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3,871 SETTLERS ENTERED PROVINCE

Report of Department of Immigration and Colonization is Tabled

Three thousand eight hundred and seventy-six settlers came into Nova Scotia via ocean ports and from the United States during the twelve months ending September 30, 1924, according to the monthly returns of the Department of Immigration and Colonization included in the annual report of the Department of Industries and Immigration which was tabled in the local Legislature Tuesday.

The report points out that the department has dwelt directly with 1,228 persons, including families, and that this number brought in to the province capital totalling \$327,659. Of this number 555 were skilled laborers and their dependents, while there were 298 farm settlers and 126 domestics. There were 271 male farm settlers placed in the various counties of the province of whom 156 were from the British Isles and 115 were Scandinavians.

In connection with the employment offices it is mentioned that a total of 42,283 applications had been received and that of this number 30,952 were re-applications.

It is reported that since the first of the year, 464 handicapped or disabled persons have been registered for employment throughout the province and that 95 per cent. of these are ex-service disability cases. A total of 357 placements were made, 33 of which were permanent and 25 for period varying from a month upwards.

The annual fisheries report which is also included in the general report of the Department, shows that for the first nine months of 1924 the total cash value of the deep sea catch was \$3,666,697, as compared with \$2,430,860 for the same period in 1923. A similar comparison as regards inshore fishing gives a total cash value of \$1,846,179 as compared with a total of \$2,665,950 for 1923.

It will be seen that although the combined inshore and deep sea receipts which total \$5,512,876 show a slight increase over that of the previous year, inshore receipts have fallen off to a very large extent. It is pointed out that the shortage in lobsters, almost fifty per cent, was caused by the rough March weather on the western shore, where the catch is usually very large. It is emphasized that the two deadliest drawbacks on the industry are the freight rates and customs duties. "The former might be abated if proper efforts were put forth to that end," urges the report. It is stated that at Montreal the consumer pays five times as much for his fish as the Nova Scotia producer receives.

SPECIAL MEETING OF ELECTRIC COMMISSION

A special meeting of the Electric Commission was held at the Council Chamber on Friday afternoon last with Mayor Chambers presiding and all the members of the Commission present.

The chairman stated that the object of the meeting was to consider and take action regarding conditions arising from the accident by which Lineman McDonald met with a severe eye injury some weeks ago. Mr. McDonald had been continued on the pay-roll of the town and his case referred to the Workmen's Compensation Board. It appears that a local specialist who has been treating the injured man makes a claim upon the town for a considerable amount in excess of what is paid by Compensation Board for medical attendance. Mr. Stairs some weeks ago sent McDonald to the Victoria General Hospital at Halifax, and the latter after some time becoming dissatisfied with the treatment he was getting returned to Wolfville. A letter was received by the Commission from the Workmen's Compensation Board stating the possibility of a termination of the allotment in wages and medical attendance owing to McDonald leaving the hospital without permission.

In order to be able to confer on the matter with Mr. Stairs the meeting of the Electric Commission was adjourned until Saturday evening, at which meeting it was decided to terminate Mr. McDonald's engagement with the Commission March 21st, by a week's notice. It was also decided to have further communication with the Workmen's Compensation Board pending another meeting to be held in a few days time.

Madam Tussaud's famous wax works show in London was destroyed by fire last evening.

ROY M. WOLVIN



President of the British Empire Steel Corporation, whose coal mines in Nova Scotia are idle as the result of a strike of the miners, because the men and the company failed to negotiate a new contract for wages.

ACADIA PRESIDENT VISITS HALIFAX

Dr. Patterson Gives Two Addresses in Capital City—Tribute from Press

Dr. F. W. Patterson, president of Acadia University, delivered two addresses at Halifax this week. On Sunday evening at Fort Massey church he spoke on the relations between the church and the university, and Monday evening at the School for the Blind he addressed the Canadian Club, taking for his subject, "Canadianism, Critical and Selective". The Halifax Herald refers to Dr. Patterson's visit editorially as follows:

"It has been our high privilege during the last few years to have an unusual number of distinguished visitors from the Old Country, who have addressed a Halifax audience on the great problems of education and social advance. We have welcomed these new voices, and trust that their appeal—often eloquent and always instructive—has not been made to us in vain.

"But our province has never been without teachers of its own, upon whose powers of criticism and guidance it may well rely. This good fortune has been once more signally illustrated in the lectures delivered by President F. W. Patterson, of Acadia University, on Sunday evening in Fort Massey church and on Monday at the School for the Blind. When President Cutten was attracted, like so many of our earlier educators, by a call from the United States, the problem of filling his place at Wolfville was one that might well arouse anxiety. But few can doubt that real wisdom was shown in the choice of his successor. President Patterson has already proved himself to be a man with keen insight into the needs of the time. Power of public speech is indeed only one among the many qualifications for successful headship of a university, but it is a gift to be envied, and the President of Acadia possesses it.

"The audiences which listened to him in Halifax were called upon to think. Dr. Patterson chose to address them on subjects full of difficulty, subjects more or less 'hackneyed', on which it is particularly hard to say anything at once fresh and convincing. He spoke about the relation of scientific knowledge to social improvement, and about the best means of building up a Canadian patriotism. But he made both subjects live. He repeated no stale commonplaces, rather challenged his audiences to examine these problems in a new way. He joins serious thought to clarity of expression and a skilful marshalling of illustrative cases in a way that compels the listener to attend, to re-examine old ideas, to draw new practical inferences.

"Nova Scotia, long celebrated for the power of its educational leaders, is to be congratulated on this comparatively recent addition to a notable series, and we look forward to hearing President Patterson often again in Halifax as an academic man whose thought keeps ever close to the facts of life. It is a combination not always found, for the academic expression is the foe of the practical. But it is a combination of high fertility, and we hail the leader who displays it."

