on that occasion.

The ice cream social held at S. B. Marshall's, Clarence, on Wednesday evening last, was a success, fifteen dollars and fifty cents being realized. This goes toward the fund being raised to paint and decorate the interior of the Church, which is being done by Mr. A. R. Bishop.

Word was received at Lawrence town, on Monday, by Mrs. C. S. Balcom, announcing the death of Mrs. Fred A. Walker at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston, on Thursday, the twenty-seventh, funeral taking place at Bradford, Vermont, on Sunday last.

The Colonial Arms at Deep Brook, a Summer Hotel owned and conducted by Captain J. D. Spurr was burned to the ground on Tuesday night. About five hundred guests were stopping at the hotel at the time. But a small amount of the furnishings were saved.

CHEAP FARES TO ST. JOHN EXHIBITION.

The S. S. "Valinda" will leave Bridgetown, Monday, September eighth, at twelve o'clock noon, calling at Ray's Creek, Tupperville and Round Hill. Fare Round Trip \$2.20.

The sad news was received here last Saturday of the death of Miss Jennie M. Corbitt, of Waltami, India, on August twentieth, who two years ago went to that country as a missionary. Miss Corbitt is the daughter of W. A. Corbitt, of Clarence. A memorial service will be held in the Baptist Church at Paradise next Sunday evening.

The Monitor's War Bulletins, which are displayed at Wear's Drug Store, and give the latest news both morning and evening, draw large crowds all day long and late in the evening. One can almost read the despatches as regards successes or reverses from the faces of the crowd.

The supper and tea meeting on Labor Day, which is for the benefit of the Bridgetown Band, will be held in the Grand Central Hotel. Young ladies have been appointed to solicit for the same in different parts of the town and vicinity and it is hoped that everyone will contribute. If any are missed in the soliciting they are requested not to hesitate to send whatever they can to the Hotel not later than ten o'clock Monday morning.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church held a meeting at the Manse on Tuesday for the purpose of organizing for work in connection with Hospital Ship supplies. A large and enthusiastic representation of the ladies decided to knit, sew and do whatever they possibly could do for our soldiers at the front. Shirts, nightgowns, etc., were then and there cut out and distributed among volunteer sewers, and it is hoped that a generous contribution of comforts of various kinds will shortly be ready to send forward to show the sympathy and good will of the Ladies of Gordon Memorial for the soldiers, who are fighting for their country.

Hubert M. Marshall, of East Salsburg, Mass., was born in an Inspector of Customs by Hon. Edmund Billings, Collector of the Port of Massachusetts. He was born August 26th inst., and has been assigned to the Levland Line of Liverpool, London and Manchester, England boats. Mr. Marshall was born in Central Clarence, Jan. 27, 1881, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milledge C. Marshall. He took a course at the St. John Business College in 1897, and since then has been in the United States. Nine years ago he was appointed a railway postal clerk after passing a civil service examination. His recent promotion comes as a pleasant surprise to his friends both in Massachusetts and Nova Scotia.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Cobbett, of Boston, is the guest of her friend, Mrs. W. B. Pickles.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eagleston, spent a few days at Port George, last week.

Mrs. W. A. Craig and daughter, Miss Mary, are visiting relatives in Cambridge, Kings County.

Rev. A. S. Lewis and wife, and son Roland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Hicks last week.

Miss Hortense Griffin left on Monday for Truro, where she will attend Normal School this year.

Mrs. George Dixon and Miss Marquerite Hicks attended the wedding of Miss Starratt at Paradise.

Miss Almedia Bent, Beaconsfield, was a successful candidate for Grade "D", the recent Provincial Examination.

Miss Gertrude Moses, of New York and Miss Martha Moses, Yarmouth, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moses.

Councillor E. A. Hicks attended the convention of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities held at Amherst last week.

Miss Phoebe Taylor, of Weymouth, was the guest of Mr. James Randolph and Mrs. E. C. Young, a few days last week.

Mrs. John McLean and daughter, Mrs. Fred McLean, of Lynn, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall, left on Monday for their home in South Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hayward and little daughter of Brockton, Mass., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Marshall.

Mrs. Owen Neily, of Toronto, after a pleasant visit of several weeks with relatives in town, returned to her home today by way of Boston.

Dr. Robert M. Miller was a passenger from Boston on Monday and is making a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, Clarence.

Misses Ethel and Hazel Eagleston, of Waverly, Mass., are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eagleston, Granville.

Mrs. W. A. Warren, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Butler, was a passenger to St. John on Tuesday. Mrs. Butler will spend the winter in the West.

Dr. David Webster, New York; Mrs. Colin Smith, Nictaux Falls and S. W. Webster, Cambridge, were guests of their sister, Mrs. R. L. Woodward, in Granville, last week.

Miss Mabel Marshall, who spent three weeks at Charlottetown, attending the Summer School of Science left on Saturday last for her school in Millville, Kings County.

Mrs. A. F. Kinney and daughter, Miss Helen, who have been guests at the homes of Mr. J. G. Randolph and Mrs. E. C. Young, returned to their home in Brookline, Mass., on Monday.

Mrs. Hyson has returned from Cambridge having been called there through the serious illness of her son, Owen. While there she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Norman Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Phinney, of Boston, and Mrs. Anos Burns, of Clementsport, comprise an auto party which is touring the Valley and will be guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stronach, Clarence.

Mr. Cadwallader Evans, General Manager of the Acadia Coal Company Limited, of Stellarton, N. S., and Mrs. Evans are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Evans made the trip here from Pictou County in their touring car and are delighted with the scenery and beauty of this part of the Province.

Entries to the sports to be held on Labor Day are filling up quickly and there will be some exciting contests. The Trades Procession and Automobile Parade promises to be a big event and everyone is asked to do their part in making it a grand success. Special trains leave Bridgetown for Annapolis at eight o'clock p. m. and for Middleton at nine o'clock p. m.

The St. John Business College and Shortland Institute enters upon the forty-seventh year of its history, under the direction of S. Kerr and S. L. Kerr, Principals. The annual calendar contains commendatory notices from a large number of the most prominent men in the various departments of mercantile and professional life, in St. John and other places.

CHUTE—At Bridgetown, August 26, to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Chute, a daughter (Myrtle Wilkinson). PHINNEY—At Centreville, August twenty-third, to Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Phinney, a son.

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The annual Sunday School Convention of Annapolis County will meet in the Methodist Church, Clementsport, on Wednesday, Sept. 16th, 1914, beginning at ten o'clock a.m. We hope a large number of S. S. workers or any who may be interested in this important work will find it convenient to be present. Delegates attending this convention will please send their names to Mrs. W. V. Vroom, Clementsport. Mrs. Annie L. Saunders, County Secretary, Nictaux Falls, Sept. 1st, 1914.