WE MUST ENLIGHTEN THE M

In a personal letter to the Editor Mr. Bernard Fry, who is now in St. Louis, Mo., tells of the ignorance the people of that country have of conditions in Nova Scotia, and states that many would no doubt come here for their vacations in the summer if the attractions of the province were presented to them. He writes in part as follows:

"I do, and shall always, take a great interest in Wolfville and its doings, and have done all in my power to boost Nova Scotia and the Land of Evangeline as a tourist centre amongst the unenlightened folk down here. Why, one man had an idea that Grand Pre was a town in Illinois when he saw a picture and read about Evangeline's Statue in the 'St. Louis Post Dispatch'. An active boosting campaign of the beauties and unexcelled tourist possibilities of our Province is sadly needed, that it may become known as THE summer resort just as California and Florida are known as THE winter resorts. There are many, many people here in the Middle Western States who are looking for such an ideal vacation centre, and yet the majority believe when I tell them I'm from Nova Scotia that I've come from a continuously cold country near the Hudson Bay regions. This sounds unbelievable but is actually a fact. It is hard for me to make them realize that N.S. is only across the Bay of Fundy from Boston. It is certainly an eye-opener to transplant oneself two thousand miles across the continent to discover that whilst we have always been familiar with the location of the different states of the union, that Canada to the majority down here confines itself to the Western Provinces, Ontario and Quebec, whilst the Maritimes are absolutely foreign to them in regard to location, possibilities, etc.

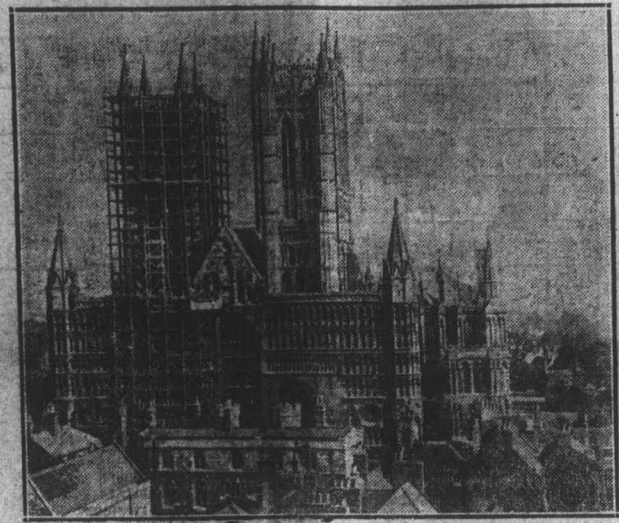
There are countless numbers of railroad employees who are the recipients of annual vacation long distance passes who go to Niagara Falls, the Rocky Mts. or other well known resorts the year after year, and who are always looking for fresh places of interest, only to travel the same old way, because they know of no other places to go. Why shouldn't Nova Scotia, Wolfville, get the benefit of their money, of their booting? No reason at all if they were only informed of the class of goods you can deliver.

BORN

THORPE—At Roxbury, Mass., on February 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Reinforth Thorpe, a daughter.

Get your Easter Cards at THE ACADIAN STORE. We have a good assortment and prices are reasonable.

ANOTHER GREAT CATHEDRAL IN DANGER



Large fissures, up to ten inches in width, have opened up in Lincoln Cathedral, England. This structure is one of the most beautiful examples of Gothic architecture in the world. The photo shows the northwest tower encased with scaffolding where some repair work is going on.

CANADIAN TEAM TO PLAY NEW ZEALAND

Drawings for First Round in Davis Cup International Tennis Tournament

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Canada will play New Zealand in the first round of the Davis Cup international tennis competition. The drawings took place this afternoon.

Australia was drawn to play Hawaii. Japan will play China. Included also in the American zone was Spain, who will play a preliminary match against Cuba, the winner of which will play in Mexico.

The teaming up, as the result of the drawing, gives the following line-up in the European zone: Holland plays Czechoslovakia. Switzerland plays Sweden. Belgium plays India. Austria plays Ireland. Hungary plays France. Portugal plays Italy. Rumania plays Denmark. Poland plays Great Britain.

FRUIT GROWERS HOLD INTERESTING MEETING

A meeting of special interest to fruit-growers was held at the Council Chamber on Friday evening of last week, at which there was a good attendance.

Considering other important functions which were in progress, Mr. C. S. Fitch, president of the Wolfville Fruit Co., presided, and informing addresses were given by a number of gentlemen. Prof. Blair, of the Experimental Fruit Farm, spoke on "Orchard culture and the use of fertilizers in the orchard"; A. Kelsall, Dominion Entomologist, of Annapolis, discussed "The different spray materials and orchard pests"; Mr. Hockey, of the Experimental Fruit Station, told of "The origin and history of orchard fungus disease", and suggested remedies for the same; F. W. Bishop, president of the United Fruit Companies, spoke on the care of the fruit from the orchard to the warehouse, and dealt with the whole matter of marketing, etc., from the aspect of the Fruit Companies. Mr. E. H. Johnson, who was the last speaker, dealt in a practical manner with the grafting out of undesirable varieties and the fertilizing of orchards.

Such meetings in various parts of the Valley cannot fail to be productive of good results, and those attending will be well repaid for the time spent.

CROSS WORD PUZZLE CONTEST

The first correct solution to the cross word puzzle in last week's Acadian received by us was sent in by Mrs. D. R. Munro, Wolfville, and the second by Mr. R. P. McLeod, Wolfville. As both are now subscribers we would ask them to please send us the names and addresses of persons to whom we can send THE ACADIAN for six and three months respectively.

We received ten other solutions to last week's puzzle, but only the following had the answer correct: Mrs. N. H. Parsons, Wolfville; Mrs. W. S. Eagles, Gaspareau; Miss D. E. Holmes, Avonport. The prizes for this week's puzzle will be confined to those who do not receive their paper at the Wolfville post office.

Mr. G. F. Harris, government radio inspector, is spending a few days in Wolfville and vicinity, checking up radio licenses.

PLANS TO AID COAL INDUSTRY

Hon. Charles Stewart Indicates Lines of Development to be Considered

OTTAWA, March 16.—Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, indicated in the House late tonight Government plans for the development of the Canadian coal industry. Two lines of activity were proposed:

1. Continuance of the financial assistance provided last year for the transportation of Canadian coal.

2. Legislation to assist the manufacture of coke.

Mr. Stewart said that as a result of the \$200,000 voted last year to assist in transporting coal, the market for Nova Scotia coal had been extended 100 miles further westward. Owing to the strike in the Alberta coal fields it had not been possible to lend financial assistance in transporting Alberta coal east. But there was to be a trial shipment in the spring, and if a rate of six dollars per ton transportation charges could be obtained, plus three dollars per ton for mining and loading on the cars, it would be possible to bring Alberta coal into Ontario and to meet competition with American anthracite. Further, if Nova Scotia fuel could be turned into high grade coke in Quebec, Mr. Stewart thought that a million and a half tons could be used to take the place of the anthracite now brought in from the United States.

BIG ATTRACTION AT THE ORPHEUM

On next Monday and Tuesday, there will be presented another Fox 1925 special, entitled "IT IS THE LAW".

On Wednesday and Thursday the first of the super-specials will be shown. The management have booked a number of extra attractions for the spring, and will show, in addition to a Fox special every week, a super-special every second week.

The offering of the latter class, which will show next Wednesday and Thursday will be "CHU CHIN CHOW", the great New York success.

This is a picture full of thrills and tells the story of the kidnapping of an Arabian slave girl by Chu-chin-chow.

The first four nights in almost every week during the spring and fall will be given over to big productions.

Among the super productions are "Captain Blood", Jackie Coogan in "Little Robinson Crusoe", "Scaramouche", Harold Lloyd in "Hot Water", "The Merry-go-round", etc.

This is a new departure, being something different from the usual custom among theatres in small towns, but the management are doing this as an experiment, and if successful this policy will be carried out every spring and fall.

PLEASANT GATHERING AT GREENWICH

On Friday, March 6, some fifty or more friends and neighbours spent a very delightful evening at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Forsythe, Greenwich Ridge.

After a short time spent in social intercourse and games they all repaired to the dining-room where a bountiful Bean supper was served.

This was followed by music on a beautiful Heintzman player piano and victrola: readings by Mr. Forsythe, Miss Lila Smith and Mrs. W. L. Borden. A short time spent in singing old songs brought to a close an evening "all too short".

SPECIAL MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL

Assessment Roll was Passed and Tax Rate Fixed at 5 per cent.

A special meeting of the Council was held last Friday afternoon, with Mayor Chambers and all the Councilors present. The mayor stated that the principal matter to come before the meeting was the presentation and passing of the assessment roll and the fixing of the rate of taxation for the current year.

The clerk reported that action of the Court of Appeal had reduced the assessors' valuation to the extent of \$2980, the net assessment now being \$7679.30, and the rate of taxation for the present year fixed at five per cent.

The estimates as published in a recent issue were reviewed briefly and the Mayor stated that in his opinion the amount of \$5500 for streets might be considerably reduced. He also explained that the item of \$400 for an assistant to the Clerk might not be used as it was possible that the ratepayers would not permit, and that the sanction of the Electric Commission to become responsible for the extra \$200 might be refused.

Coun. Porter suggested that in event of the Clerk's roll was finally passed and the rate of taxation for the present year fixed at five per cent. The estimates as published in a recent issue were reviewed briefly and the Mayor stated that in his opinion the amount of \$5500 for streets might be considerably reduced. He also explained that the item of \$400 for an assistant to the Clerk might not be used as it was possible that the ratepayers would not permit, and that the sanction of the Electric Commission to become responsible for the extra \$200 might be refused.

The resolution for bank overdraft to carry on pending the collection of taxes was passed. This was placed at \$13,250, based, as the law directs, on last year's valuation.

The Council called the attention of the Council to the fact that a loan had been effected at the bank last October to finance the work of sidewalk construction in place of selling the bonds for which the Council had authority. The amount had been considerably reduced by payments made since, and the amount unpaid was included by the bank in the overdraft, swelling it beyond what is authorized. It had been suggested by the bank that the Council deposit as collateral bonds to the amount of \$3500. On motion a resolution to that effect was unanimously passed.

Town Clerk Ford reported the following bills for payment and on motion authority for their settlement was granted:

Royal Print & Litho.....\$ 4.75
Davidson Bros.....29.05
A. G. Cowie, Poll Clerk.....4.00
M. J. Tamplin, Poll Clerk.....5.00
Geo. A. Pratt, Returning Officer.....5.00
S. C. West, Returning Officer.....5.00

ACADIA GIRLS WIN EASILY FROM ST. JOHN Y.W.C.A.

The Acadia girls' basketball team scored their fifth consecutive victory over the St. John Y.W.C.A. in the Memorial Gymnasium here last night. The score was 57-8.

The first half of the game was played according to Canadian girl's basketball rules to which the visitors are accustomed. Miss MacArthur, of St. John, refereed this period, which ended 30-3 in the local girls' favor.

In the second the Acadia girls shut out the St. John team with their brilliant combination. The game ended 57-8. "Poodle" MacDonald refereeing the latter half.

St. John.—Jean Angus, 4; Betty Thompson, 4; forwards; Mary Page, Miss Day, centres; Elizabeth Armstrong, Eleanor Angus, guards.