With a view to answering the thousand and one questions which the public is asking about the titanic struggle now going on in Europe, the Scientific American will issue on September fifth, a special War Number, of forty pages, with colored map and colored cover. It will cost twenty-five cents, but will be worth more than the money to one who wants to be posted upon the Triple Alliance and the Triple Entente, and the issues involved in the War Order. John D. Longley & Son, Montreal, are also offering a War Number of the Canadian Pictorial, for fifteen cents. It will no doubt be good.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Elizabeth Caswell and family wish to express their sincere thanks to the many relatives and friends who by their expressions of sympathy and moral tributes so kindly helped and cheered them during their recent bereavement.

Labor Day, September 7th

THE HALIFAX & SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY will sell excursion tickets on September 5th and 7th at the ONE-WAY FIRST CLASS FARE and ONE-THIRD return limit September 8th 1914. Also going and returning Monday, September 7th at the ONE-WAY FIRST CLASS FARE. Ask for rates.

Race Meet Halifax, September 15

In connection with the Great Race to be held at Halifax, September 15th to 18th, the Halifax & South Western Railway will sell excursion tickets to Halifax on September 14th to 18th valid for return until September 19th. From Bridgewater \$3.50, Lunenburg 3.10, Yarmouth \$5.00 and correspondingly low rates from all other points. Ask agent for particulars.

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BENT-WHITE.—At the home of the bride, Phinney's Cove, Annapolis County, Sept. 22, by Rev. E. Underwood, Rev. J. D. Bridgetown, Victor Lynnwood, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Bent, Phinney Cove, to Ethel Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Outbet White.

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# CLARKE BROS. BEAR RIVER

### CLEMENTSVALE

Aug. 30.  
Mr. F. W. Cummings spent Sunday in Middleton.

Mrs. Prudence Chute returned home from Bridgetown on Saturday.

Kenneth Beeler and Hartley Millett left for the West on the 18th.

Misses Vivian Millett and Maude Brown are visiting friends at Smith's Cove.

Mr. Richard Starratt and sister of Lynn, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Potter.

Judge Ritchie, of Halifax and J. H. Lombard, of Annapolis, spent the 24th here.

Rev. S. Langille and Mrs. Langille made a short stay among their many friends here last week.

Pastor Brown administered Baptism to two candidates at Victory, on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Floyd, of Milford, has been spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. George Beeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Wright, of Ipswich, Mass., are visiting their many relatives and friends here.

Miss Effie Potter is spending a few weeks at Middleton with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown.

Schools opened on Monday with Miss Mary Potter, principal, and Miss Ruby Wood in the Primary room.

Miss Evelyn Milner left for her home in Boston, on Friday, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mildred Brown.

Miss Emma Post, of Yarmouth, Miss Amy Crawford, Miss Estella and Mr. Carmen Cummings, of Middleton, were recent guests at Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Cummings.

Mrs. John King and children, of Hyde Park, and Mrs. Robert Starratt, of Auburndale, Mass., left for their homes on Saturday, after spending a number of weeks with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long.

Rev. O. P. Brown and Mrs. Brown went on Thursday to Windsor with the body of Mr. Brown's mother, who passed away on Wednesday, at the advanced age of eighty-five years. The interment took place in the Windsor cemetery on Friday.

### DEEP BROOK

Aug. 31  
Miss Ruth Adams is visiting friends in Kentville.

We are glad to report Mrs. E. V. Hutchinson recovering from a recent illness.

The Dorcas Society held a pleasant meeting last week, with Mrs. Isaac Jones.

Miss Mildred Robbins, of Bear River, spent part of last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and daughter, left on Saturday for their home in Lawrence, Mass.

Rev. John Charlton, of Salem, Mass., is among the guests of the Sea Breeze House.

Misses Peters and MacKintosh, who spent the Summer here, returned last week to Halifax.

Mrs. Fred Purdy, of Bear River, has lately been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Archibald.

Miss Beatrice Clements and friend, of New York, are spending a few weeks' vacation in Deep Brook.

Miss McLean, who has been visiting Mrs. L. R. Cranhall, returned last week to her home in Amherst.

The Hospital Ship contributions in Deep Brook reached the splendid sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty cents.

Congratulations to Miss Marion McClelland on having passed her examination for "D" certificate with excellent marks.

Rev. Arthur Archibald attended a family reunion in Wolfville last week and returning was accompanied by his brother, Rev. Wm. Archibald.

Mrs. Robert Spurr enjoyed a birthday party last Thursday, August twenty-seventh, those present ranging in age from eighty years, to one year, David Robert Spurr, being the youngest guest.

### MORGANVILLE

Aug. 31  
Mrs. Scott and three children have been here from the States, visiting her brother, Mr. John Milner.

Miss Ruth Goldsmith, who has been visiting her grandparents, returned to Boston, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Hilton, and son, Dana, returned to Malden, Mass., on Wednesday, after a pleasant visit to the old home.

The Misses Thelma and Catherine Hilton, and Miss Amy Morgan spent Monday at Lake Jolly, their favorite Summer resort.

Mr. Fred B. Morgan, who has been living in Baldwinville, Mass., returned home this week to spend the Winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Morgan.

Mr. Ernest Snell, and bride have been visiting their parents for the past week. They returned to Gardner, Mass., on Saturday, where they expect to make their home.

### PRINCE DALE

Aug. 30.  
Leon Wright spent Sunday with his brother, at Smith's Cove.

Elder Fraser and son, Lester, spent Saturday in Annapolis Royal.

Mrs. Edward Robbins, of Ipswich, Mass., is visiting at Mr. A. E. Dunn's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Wright spent Sunday at Mr. Robert Potter's Clementsvalle.

Sorry to report Mr. Wallace Fraser and Mrs. C. M. Fraser on the sick list.

Master Clyde Dunn is visiting his aunt, Mrs. George Robinson, at Annapolis Royal.

Wallace Early, of Northfield, was the guest of his uncle, G. H. Wright, over Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dukeshire, of Clementsvalle, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Wright, Monday.

Mr. C. Longe, of Clementsvalle and Mr. Bruce MacDonald, of Weymouth, were here on business Friday.

Mrs. W. Anderson, who has been spending the Summer here, returned to her home in Allston, Mass., this week.

Miss Edith Robar, of Virginia East and Miss M. Banks, of East Walshe were at Mrs. Wm. Dunn's, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ryder and Mr. and Mrs. William Letteway, of New Haven, Conn., and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sanderson, of Dakota, have been camping at Carmichael Meadows.

### PORT WADE

Schooner Albert J. Lutz, Captain Apt, will sail this week for the haddock fishing grounds.

Miss Stella Lane, of New Tuskent, Digby County, has engaged to teach our school for a year.

Mrs. Kendall, visiting at Lynn, having been sick some weeks of pneumonia, is convalescent.

Mrs. W. Holdsworth and children, of Digby, are guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Slocum.

Miss A. Reynolds came home from Digby on Saturday, where she has been spending a few weeks.

Hake from the boats here are only bringing forty cents per hundred. Other fish are fairly good price.

Mrs. James C. Ellis and daughter, Lila, of Boston, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Litch.

Mr. Jesse Foster, who has been employed at Hampton during the Summer, is visiting with Mrs. Foster here.