Acadia.—Ann Doherty, 26; Jean McLaughlin, 29; Janet Murray, 2; forwards; Pauline Colbath, Helen Lawson, centres; Carol Chipman, Bea Smith, guards.

DR. MARSHALL ADDRESSES BOARD OF TRADE

There was a good attendance at the dinner held by the Board of Trade at the Royal Hotel last Friday evening, and all present thoroughly enjoyed the occasion. While all were doing ample justice to the excellent menu provided, splendid music was furnished by the High School orchestra, under the leadership of Miss Newcombe. Many laudatory remarks were heard concerning the excellent program furnished.

After the last course had been served, Mr. Edson Graham, the president of the Board, introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. A. N. Marshall, pastor of the Baptist church. Dr. Marshall addressed the gathering along the line of business ethics, stressing the fact that trouble between employer and employee can never be overcome until justice to that there is a soul to be reckoned with on either side, and that an employee may be a man and not a thing. His remarks were listened to carefully and his address greatly enjoyed.

Mr. R. E. Harris moved a vote of thanks to the speaker, which was seconded by Mr. N. W. Eton, and carried by a standing vote. Other speakers were Mayor Chambers and President Graham. The latter made a strong plea for better support for the Board from the business men of the town.

The Truro hockey team have won the championship for the Maritime Provinces, winning from Sussex by the combined score of 6 to 5. At Sussex last Friday night the Truro team was victorious by the score of 3 to 2. The second team at Truro on Tuesday night resulted in a win for Sussex by the same score, making the teams tied for the series. Twenty minutes of overtime were played before Kuhn scored the winning goal for Truro.

The Millinery Parlors will be opened to the Public on MARCH 21st. Miss. Hennigar CANNING, N. S.

UNITED STATES IMMIGRATION LAW

Their Relation to Canada Explained in Statement Issued by Canadian Club of Boston.

Because of the wide spread misunderstanding among Canadians both in the United States and Canada regarding the present United States Immigration Laws relating to Canada, the Canadian Club of Boston, through its president, A. M. Johnson, has issued the following statement in an endeavor to make the essential points of these laws as clear as possible.

The privilege granted to Canadians under the United States Immigration Laws of 1917, whereby Canadians have been permitted to come to the United States on a visit for a period of six months without the payment of head tax, is continued under the present United States Immigration Act which became effective July 1, 1924.

Unfortunately, this privilege has been taken advantage of. The law has been violated—often times unwittingly, sometimes deliberately—by a large number of persons in that they agreed to return to Canada within six months but did not do so.

It is apparent that such persons do not realize the penalties they must inevitably incur for violating this temporary stay privilege. Under the present laws persons who come to the United States under this six months temporary stay privilege, paying neither head tax nor visa, and who do not return to Canada within six months as they agreed, are liable to severe penalties. They are as follows:

1. After the expiration of their six months' stay they are liable to arrest and deportation to Canada and persons so deported are prohibited from re-entering the United States for one year.
2. The head tax of \$8 and visa of \$10 cannot be paid in the United States, but such persons must return to Canada and appear before the United States consul of the district in which they reside and obtain a visa. They must also pay a head tax at the recognized point of exit in Canada. In the Maritime Provinces there are three—Yarmouth, Nova Scotia; Halifax, Nova Scotia; and St. John, New Brunswick.
3. No person may become a citizen of the United States or take out first papers who in entering the United States has not complied with the United States Immigration Laws. If this has not been done one must return to Canada, pay the visa and head tax and thus legally re-enter the United States before making application for citizenship.

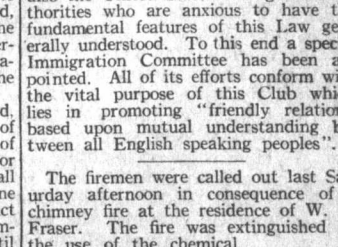
When persons are not absolutely sure of returning to Canada within the six months period it is strongly advisable to obtain visa and pay the head tax before leaving Canada. This will save a possible trip back to Canada.

Further, it cannot be overemphasized that the temporary stay privilege is a special concession to Canadians, which is not enjoyed by the people of any other country. That its continuance may not be endangered the laws covering it should be honestly complied with. Canada also enjoys another unusual concession in that its citizens are not placed under a quota. Were the continued violation of present laws to bring about a quota upon Canada, such as now exists with all other countries, it would be indeed very unfortunate. Only a limited number of Canadians would then be permitted to enter the United States each year. This might tend to impair the cordial intercourse between these two great countries.

Because of the number of times which the Canadian Club of Boston is called upon for information on this important question affecting so many of our own people, the Club feels that there is need for greater publicity on this matter. It seeks in a friendly way to help Canadians, whose reputation for complying with the Law is firmly established, and also the United States Immigration authorities who are anxious to have the fundamental features of this Law generally understood. To this end a special Immigration Committee has been appointed. All of its efforts conform with the vital purpose of this Club which lies in promoting "friendly relations, based upon mutual understanding, between all English speaking peoples."

The firemen were called out last Saturday afternoon in consequence of a chimney fire at the residence of W. K. Fraser. The fire was extinguished by the use of the chemical.

TO GET ANNUITY



In recognition of the national service rendered by Dr. Charles Saunders in the development of "Marquis" wheat, the Dominion Government included in the main estimates \$5,000 for the purpose of providing Dr. Saunders with an annuity.

Town Topics Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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An English Opinion

"Thank you very much for the wonderful box of chocolates which I received yesterday. I may add that the box I received last year was sampled by nearly every one in this village and the next, and all pronounced them the finest they had ever eaten." F. Dempster, The Mill House, S. Moreton, Wallingford, England.