Schooner Grace Darling, Captain Casey, will overhaul now for the haddock fishing, having been quite successful in the Summer's fishing.

Mrs. Elizabeth Covert, Mrs. E. H. Johns and daughter, Lizzie, went Saturday to Digby en route to Brighton, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johns, of that place.

### LOWER GRANVILLE

Aug. 31  
Miss Mary Farnsworth has returned to Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Alfred Young returned home last week from a visit among her friends in Massachusetts.

Mr. William Condon, of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Curtis Young, of Digby, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Condon.

Mrs. Charles Cunningham and children, of Lynn, leave on Tuesday for home. Miss Marion Bishop, of Paradise, will accompany them.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robblee, of Everett, Mass., arrived last week and will take charge of their home here that they have lately purchased from Captain Farrel.

### Wedding at Bear River

A very pretty wedding took place August 20, 1914, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Jefferson, Bear River, when their daughter, Minnie, was united in marriage to Mr. Walter C. Dukeshire.

The couple stood under a very pretty arch while the ceremony was performed by Rev. O. P. Brown.

The wedding march was played by Miss Nellie A. Depter, B. A., cousin of the bride. The bride looked charming in a white silk trimmed with shadow lace and carried a large bouquet of assorted flowers.

After a bountiful luncheon the happy couple drove to Lawrence town, returning to their home in Clementsvalle, Saturday evening.

The bride received a large number of useful presents, including a good substantial cheque from her father.

The bride's travelling suit was navy blue with hat to match. Their many friends wish them a long life of happiness.

### WHY WEAK LUNGS?

The toll of tuberculosis is claiming more than 350 victims every day in the United States, yet few realize their grave condition until the critical period arrives.

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BEAR RIVER, N. S.

### KARSDALE

Mrs. Hattie Hudson returned to Kentucky on Saturday.

Arthur Thorne returned to Boston on Monday.

Miss Helen Thorne returned to St. John on Monday after spending a week with her parents.

Mrs. Minnie Malloy, of Lynn, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sonnor.

The Baptist and Episcopal Sunday Schools united in a picnic on Goat Island on Thursday. Dr. Bogart very

kindly conveyed the party to the picnic grounds in his capacious motor boat. The day was perfect so far as weather was concerned and the large company enjoyed the occasion immensely. Various games amused the young folk and after a bountiful collation was served—conists followed in which the Doctor, Rev. Mr. Williams and E. A. Porter took part. The Doctor gave a very patriotic and inspiring address upon the part England was playing in the great War—and at the close all joined in singing "God Save the King." The return trip in the evening was most enjoyable, the party landing about eight o'clock.

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Taming A Shrew

With an Interruption That Brought a Climax.

By Martha McCulloch-Williams.

Pretty Kitty Clyde was not really a shrew. She had merely been born impetuous and an adoring family monarch of an idling family.

Until she was rising eleven Douglas Norton had been also of her subjects. Fate whisked him away then to inherit an uncle's fortune and go racing about the world, thereby giving Kitty her first realizing sense that things could happen otherwise than according to her will.

The process was unpleasant. By a curious mental alchemy Kitty unconsciously stored the unpleasantness as a grudge against the absent Douglas.

So when he came home ten years later and fell openly and instantly a victim to her charms she was in two minds as to what to do with him, and she yielded in favor of the mind that advised her to do something unpleasant.

He was a dear fellow, suiting her exactly in some of her moods. In others—but in those others nobody suited her, least of all herself.

So altogether she was not ill content with the estate in life whereas she now found herself until Douglas obstinately insisted upon her naming the day.

"Go away! The role of impatient lover does not fit you in the least," she said to him with the most fetching pout.

"I dare say you can get Lena Shotwell—or somebody like her—all on a sudden this way," Kitty interrupted, trying to pull away her hands.

"What a peaceful home we shall have! You know you need mastering, but I'm too generous to ask you to admit it. Come along. I want you to hear me tell daddy all about it. Mother Clyde has already agreed with me that the wedding had better be on your birthday."

the road. The two sisters had been on watch in the front windows ever since they saw Douglas ride through the Clyde gate.

They had heard the screams and had made their incursion. "Somebody must be killing somebody over there. I'm going to find out who," Miss Alicia said to Miss Patricia, not even stopping to snatch at a bonnet as she sped through the front door and down the walk.

After one started "Oh!" she stood still, staring at Douglas, who had looked his hold of Kitty, but kept her hand. Kitty had been in a white rage.

Now she flushed brilliantly and looked at the intruder with her most infantile smile. "Dear Miss Alicia, did I really frighten the neighbors?" she asked.

"You ought to have called in a bigger audience, dear Kitty," she said in the suave voice that always meant mischief. "But do tell me what the play was. I don't seem to recall!"

"Of course you don't. I belong to the new school," Kitty said brightly. "The new school exists, you know, to prove that until it came nobody ever played Shakespeare quite right. Maybe it's because of my name, but I've always felt that I could give a new rendering of Katharine, you know, in 'The Taming of the Shrew'."

"She did do it and was most convincing," Douglas interrupted gratefully. He had been going hot and cold, wondering if there were any escape from the valley of humiliation open before them.

"So convincing?" he went on. "I see I must marry her right away. Miss Alicia, Miss Patricia, will you come to the wedding? It's to be just three weeks from now."

"You are a wretch, an ingrate!" Kitty said to him half an hour later when the Akrocyds had reluctantly taken themselves away. "I saved you and in doing it trapped myself beyond escape. What punishment do you not deserve, sir?"

"Nothing short of imprisonment for life," Douglas said. "Kitty, darling, you should yourself a genius and a heroine. In reward you shall go on having your own way."

"I don't want it—except sometimes," Kitty answered, racing away to kiss the major and Mrs. Major and at last to pet old Flossy's precious puppies.

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MAGIC READ THE BAKING POWDER

LIGHTNING CALCULATORS.

A Mathematical Marvel Has Been Found in a Madras Office.

There is at the present time studying at Cambridge one of the most brilliant mathematical geniuses the world has ever seen—a young Hindu, Mr. S. Ramanujan by name—whose work, although he is only twenty-six years of age, has excited the admiration of all mathematical experts.

Perhaps the most extraordinary thing about Ramanujan is that, as a mathematician, he is quite untaught. Until a year ago he was a clerk in the employment of the Post Office in Madras.

But in spite of this, he has, to quote Mr. Hardy, Fellow of Trinity, who has taken a great interest in Ramanujan, "discovered for himself a great number of things which the leading mathematicians of the last hundred years had added to the knowledge of schoolmen, although he was quite ignorant of their work and accomplishments. Indeed, his mathematical education is rather meagre, and the first I knew of him was about fifteen months ago when he wrote to me explaining who he was, and sent a large number of remarkable mathematical theorems which he had proved."