Mr. J. S. Short, Supt. Moirs Box Factory, recently returned from a three weeks' tour of the leading New England Chocolate factories. Mr. Short has under his charge 70 skilled operators in a plant conceded to be the best equipped in Canada.

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Editorial

Our pulpits are our work clothes. Each of us live some kind of a sermon every day.

A SUGGESTION TO LOCAL MERCHANTS

IT HAS been the policy of this paper to advocate the "buy at home" practice on the part of its readers, and in pursuance of such we have occasionally been criticized by those who have failed to see eye to eye with us in the matter. The opinion has been expressed that people have a right to trade where they please and that they should not be expected to buy at home and pay more than they would be obliged if they made their purchases abroad.

While both these objections are open to logical answer we admit that they may readily appeal to those who require to consider well their expenditures in order that their outlay may not exceed their income. We believe, however, that in most cases the customers would be glad to co-operate with the merchant in order to promote community welfare and would willingly pay slightly more to the home merchant than the mail order house requires because of the better service rendered.

There is no doubt but that the advantage of getting payment in advance and buying in large quantity frequently gives the big store an advantage over the home merchant, and makes it possible for the foreign concern to undersell the local store. This may also come in certain cases from a difference in value in the quality of the goods offered.

May we suggest to our merchants a solution of this problem so that they may be able to meet the competition of the big city store and merit the continued support of their customers? Our proposition is that the dealers of Wolfville should proceed to organize a "Merchants' Association" for the purpose of solving this problem which is theirs alone and for which they must assume full responsibility. On the principle that "goods bought right are half sold" one of the first undertakings of the new organization should be to take into consideration the very best possible system of buying. Buying is not a pastime, but a profession, and requires special qualities of which comparatively few merchants possess. We believe that by organizing our merchants can buy so that they can cut their retail prices in many cases to meet those of the mail order catalogues and make more money because of the increased sales.

To accomplish this it will be necessary for the association to select from their number one buyer to whom will be intrusted the entire buying for the needs of the whole organization. All who wish to sell to Wolfville merchants must see the one man and the factory representative must sharpen his lead pencil for he is calling upon a big customer. The buyer gives shipping instructions and the goods are received by the merchant in the usual way. For example, one buyer buying all the shoes for all the merchants of the town of Wolfville would save from one dollar to three dollars per pair, the price to the consumer being cut just that much, while the retail profit would be the same as now. Citizens would appreciate the improved service and forget the mail order catalogue, while the dealer would make more money because of the sale of more shoes.

THE PRICE OF FISH

ONE of the recently adopted institutions of this country is what is styled as a "national fish day", on which people are admonished to eat more fish, both as a patriotic duty and in the interests of good health. It is a fortunate thing that on only one day in the year is this requirement imposed and that even then the observance of the day is left as yet to the individual to voluntarily carry out, as the prices paid for practically all kinds of fish in this sea-girt province are very nearly prohibitive. For probably no other item of food supply are people of this section bled so unmercifully as in what they are obliged to pay if their appetite inclines them to a fish diet. Forty cents a pound for halibut and eighteen cents for cod or haddock seems a pretty good tribute in a land where fishing is one of the chief industries and where the inland as well as the sea waters teem with finny life.

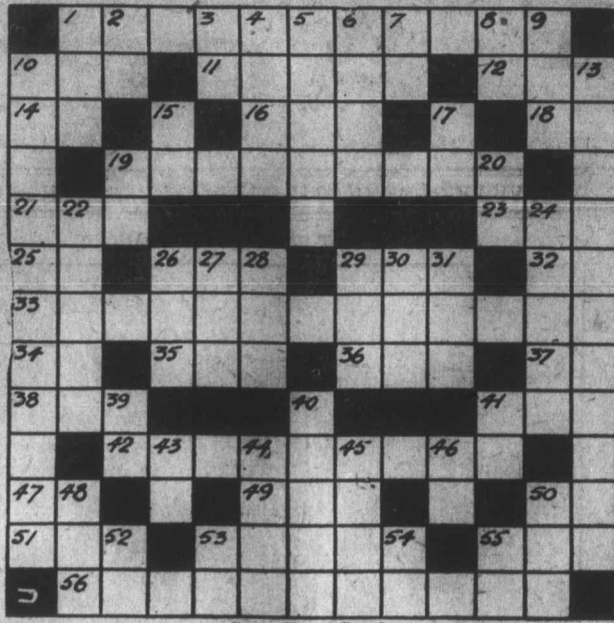
Which recalls that in by-gone days Minas Basin was regarded as providing good fishing, and not a few of the hardy manhood of the surrounding sections engaged in fishing to a considerable extent. Their numerous boats made frequent visits to the "fishing grounds" and returned with good catches, which at the prices then ruling provided profitable returns to the fishermen and a cheap and satisfactory food supply to the public generally.

Here is an opportunity for some of our enterprising inhabitants to initiate an industry that will bring profitable returns and at the same time render a real community service. While at Hantsport one day last summer the writer saw "Avon River Cod" displayed at the local fish market, and was told by the proprietor that a considerable proportion of his supply was thus secured. Such being the case there must at certain seasons be yet plenty of fish in the basin to make the proposition a profitable one.

THE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION COURSE

THAT Wolfville citizens have not enjoyed a privilege in which many of the towns of Nova Scotia have participated during the winter is due to the fact that no local organization has seen fit to become responsible for the conduct of the University Extension Course. Time was when the people of this town had served to them during the college year a feast of good things in the way of lectures, concerts and other entertainment by high class artists, which was duly appreciated and generously patronized. In the University Extension Course representatives of the various colleges deliver lectures along lines in which they are particularly qualified, making up an instructive and helpful bill of fare. As we understand it the expense is slight and the benefits derived very considerable. It is to be hoped that before next winter arrangements will have been completed by which Wolfville citizens will be able to avail themselves of the advantage which this course certainly provides.