This is the second mathematical genius produced by India in the last three years. At the end of 1912 the members of the Royal Asiatic Society held a specially-convened meeting at Calcutta to hear the astounding by the arithmetical powers of a Tamil boy, Arumogam. A complicated series of sums had been prepared to test the boy's powers, each of which he answered within a few minutes. The first was "A chetty gave as a treat to 173 persons a bushel of rice each. Each bushel contained 3,431,272 grains, and the chetty stipulated that 17 per cent should be given to the temple. How many grains did the temple get? Within three seconds came the answer (which had to be translated), 100,913,709 with fifty-two as the fraction over."

Among other questions were the following: "Add together 8,556,497,713,826 and 96,268,593. Multiply 45,989 by 864,726. Find the fifth root of 69,343,957. What is the weight of a cube in a room flooded 2 feet deep, the room being 18 feet 9 inches by 13 feet 4 inches, and a cubic foot of water weighing 62 1/2 pounds?"

To all of them Arumogam gave the correct answers within a few seconds. Undoubtedly one of the most wonderful lightning calculators was George Bidder, the well-known engineer, who died in 1878. Bidder, who was born in 1780, was one of the earliest to recognize the value of the electric telegraph, first went to school at Camberwell, and afterwards attended classes at Edinburgh University. And even as a boy of ten he could answer such questions as, "How many drops would there be in a pipe of wine containing 126 gallons, supposing that each gallon consisted of 221 cubic inches, and each cubic inch contained 4,685 drops?"

It was a favorite pastime of boys and masters to concoct the most difficult arithmetical problems to test Bidder's powers of calculation, and these he solved correctly, and within a few seconds, apparently without effort.

A study of Robert May's "Accomplish Cook," published in 1665, will serve to dispel the delusion fostered by many foreign critics that English recipes are of the construction of a confectionery, with guns charged with actual powder, and a castle of pies, containing live frogs and birds. After giving directions as to the weight of the guns, he proceeds: "This done, to sweeten the stench of the powder let the ladies take the egg-shells full of sweet waters and throw them at each other. All danger being seemingly over, by this time you will suppose they will desire to see what is in the pyre, when, lifting first the lid of one pyre, out skip some frogs, which makes the ladies to skip and shriek; next after the other pyre, whence come out the birds, who by a natural instinct, flying in the light will put out the candles; so that, what with the flying birds and skipping frogs, the one above, the other beneath, will cause delight and pleasure to the whole company."

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

Quakers on the Historical Position of Women in Society.

At the annual meeting in England of the Society of Friends, the other day, it was decided to issue a statement on the historical position of women in the society.

This statement, which is the result of prolonged consideration by the standing committee of the society, expressly excludes any judgment on the question of the Parliamentary franchise. Its object is to embody a testimony, based on the experience of two hundred and sixty years of Quakerism, of the essential spiritual equality of men and women.

After dwelling on the historical evidence of the equality of man and woman throughout the history of the Society of Friends, the declaration is made that "In the home, in the Church, in the wider sphere of public life, the services rendered by women is recognized as having been of priceless worth; it is universally felt among us that, had their activities been fettered by artificial limitations, the loss to themselves and to the community would have been incalculable."

"Our experience," it is added, "leads us to believe that the place of woman in the life of the world is a larger one than has generally been allowed. Women are seeking in various ways to find their true sphere, and to make their distinctive contributions for the uplift of humanity. At the same time, many are fettered, and feel that they are denied the opportunity they seek. How can this opportunity be given? What is needed that all right thinking men and women should earnestly strive to discover the will of God in relation to this supremely important issue?"

Drink Under the Pulpit. Residents of Bellevue East in South Africa are enjoying a joke at the expense of a Presbyterian congregation whose church is situated near a thousand feet from the district. Temperance above all things has been preached in the church with unflinching insistence from the pulpit. Lately some people living in the neighborhood were interested in the fact that the church was a large number of Kafirs about the church in little knots and clusters, and at last someone—a trifle more curious than the rest—asked if there was not a native mission or chapel attached to the church. They were told that, because it was difficult to account for the presence of the natives, to whom one would hardly suppose a Presbyterian church for Europeans to be an object of particular interest or attraction.

No doubt the church officials were puzzled, and so they set to work to solve the mystery. The solution is alike tragic, humorous, and simple. While the evils of drink and the virtues of temperance were being thundered from the pulpit the divine was at all intents and purposes, standing over a native bar, for under the pulpit were found concealed dozens of bottles of liquor, apparently stored there by the prominent Kaffir boy in charge of the church.

Tennyson's Luck. The story of how Lord Tennyson won the Newdigate prize at Oxford is worth telling. Three examiners were selected to pass judgment on a large number of competitors' efforts, and the last of these to whom Tennyson's poem "Timbuctoo" was submitted, being of an indolent disposition and seeing what he took to be the letter "g," signifying "good," importance, value, and of the lines, affixed, without troubling to judge for himself the merits of the work, a similar mark of approval and thus secured for the future laureate the coveted prize. The same evening the three examiners met.

"Whatever," abruptly demanded he whose task it had been first to read the poem, "made you think so highly of young Tennyson's effort?" "Why," cried the others in unanimity of surprise, "we only followed your lead. You were forever marking the lines with 'g.'"

"A 'g'!" cried their colleague. "That wasn't a 'g'—that was a note of interrogation to signify that for the life of me I couldn't make out what the fellow meant."

Very Modest, Too. The following appeared a few days ago in the agony column of a London newspaper: "Of Epoch-Making Importance.—To someone who is Rich—I have a development, long desired and sought for, of enormous importance, value, and benefit to the nation and individually. It will enable the country to save probably \$500,000,000 annually, whilst it will yield some millions of pounds profits to us. I desire someone who is Rich to provide about \$125,000 for working capital to enable the results to be achieved, for a share of the profits. The advertiser is an able, experienced business man, forty years of age and unmarried, and therefore, can give his whole time to the matter. This is not a speculation, but a clear business proposition, the result of years of work."

Joker's Corner

A girl must be very, very intellectual if she does not know what another girl is on.

Some women are very dear; others are merely expensive.

"Father, this gallant young man rescued me from drowning!" "So! He ain't quite so good-looking as the chap who saved you last summer, is he?"—Detroit "Free Press."

Teacher (to new pupil)—"Why did Hannibal cross the Alps, my little man?" Little Man—"For the same reason as the hen cross the road. Yer don't catch me with no puzzles."

"Some spells it one way and some spells it another," said the native, when asked how to spell Saskatchewan Creek. "and some spells it another, but in my judgment there ain't any correct way of spelling it."

"A tramp at the back door who has already eaten a piece of that pie I made yesterday wants to know if you can do anything for him?" Tell him, my dear, that I am a commission merchant, not a doctor.—Houston "Post."

A farmer riding on a certain railroad asked the conductor on a recent trip: "How often do you kill a man on this ere line?" "Just once," replied the conductor.

Sunday-school Teacher—"Once upon a time there were two rich men one of whom made his fortune by honest industry, while the other made his by fraud. Now, which of these two men would you prefer to be?" Tommy (after a moment's hesitation)—"Which made the most!"—Boston "Transcript."

Little John often covets the bellows as a toy. One morning as his mother was using them to blow a lazy fire into flame, John stood by, eager to get his little hands on the bellows, and finally said, in his most obliging, "Mamma, if you are tired I will do your bellowing for you."

Robbie and Elsie were told that there were two apples on the table for them; being taught to consider each other first Bobbie said: "Take your choice, Elsie." "No," said Elsie, "you take your choice." Each kept on insisting that the other take first choice until finally Elsie broke the deadlock by taking the bigger apple. Instantly Bobbie's eyes flashed, and he exclaimed wrathfully, "Put that back and take your choice."

A judge in a western town had declared that he would stop the carrying of firearms on the street. Before him appeared for trial a tough youth charged with getting drunk and firing his revolver in a crowded street.

"Twenty dollars and costs," said the Magistrate. "But, your Honor," interposed counsel for the prisoner, "my client did not hit anybody."

"Why, you admit that he fired the gun?" "Yes, but he fired it into the air," explained the lawyer. "Twenty dollars and costs," repeated the judge. "He might have shot an angle."—Ladies Home Journal.

HOW THE WORLD SLEEPS

Most people sleep on their sides with the knees drawn up. Elephants always and horses commonly sleep standing up. Birds, with exception of owls and the hanging parrots of India, sleep with their heads turned tailward over the back, and the beak thrust among the feathers between the wing and the body.

Storks, gulls, and other long-legged birds, sleep standing on one leg. Ducks sleep on open water. To avoid drifting shoreward, they keep paddling with one foot, thus making them move in a circle.

Sloths sleep hanging by their four feet, the head tucked in between their fore legs. Foxes and wolves sleep curled up, their noses and the soles of their feet close together, and blanketed by their bushy tails. Hares, snakes, and fish with their eyes wide open.

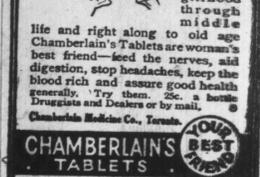
Owls, in addition to their eyelids have a screen that they draw sideways across their eyes to shut out the light for them sleep in the daytime.—Canadian Churchman.

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The Mother

(The Maritime Baptist.)

I hear the blaring banes go o! I hear the marching feet; All day they drum their dreadful dirge along the dusty street. I hear the crowds give cheer on cheer of fierce, delicious joy, And wonder if they see him there, my little, little boy.

A baby only yesterday, with soft and sunny hair, So helpless and so innocent, so fragile and so fair!

So strong I felt to shield him then, safe sheltered in my arm. It seemed to me the whole wide world could never do him harm. And oh, the long, long nights I watched beside his trundle bed To fight away the pain that racked his little fevered head.

I fought the battles for him then; he leaves my side today To fight far greater ones alone, and oh! so far away!

The little dimpled hand that lay so trustfully in mine Must grasp a rifle barrel soon along the firing line. My baby boy I held so close I felt his fluttering breath. Has left me empty armed and gone to see the face of death.

And never mother's voice to soothe nor mother's arm to shield, From all the direful perils of the smoke-hung battle field. Oh, why must mother stay behind? Is not a mother's place Beside the baby that must look in death's remorseless face?

The years have wrought a change in him that only others see— For all his soldier's uniform he's still a boy to me, Called forth to fight a nation's fight, a nation's vengeance, cloy. While I must wait and pray at home my baby, baby boy!

Stokers and Engineers

(By Edgar Wallace.)

They do not see the white-flecked skies or mark the frightened gull wheel from the stench of the battle smoke that glooms the ocean's green.

They do not see the bursting flame that leaps from hull to hull, Or mark the swirling waters of the sinking submarine. They play their part in danger's heart, Uncaring and serene.

They send the things of whirling steel and drive the ship along. They watch the sleek and restless rods that sink and thrust and swing. Eyes for the moon-faced telegraph, ears for its clanging gong, And heart and soul for the man they serve, their Admiral and King.

Through the engine room be the pit of doom They glory in the thing. Bare to the waist, they stoke the fires or trim the tumbling coal, Backward and forward in order they go, wiping the sweat from their eyes. They are driving the staggering, wallowing ship to its splendid invincible goal. Blind to the way, unknowing the end, yet are they wonderfully wise. For the end is the same for the patriot brave Whether he lives or dies.

Silver Recovered from Empress of Ireland

RIMOUSKI, Aug. 26.—One third of the 280 bars of Cobalt silver, which were on board the Empress of Ireland when she sank off Father Point in May last, have been recovered by the divers and forwarded to Quebec. Twenty thousand dollars of bullion was recovered yesterday, and two bags of registered mail. Salvaging is proceeding well, and every day mail and bullion is being brought to the surface by the divers.

National Forest Timber.

In 1905 the timber sold from the national forests aggregated 90,000,000 board feet, which brought the government no more than \$85,000. In 1913 more than 2,500,000,000 feet brought in contracts amounting to \$1,500,000. Not all this money was received in any one year, because national forest timber is sold on contracts which range from one to twenty-five years, and it is paid for as cut.

Practical Health Hint.

Treating Pain. Pain has its uses. By means of it the physician is often helped to his diagnosis. He cannot take the patient's word for the severity of the pain, for what one person will bear with comparative equanimity another will describe as intolerable anguish. The doctor notices the patient's attitude, his facial expression, and above all, his pulse rate. Real pain always makes the pulse rapid, and, as a rule, the more severe the pain the more rapid is the pulse. That is a good rule to remember. Physicians often detect malignancies by their entirely normal pulse rate, and mothers can with safety use the same test to determine the reality or severity of the pains of which their children complain. It is not always wise or kind to give instant relief, even when the suffering is great. In certain intestinal disorders, for example, an anodyne will quickly change the victim's groans to quiet, heavy sleep. But the symptoms are only masked, and the trouble that caused the pain may progress until it is too late for the operation that might have meant a cure. The safest means of relieving pain until the doctor comes is the application of either heat or cold. For some pain there is nothing like a hot water bottle. When there is much congestion the same bottle filled with ice water will give more relief.

Back Yard Scenery.

Belle—How do you and your mother like your new home? Beulah—We don't like the neighborhood. "Why not?" "Oh, we've been accustomed to seeing better looking clothes on the lines wash days."—Tonkers Statesman.

Recklessness.

"Aren't you afraid of getting freckled if you walk in the sun?" asked Maud. "Yes," replied Maymie. "But what's the use of a shadow skirt if you walk on the shady side of the street?"—Washington Star.

Disastrous Climax.

Mary—Love never did bring me any luck, mum. Mrs. Smith—Really, I fail to see how that can concern me, Mary. Mary—No, indeed, mum. Only now I've broken the statue of Venus, mum. —Judge.

Wanted White Man's Blood.

Accounts have been received of a fierce attack on the London Missionary Society's station at Andhra Pradesh, by natives seeking the blood of white Christians to christen their new war canoes.

The Brand D'Idn't Matter.