Strangers to our town who have spent the present season here have expressed surprise at the lack of entertainment of this kind, which in a college town they naturally expected to abound. It may be that in the past Wolfville people enjoyed such a profusion of these good things that their appetite has become surfeited, but we incline to the opinion that under competent auspices the University Extension Course, which would bring us in contact with the best educationists of the various institutions, would be at least equally as successful here as it has proved in other communities.



Cross Word Puzzle

KEY TO CROSS WORD PUZZLE

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| 1 A visual defect. | 1 Skill. |
| 10 Before. | 2 Point of compass. |
| 11 Street (Spanish) | 3 Imperial potentate (ab.) |
| 12 Girl's name. | 4 Watch dog's welcome. |
| 14 Unit of measure (ab.) | 5 Battle of late war in France. |
| 16 Railway office (ab.) | 6 Uproar (Archaic) |
| 18 Man's name (ab.) | 7 Towards. |
| 19 Pearly white. | 8 Therefore. |
| 21 Cackleberry. | 9 Member Provincial Parliament (ab.) |
| 23 Valuable rock. | 10 Bubbles up. |
| 25 Railroad (ab.) | 13 The other thing. |
| 26 Beverage. | 15 Common sailor (ab.) |
| 29 Anger. | 17 Chinese General. |
| 32 Hour (ab.) | 19 For example (ab.) |
| 33 Repeated introduction of serum. | 20 Thus. |
| 34 Time east of Pt. William (ab.) | 22 Fireplace. |
| 35 Boy's name (ab.) | 24 European river. |
| 36 And so on (ab.) | 26 Vaudeville turn. |
| 37 Name of a continent (ab.) | 27 Prevaricate. |
| 38 Oriental monetary unit. | 28 To complete. |
| 41 A wager. | 29 Verbal suffix. |
| 42 To figure. | 30 A rodent. |
| 47 Man's name (ab.) | 31 And other things (ab.) |
| 49 To open (poetic) | 39 One of the U.S. (ab.) |
| 50 Military decoration (backwards) (ab.) | 40 God of love. |
| 51 Observe. | 41 Exist. |
| 53 Full of pep. | 43 Designates time. |
| 55 Charge. | 44 Mythical Royalty. |
| 56 Constituents. | 45 Man's name (Jewish) |
| | 46 White plague (ab.) |
| | 48 God (Latin) |
| | 50 Christian Endeavor Society (ab.) |
| | 52 Point of compass (backwards) |
| | 53 An Academy of Art (ab.) (backwards) |
| | 54 Two vowels the same. |
| | 55 Measurement (ab.) |

RIFLEMEN ARE HONORED AT KENTVILLE

KENTVILLE, March 13.—The 25th annual meeting and dinner of the K.M.R. Rifle Association was held at the American House Tuesday evening, Lieut.-Col. T. A. Lydiard presiding.

The association awarded spoons to best shots made throughout the season, and following the dinner Col. Lydiard presented suitably engraved silver spoons to the following:

- Capt. C. W. Fair, 82; R. H. Chipman, 85; W. R. Weaver, 78; Stanley Wagstaff, 88; W. D. Withrow, 77; Herbert Ritchie, 76; Capt. G. H. Ruffee, 74; Chas. Cox, 79; Capt. W. G. Sangster, 81; Lieut. F. F. Northup, 76; W. P. Brechin, 76; Stewart Thomas, 72; George Sanford, 79; Hubert Sanford, 80; K. L. Pineo, 83; Sergt. H. W. Miller, 82.

The general business of the association was dealt with, and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:

- President—Capt. C. W. Fair.
- Vice-President—W. D. Withrow.

Secretary-Treasurer—K. L. Pineo.
Executive—Lieut.-Col. T. A. Lydiard; Lieut.-Col. E. W. Roscoe, D.S.O.; Lieut.-Col. Robert Innes; Major J. P. Knowlton, G. L. Calkin, W. R. Weaver, Roy Walsh and Stanley Wagstaff.
Several matters of importance to the association were discussed after which Capt. Fair gave an interesting talk on the care and cleaning of the rifle. The meeting closed with the national anthem.

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When you have a surplus of apples, dry them for spring and summer use. They are very nice.
Pare, core and quarter. Cut each quarter into three pieces, spread thinly on plates or platters, and place in warming oven, or on stove-shelf. It takes about three days to dry enough. Place in tight paper bags, and hang in a dry place.
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But Jones couldn't sell to Smith because of his offer to Brown.

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When you buy merchandise or service from a business man of Wolfville, you get credit because of his CONFIDENCE in you. He BELIEVES in you. He knows that you have built up a character and reputation that DESERVES his confidence.

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Personal and Social

Mr. Roger Lohnes spent the week end at his home at Springfield, Annapolis county.

Mrs. Angus Elderkin left on Tuesday to visit for some time at her old home in Alberta.

Rev. A. N. Marshall, D.D., delivered his lecture on "Australia" at Berwick on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Cecil Thompson returned to Halifax on Monday, after spending three week's vacation at his home here.

Mr. E. J. Delaney, who is now residing at St. John, N.B., paid a short visit to Wolfville this week on business.

Mr. David Thompson arrived home on Tuesday from Boston, where he has been spending a few weeks visiting friends.

Mrs. A. J. Woodman arrived home last week from New York, where she spent several months with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Ryan.

Mayor Chambers has laid aside the arduous duties devolving upon his office, and is spending the week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. M. Smith, at Truro.

Mrs. T. E. Hutchinson, Miss Jean Stewart and Miss Frances Brown were delegates from the C.G.I.T. group of St. John's Sunday School at the recent conference at Bridgetown.

Mrs. (Rev.) R. E. Gullison spent Sunday last at Lawrencetown where she was the speaker in the Baptist church at the morning service.