The mother of a St. Joseph (Mo.) tot gave her a nickel and said: "Run down to the grocery and get me 5 cents' worth of loose salt." At the store she proudly gave the order, but was told by the proprietor that he was entirely out of loose salt. Determined not to come home empty handed, the wife customer replied: "Well, then, I'll take a nickel's worth of the tight."—St. Louis Republic.

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### Paradise

Aug. 31. Edgar Bishop visited friends at Karsdale last week. Miss Annie Morse is visiting friends at Round Hill. Edgar Bishop was successful in obtaining his "D" certificate. Miss Emma Daniels was a guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Daniels. Marion Bishop and Walter Ricketson are visiting relatives at West Somerville, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freeman are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Freeman. Miss Gladys Jackson is teaching at Bear River, and Miss Mabel Elliott at North Weymouth. Mr. Arthur Plummer and Miss Plummer, of Dorchester, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Starratt. Captain Ralph Saunders and Mrs. Saunders, of Glasgow, Scotland, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bishop. Eleven dollars was received at the ice cream social and sale under the auspices of the "Willing Workers" on Thursday evening. Mrs. Wilde and little daughter and Mrs. Albert Angers and children, of Montreal, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bishop. Our school has reopened with Miss Moore, of Shubencadie, as principal, and Miss Hilda Longley teacher in the primary department. Mr. F. W. Bishop left for Grimby, Ont., on Monday to attend the Dominion Fruit Conference. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bishop. Mrs. H. W. Longley and her Sunday School Class of "Willing Workers" held a picnic in Lawrence town Park on Saturday afternoon.

### Hillsburn

Aug. 31. Mrs. A. W. Longtree is visiting relatives at Digby. Mrs. Ward Kieth is visiting his sister, Mrs. Sarah Coates. Mr. Ralph Hayden, of Port Wade, spent Thursday with Mr. Geo. Kay. Major W. Purdy, of Deep Brook, passed through here on Friday in his automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaul, of Delap's Cove, called on relatives here on Monday. Miss Emma Sproule, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to her home in Digby. Mr. Beej. Halliday spent Friday with his daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Hamilton, of Litchfield. Mr. and Mrs. David Milner, of Parker's Cove, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Hudson. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Longmire spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Longmire, of Litchfield. Mr. and Mrs. George Bent, of Granville Centre, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Longmire. We are sorry to report that Miss Roxie Hall day, of Lynn, formerly of this place, and who spent the Summer here for her health, is now confined to her bed with bronchial pneumonia.

### Upper Granville

Aug. 31. Mrs. Jean, of Redding, Mass., is the guest of her niece, Mrs. G. Elmer. Miss Annie Fellows has returned from a pleasant outing in New Glasgow and other towns. Claude Gillis was a successful candidate for Grade "C" at the recent Provincial examination. Mrs. Davis and daughter, of Roxbury, Mass., Miss Ellison and Miss Sweeney are returning to their different homes in Massachusetts this week, touching at Wolfville and St. John en route.

### Granville Centre

Aug. 31. Mrs. Weston Eaton and Mrs. E. R. Wade visited friends in Lower Granville last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Chesley and little Miss Eleanor, of Hantsport, visited relatives here on the twenty-third. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harris arrived from Boston on the twenty-fourth, for a fortnight's visit with Mrs. E. C. Mills. The sum collected for the Hospital Ship by Miss Estella Eaton amounted to nineteen dollars and seventy-five cents. At the recent Provincial examination Roscoe Calnek and Gregg Gilliat were successful in obtaining Grade "D". Mrs. J. P. Bigelow, of Kentville, who has been the guest for some weeks of Mrs. F. P. Mills left last week for Bridgetown. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hutchins, of Boston, spent last week, the guests of Major and Mrs. Wade at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Withers. Mrs. (Rev.) Allan and daughter, Miss Dorothy Allan, of New York City and Mrs. S. McCormick, of Granville Ferry, visited relatives here quite recently. Mr. A. N. Murray, President of the Murray & Emery Company, Boston, with Mrs. Murray and son, Albert, were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick. Miss Xenia Bent, after a visit of several weeks with friends here, has gone to Bridgetown, where she will spend a few days with relatives before returning to Waverley, Mass. Miss Susie Troop has returned from a visit of several weeks with friends in St. John. Her sister, Miss Florence has also returned from a ten days' visit in Halifax, where she went to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Harris to Dr. Mackintosh. On Sunday, Aug. thirtieth, in All Saints' Church, the rector, Rev. C. W. Neish, assisted by the rector emeritus, Rev. E. P. Grentorex, held a special service of intercession for the fallen of the World War. It was most impressive. The congregation was large and as patriotic as any in the British Empire whose cause all feel is a righteous one.

### Bampton

Aug. 31. Mr. Curtis Foster spent Sunday at home. Mr. Avarid Risteen goes to Caledonia today. Mr. Norris Mitchell, made a business trip to St. John last week. Miss Mand Chute from Bridgetown, is the guest of Miss Ruth Tolan. Mr. James Hall is among us again, calling on his many friends. School opened the twenty-fifth, under the direction of Miss Nellie Hiltz from Nictaux. The Misses Ruby and Adriel Farnsworth and Saville Brooks go to Wolfville today. Mrs. Clarke has returned to her home. She was accompanied by her father, Mr. Robert Chute. Miss Annie McGarvey has returned home after a very pleasant visit with friends in Annapolis. Mr. Charlie Foster, who has been in Keene, N. H., for the past three years is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Foster. Mrs. Jones and son, Harold, who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Lavina Foster, returned to her home in Lynn on Saturday.

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### West Paradise

Aug. 24. Miss Carrie Longley, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. Balcom, in Lynn, has returned home. Mrs. Alonzo Daniels, Mrs. Frank Baughman and son, of Clementport, are the guests of Miss Ina Durling. Mrs. Melbourne Saunders and son, Fred, who have been visiting friends and relatives in this place have returned to their home in Hyde Park, Mass. The Rev. Stephen Langille and wife, on their way home from Springfield, where they had been visiting their daughter, called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trimmer. Mrs. George Whitman and son, of Berwick, are spending a few days with her brother, N. I. Daniels. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Phoebe Daniels, who has been spending the last few months in Berwick. We notice the bridge across the Daniels brook is in a very dangerous condition, and we think it should be looked after before some one is badly hurt, if not killed. We have a person appointed by the Municipality of Annapolis County to look after these things, and we think it would be well for him to "get on to his job." This bridge has been in bad condition for two years or more, and should be repaired immediately.

### St. Croix Cove

Aug. 31. Mr. and Mrs. Lansdale Hall, Beauséjour, visited relatives here, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Foster returned to their home at Parraboro last week. Mrs. J. Edwards, Halifax, was the guest of Mrs. Susanne Poole one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kinneer and family returned to their home in Halifax today. A party of St. Croix Cove folks enjoyed a pleasant visit with friends in Beauséjour, Wednesday.

### Lake Brook

Aug. 31. Sorry to report Mrs. Jas. Karnes on the sick list at time of writing. Mrs. Rodney Parmenter, of West Warren, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Caleb Sarty. Mrs. W. A. Bailey, of Belle Isle, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. T. H. Clayton, recently. Mrs. Edward Bent and little daughter, Alma, visited Mrs. Richard Sarty quite recently. Little Miss Violet Bailey, of Belle Isle, visited her grandmother, Mrs. T. H. Clayton, recently. Miss Gilda Guest has returned home after spending a few weeks with her aunt, Miss Amelia Karnes, Graywood. The Misses Marquerite Clayton and Nellie F. Rafuse, have returned home after spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Harold Rafuse, Hillsburn. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Steadman and little daughter, of Lynn, returned home, after making a pleasant visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Steadman.

A banker living in Yonkers, N. Y., was recently aroused by his wife, who told him that there were burglars in the house. Armed with a double-barrelled shotgun, he promptly investigated, and fired both shots at a moving dark spot which proved to be his own shadow.

### Belleisle

Aug. 31. Repairs on the Church of St. Mary are being commenced this week. Mrs. John A. Gesner and children of Halifax are visiting their relatives here. Miss Aggie Munro, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. A. Munro. Mrs. Fred Walker and children accompanied by her sister, Miss Fannie Dodge, leaves for her home at Trail, B. C., tomorrow. On Wednesday the nineteenth inst., at two o'clock p. m., a tennis tournament—Tupperville vs. Granville, took place in the court of W. F. Parker, Belle Isle. At six o'clock a picnic was served to the players and spectators who had gathered to watch the game. The play, excluding half an hour for tea, was continued until seven-thirty. Granville won by seventeen points—Granville, sixty-two; Tupperville, forty-five.

### Port Lorne

Aug. 31. Mr. Porter, of Wolfville, is at the Bay View House. Mr. Charles Beardsley is in Halifax for a few days. Rev. Asaph Whitman has returned after a four weeks' vacation. Our Sunday School went to Port George last Wednesday on a picnic. Mr. Addy Nichols and family have returned to their home in Kentville. Capt. S. M. Beardsley and family left for their home in Wolfville yesterday. Our school opened last week with Miss Morton, of New Germany, as teacher. Charles Grant was successful in obtaining his "C" certificate at the Provincial examination. The Summer tourists are leaving now for their homes again and we hope to see them all next year.

### Victorville

Aug. 31. Miss Vera Parker expects to return to Wolfville today. We are pleased to report Oswald Parker improving very fast. The Marshall picnic was held at E. J. Mosher's on Saturday last. Mr. Harry Parker and Perley Ward spent Sunday at Granville Ferry. We are pleased to see Mrs. Lawrence Birch out again after her recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Margeson from Berwick have been visiting their friends in this place. A supper will be served in the Baptist Church, Saturday evening, Sept. fifth, in connection with the quarterly meeting, which will be held in the afternoon and evening. Rev. Mr. Wheeler, of Melvern, will be present and is expected to will sing at the evening service.

### WEST DALHOUSIE

Aug. 31. The Misses Josie Gillis and Laura Buckler each obtained their "C" certificate. Miss Mabel Todd has gone to North Albany to take charge of the school there. Mrs. Joseph Turner, of New Germany, is visiting friends in this place. Miss Kathleen Buckler has gone to Annapolis to take charge of her school there. Mr. Walter Kiley and family, of Boston, is visiting at the home of Mr. Chas. Todd. Mrs. James Berry, of Moose River, is visiting at the home of his brother, Mr. James Hannam. Miss Alice Hannam, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Bert Mailman, has returned home.

### Clarence

Aug. 31. Miss Edwina Elliott has gone to Truro Academy. The Mite Society received \$15.50 from their social. Joseph Sprowl has lately purchased a fine pair of horses. Miss Evangeline Elliott is teaching at Greenwood, Kings County. Mr. and Mrs. Barclay, of Halifax, spent Sunday at A. C. Chute's. Miss Mina Chute, of Berwick, has been spending a week at A. Wilson's. The Croquet Club held a picnic on Lawrence town Park on Saturday last. Lorenzo Elliott has purchased a fine pair of horses from Richard Snape. Our school opened on Monday under the efficient management of Miss Hilsley. Mrs. Allen Beazon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Banks, this week. Mr. W. Crisp gave a moving picture show in the hall two evenings last week. F. L. Fuller of Truro, was here last week judging the grain entered in the competition. Mrs. Edward VanTassel of Digby, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Avarid Jackson. Miss Ida Williams leaves on Tuesday for Wolfville, where she will attend Acadia Seminary. The Clarence and Paradise Churches have extended a call to Rev. Jas. D. MacLeod, of Chester. Miss Edwina Elliott leaves for Truro today, where she will join the "A" class at the Academy. Mrs. Wm. Creelman left on Friday for Middleton, where she will enter the hospital for treatment. Prof. Collier will lecture in the Clarence Church on Wednesday evening. Collection for the benefit of the Hospital Ship. Mrs. Leander Elliott returned home on Saturday after spending the Summer with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) McCurdy in Rhode Island. We are glad to welcome back Mrs. B. F. Chesley after an absence of some weeks in Boston, where she had gone for medical treatment. Mrs. Jane Elliott, who has been spending the Summer with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) McCurdy of Rhode Island, arrived home on Saturday. Deacon Henry Messenger received on Saturday evening the sad intelligence that his brother-in-law, Rev. T. B. Reagh, Arch-Deacon of P. E. Island, had passed away at his late home in Milton, on Wednesday, after an illness of some weeks, borne with submission to the Divine Will. During the past few years in pastoral work, he had been exceeding in eternal worth, owing to ill health. More recently he had the sad affliction come upon him of losing his eye sight. But during all these afflictions he was always cheerful and hopeful, realizing, as he did, that "these light afflictions were working out for him a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory." He leaves a widow and a large family to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father, beside a host of friends in the various parishes where he has labored, as well as in the Valley. We commend them to the care of Him who doeth all things well.

St. Isidore, P. Q., Aug. 18, 1904 MINARD'S LINIMENT Co., Limited. Gentlemen,—I have frequently used MINARD'S LINIMENT and also prescribed it for my patients always with the most gratifying results, and I consider it the best all-round Liniment extant. Yours truly, DR. JOS. AUG. SIROIS

### Spa Springs

Aug. 31. Mr. Slack from England, who purchased a farm from J. I. Phinney, has moved in. We extend a welcome to them. Mrs. B. W. Woodbury and Miss Hazel Woodbury spent the week-end with Mrs. Edgar Foster, at North Kingston. Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Margeson, of Berwick, have been calling on their many friends here and Victoria the past week. Mrs. Neil Coulston, who has been spending the Summer with her mother, Mrs. M. Harriss, has gone to Port Williams, where her husband is clerking. Mr. J. Gates from Dartmouth, has been visiting Mr. Clark, of Yorkshire, England, has also been a guest at the same place.