Her address stressed the need and value of missionary work among the Telegus, and she gave many interesting details of her own experience as a missionary in that country.

Among those who were in Wolfville last week attending the meetings of the Board of Governors of Acadia University and of the University Senate were:

Mrs. Grace McLeod Rogers, Amherst; C. P. Goucher, Middleton; B. C. Clark, St. John; W. W. Clark, Bear River; A. S. MacDonald, Upper Dyke Village; Rev. H. R. Boyer, St. John; E. C. Whitman, Halifax; Rev. S. S. Poole, St. John; R. Prof. Fred Faulkner, Nova Scotia Technical College.

ON THE USE OF DROPS IN THE EYES

Certain incorrect and misleading statements concerning the use of drops in the eyes for the purpose of examining or testing eyesight have appeared in the public press from time to time.

The following statement has been prepared by the undersigned, licensed physicians, specializing in the treatment of the eye both in disease and health, solely for the purpose of putting the truth of the matter before the public.

ONLY LICENSED PHYSICIANS ARE PERMITTED TO USE DROPS IN THE EXAMINATION OF THE EYES. THESE DROPS IN THE HANDS OF QUALIFIED PEOPLE ARE ENTIRELY HARMLESS. Moreover, the use of drops is considered necessary in the majority of cases for refraction of the eyes and invariably so in the case of children and young people, by all Oculists, Medical Schools and Hospitals.

Among Oculists and in Eye Hospitals the world over no instruments have been devised to supplant the use of these drops, but modern instruments are used in conjunction with the drops.

H. V. Pearman, M.D., Wolfville; J. A. M. Hemmison, M.D., Wolfville; A. C. Fales, M.D., Middleton.

THOMAS KENNEDY

The death of Thomas Kennedy, which occurred on Monday at his home at Wallbrook, removed one of the best known residents of that section.

Mr. Kennedy came from Halifax when a young man and has during all his long life made his home in eastern Kings. He was in his eighty-second year, was twice married, and is survived by his widow, formerly a Miss Prescott, of Bridgewater, and fourteen children: Minnie (Mrs. Pyke) and Laura (Mrs. At-wood), living in the United States; Sarah (Mrs. Lemuel Pinch), Wallbrook; Muriel (Mrs. Cochrane), Orpha (Mrs. Albert Schofield), Ruby, Susie and James, all in the States; Jasper, Frank, Robert, Janet, John and Malcolm at home. Another son, Wilfred, while in service at Halifax during the Great War was drowned off McNab's Island.

Mr. Kennedy was in his younger days active in militia circles and was one of those who some years ago participated in the bounty given by the government to those who drilled in anticipation of the "Fenian Raid" in the early fifties. He was an interesting raconteur of incidents in connection with by-gone days in his vicinity, as he possessed a good memory and was conversant with the incidents of that time.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, interment being at the old Presbyterian cemetery at Grand Pre.

THE ACADEMY RECEPTION

The annual reception given by the students of Acadia Collegiate and Business Academy was held last Saturday evening in the Memorial Gymnasium, which was suitably decorated for the occasion.

There was a large attendance and a very enjoyable time was spent. The chaperones were Mrs. W. L. Archibald, Mrs. E. L. Curry, Mrs. C. E. A. deWitt, J. E. Raymond, President of the school, and L. W. Williamson, secretary.

During the evening much appreciated program was given and much appreciated. Address of welcome—Mr. J. E. Raymond.

Violin solo—Mr. W. J. Lewis. Vocal solo—Mr. W. H. Mollins. Cornet solo—Mr. H. Phinney. Address—Dr. J. H. MacDonal. Vocal solo—Miss Helen Simms. Guitar selection—Misses Roop.

GRAND PRE

The friends of Mrs. W. A. Woodman will be pleased to know that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. James R. Gow, who has been confined with the "Flu" for the past few weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Marion Crane left on Thursday last for Newton Falls where she will train for a nurse at the Newton Hospital. Her friends all wish her every success in her new work.

Miss Laurie Barron, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is improving now and her many friends trust she will soon be enjoying her usual health.

Mr. S. H. Trenholm is ill with a severe cold, but his friends hope he may have a speedy recovery.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. H. P. Kinney and family, who have been ill, are all improving.

Mrs. S. W. Rodgerson left on Monday for Millville, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. O. T. McNeil.

Several from here attended the "Birthday Party" held at the church, North Grand Pre, on Thursday evening of last week. A very interesting entertainment was given, after which refreshments were served by the ladies of the church. Over \$18.00 was raised.

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More than 1500 persons, and perhaps more than 3000, are reported killed or injured by a tornado which swept through Southern Illinois and Indiana late yesterday, causing great property damage and virtually wiping out two or three towns in its path from Missouri to the Northwest.

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At the annual meeting of the Hocky Association yesterday Dr. W. L. Wolfville, was elected Nova Scotia.

The Maritime Inter-school championship was won by St. Francis Xavier, who defeated Fredericton last year's champion. The score was 1 to 0.

A disastrous fire at P. yesterday afternoon destroyed the Hotel, the Palm B. spread to nearby cottages, as estimated at \$25,000. The possibility that it might

The University of New Brunswick team won from the University at Halifax on the subject was "Re Canadian National Rail operated on a common they were owned and private corporation". The upheld the affirmative.

The St. Patrick's Test school building on Tu by the High School G. the supervision of M. principal, was a decid rooms in the school bui ally decorated with w green. Music was fr high school orchestra, al selections includi and readings, were recs from the tea annu ately \$75.00.

ACADIA BASKETBALL FEATED ST

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Acadia—Forwards, ox, 27; A. Noble, 8; Moffatt, 1; subs, Ek 7. Swim.