### Falkland Ridge

Aug. 31. Mr. Jacob Stoddart went to Bridgewater last week. Mrs. Robert Stoddart visited friends in Bridgewater last week. Miss Ritcey, of Nictaux, has taken charge of our school for the ensuing year. Miss Rita Marshall and Helen Mason, were successful in obtaining their "C" scholarships. Mrs. F. Feener and Luetta returned on Thursday from Lunenburg, where they have been visiting. Miss Hilda Smith, of Bridgewater, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Kaulback, has returned to her home. Mrs. E. P. Charlton left on Saturday for Aylesford. She intends to spend a few weeks there with her daughter.

### Springfield

Aug. 31. Miss Florence Morrison has gone to Worcester, Mass., to spend the Winter. Miss Myrtle Morrison has gone to Liverpool where she is engaged at teaching. Miss Laura Morrison, of Halifax, has been spending a few days at her home here. Mrs. Stout, daughter, Mildred, and son, Joseph, of Malden, Mass., are visiting relatives here. Miss Cora Wilson has returned to Massachusetts, after spending the Summer, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. S. Starratt. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Roop and baby, Mrs. A. M. Roop and daughter, Gertrude, spent a few days of last week with relatives at Mt. Hanley.

### Catholics and Prohibition

Roman Catholics have recently held a convention in Niagara Falls for the purpose of discussing how best to make united warfare against the liquor traffic. That is most encouraging as in the past our Catholic brethren have not been as active in their opposition to the liquor traffic as the Protestants. They admit that themselves and are determined to lay behind no longer. The call to this convention reads in part as follows:—"The life of the liquor traffic is in the balance, and it behooves the many Catholics who are opposed to the saloon to form organizations of their own or to affiliate their efforts with the existing organizations pledged to the overthrow of the liquor traffic which is erecting its last and most formidable ramparts where Catholics are most numerous. Already the many Catholics engaged in the nefarious business which fosters what the late Pope Pius X called "the terrible scourge, the deadly evil, sowing so much shame among the faithful" constitutes a mighty hindrance to the physical, intellectual and moral progress of the American people in general and of our poor immigrants in particular." "Therefore we the undersigned, impelled by the urgent appeal of the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore to "all Catholics engaged in the sale of alcoholic beverages to quit that dangerous business" invite all Catholics who favor the removal of the saloon to meet in Conference, August 4, 1914, in Niagara Falls." It should be remembered that in the Province of Quebec there are 904 municipalities under prohibition and only 236 under license. Judging the future by the past the downfall of this dreadful business is near at hand. H. ARNOTT, M. E. M. C. P. S.

### The Germans Have Lost Eighty-one Cannon Since War Started

LONDON, Aug. 21.—(10.12 p. m.)—A dispatch from Paris, the Exchange Telegraph Company's correspondent sends the following summary of alleged German losses as printed in Paris, Matin:—"Twenty-four cannon taken by the Belgians from the third to the fifth of August at Liege. "Three cannon taken by the French at Margennes, August 11th. "Six cannon taken by the French at Othain, Department of Meurthe, August 12th. "Twelve cannon taken by the French near Schirmeck, Alsace, August 16th. "Twenty-four cannon taken by the Russians at Stallapoppen, East Prussia, Aug. seventeenth. "Twelve cannon taken by the Russians at Gumbinnen, East Prussia, August seventeenth. "This makes a total of 81 pieces of field artillery, besides which were captured a number of pieces of heavy artillery, rapid fire guns, aeroplanes and 19 motor wagons. "In addition the German lost two flags to the Belgians at Liege, a cavalry standard was taken at Dieulouart, and a flag was captured by the French at St. Blaise, August 15."

# JULY and AUGUST CLEARANCE SALE

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| <b>Ladies' Vests</b><br>15 doz. Ladies White Vests half sleeves ..... <b>9c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>Corsets</b><br>75 pair Ladies Corsets in D.A. & W.B. Crompton and B & L makes to be cleared out at <b>25 and 50c per pair</b>                                                                                                           | <b>Men's Suspenders</b><br>5 doz. Men's Suspenders, good elastic, with Mohair ends, only ..... <b>10c</b><br>5 dozen Men's "Police" Suspenders, only ..... <b>19c</b> |
| <b>Misses' Hose</b><br>12 doz only "Princess" Hose Tan only all sizes ..... <b>19c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Linoleums</b><br>1 piece Inlaid Linoleum, 2 yds. wide, only ..... <b>1.65 yd.</b><br>1 piece Linoleum, 4 yds. wide, only ..... <b>1.90 yd.</b>                                                                                          | <b>Boy's Summer Underwear</b><br>5 dozen Boys' Summer Underwear ..... <b>19c</b>                                                                                      |
| <b>Ladies' Hose</b><br>20 doz only, Black Cotton Seamless Hose Extra Value 2 pair for only ..... <b>25c</b><br>10 doz Ladies Black and Tan Lace Lisle and Cotton Hose ..... <b>15c</b><br>15 doz Ladies Silk Lisle Hose in colors Reg. Price 50 for ..... <b>25c</b><br>20 doz Lisle and Cotton colored Hose were 25 & 30c now ..... <b>19c</b><br>5 doz only, Ladies Black Cotton Hose worth 25c now ..... <b>19c</b> | <b>Men's Caps</b><br>20 doz. Men's Caps; prices from 50c to \$1.00. Now ..... <b>25c</b>                                                                                                                                                   | <b>Men's Summer Underwear</b><br>5 dozen only, Men's 40c per Summer Underwear ..... <b>40c</b>                                                                        |
| <b>Boys' Hose</b><br>5 doz only, Boys Ribbed Tan Cotton Hose ..... <b>15c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>Men's Fancy Sox</b><br>25 doz. Men's half Hose Regular price... 25c 40c 50c Sale price..... <b>19c 29c 39c</b>                                                                                                                          | <b>Men's Summer Underwear</b><br>5 dozen Men's Soft Shirts with half cuff, very neat patterns, ..... <b>59c</b>                                                       |
| <b>House Dresses</b><br>2 doz only, Ladies House Dresses neat patterns and great fitters only ..... <b>95c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Boys' Blouses</b><br>1 lot Boys' White Blouses, good quality, nicely made and trimmed, regular price 85 cents; to clear at ..... <b>50c</b><br>1 lot Boys' White Blouses, better quality, were \$1.25; to close out at ..... <b>75c</b> | <b>White Shirts</b><br>2 doz Men's White Shirts, sizes 15 1/2 to 17 1/2, regular price \$1 to \$1.25; now ..... <b>49c</b>                                            |
| <b>Boys' Blouses</b><br>2 doz. Men's Soft Shirts, linen shade, were \$1.50; for ..... <b>95c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>Men's Outing Shirts</b><br>2 doz. Men's Soft Shirts, linen shade, were \$1.50; for ..... <b>95c</b>                                                                                                                                     | <b>Men's Colored Shirts</b><br>3 dozen Men's Colored Shirts, best makes, sizes 14 to 17; prices were up to \$1.25, to be cleared ..... <b>49c</b>                     |

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