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AVONP

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At the annual meeting of the Maritime Hockey Association held at Truro yesterday Dr. W. L. Archibald, of Wolfville, was elected vice-president for Nova Scotia.

The Maritime Inter-scholastic Hockey championship was won Tuesday night by St. Francis Xavier Academy, when they defeated Fredericton High School, last year's champions, at Fredericton. The score was 1 to 0.

A disastrous fire at Palm Beach, Fla., yesterday afternoon destroyed the Breakers Hotel, the Palm Beach Hotel, and spread to nearby cottages. The damage is estimated at \$2,500,000, with the possibility that it might reach \$5,000,000.

The University of New Brunswick debating team won from Dalhousie University at Halifax on Tuesday evening. The subject was "Resolved, that the Canadian National Railways should be operated on a commercial basis as if they were owned and operated by a private corporation". The U.N.B. team upheld the affirmative.

The St. Patrick's Tea held in the new school building on Tuesday afternoon by the High School Girls' Club, under the supervision of Miss Warren, Vice principal, was a decided success. The principal in the school building were artistically decorated with white and emerald green. Music was furnished by the High School orchestra, and several special selections, including duets, solos, and readings, were rendered. The proceeds from the tea amounted to approximately \$75.00.

ACADIA BASKETBALL EASILY DEFEATED ST. F. X.

Acadia's Basketball team defeated the St. Francis Xavier squad by a score of 22-21 in the Memorial Gymnasium last night. Cox was easily the star player on the floor, while Davidson also played well in combination with Cox. Cenas and McGrath were the best of Acadia.

In the first half the locals were all over their rivals in combination and shooting, piling up a total of 34 points while St. F. X. obtained 6 points. In the second session the visitors did better and held Acadia to 28 and made 16 themselves. The game ended 62-22 for Acadia.

"Poodle" McDonald refereed. The line-up: Acadia—Forwards, Davidson, 18; Cox, 27; A. Noble, 8; guards, O. Noble, 1; Moffatt, 1; subs, Elderkin, 4; Boutillier, 1; Swin. St. F. X.—Forwards, McGrath, 9; McIsaac, centre, McManus, 2; guards, Cenas, 11; Campbell; subs, McDonald, McIsaac.

AVONPORT

Mrs. Levi Daniels, who has been spending the past two weeks with her sister, Miss Alice Fuller, returned to her home in Martock on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Brenton Borden and little granddaughter, Mrs. Margaret Armstrong, spent last week in Kentville, guests of Mrs. Neary.

Miss Mildred Cox left on Monday for Middleton, where she will visit at the home of her uncle, Mr. Fred E. Cox. The friends of Master Medford Huntley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Huntley, will be glad to learn he is improving after his recent operation at the Payzant Memorial Hospital, Windsor.

Mrs. George Brooks returned home on Thursday last after spending two weeks in Wolfville with her daughter, Mrs. Maude Abbott.

Mr. J. A. Macpherson, of the firm of L. E. Shaw Ltd., is on a business trip to Summerside, P.E.I.

Mrs. P. D. Shaw, of Falmouth, was the guest of her sister, Miss A. M. Fuller, on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. B. Steele, of Scott's Bay, who has spent the past month with her niece, Mrs. Geo. Weagle, left for her home on Tuesday.

Mr. Sprague McBurnie, after spending the winter months in Windsor, has returned home.

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All persons having legal demands against the estate of George E. DeWitt of Wolfville in the County of Kings, Medical Doctor, deceased, are requested to render the same within one year from the date hereof, duly attested, and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to

DR. AVERY DEWITT, of Wolfville Executor. MRS. ANNIE M. DEWITT Executrix. Probate granted December 8, 1924. G. C. Nowlan, Proctor of Estate.

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EXECUTORS NOTICE

All persons having legal demands against the estate of Andrew deW. Bards, late of Wolfville in the county of Kings, Physician, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

JOHN EDMUND BARSS EDMUND SIDNEY CRAWLEY Executors. Probate granted August 27th, 1924. Wolfville, Aug. 27th, 1924.

Executors Notice!

All persons having legal demand against the estate of James A. Allan, late, of North Grand Pre, in the County of Kings, Farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same daily attested within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to the Estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to

FRED PALMETER and GORDON ALLEN, Executors, both of Grand Pre. Dated at Wolfville, N. S., this third day of November A. D. 1924. Probate granted October 23, 1924. G. C. Nowlan, Proctor of Estate.

Executors Notice

All persons having legal demands against the estate of Eliza A. Orphin of Wolfville, in the County of Kings widow, deceased, are requested to render the same within one year from the date hereof, duly attested; and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to

J. Edgar Smallman, of Dartmouth. Sole Executor. Probate granted Sept. 17, 1923.

Executors Notice

ALL persons having legal demands against the estate of the late Evangeline D. Bowles, late of Wolfville, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

Josephine Cox, Executrix. Probate granted January 29, 1922.

There are many Good Canadian Investments on the market. WRITE Annie M. Stuart Investment Broker Grand Pre - Nova Scotia

- Florida Oranges, 60c. doz. 20 big rolls Toilet Paper, \$1.00
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2 pkgs Peanut Butter for 50c. Heinz Cream of Tomato Soup, small size, 6 tins for 90c.
15 cakes Surprise Soap, \$1.00 Heinz Cream of Tomato Soup, medium size, 6 for \$1.20
15 " Pearl White Soap, \$1.00 Heinz Cream of Tomato Soup, large size, 35c. tin, 3 for \$1.00
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CANNING AND VICINITY

Mrs. Ash, Newfoundland, who was the guest of Mrs. N. H. Gosse, left on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Joseph Kerwin left for Boston on Tuesday, March 10th.

Mr. Cecil Spicer has moved into the residence which he recently purchased from Mr. William Irving. Mr. and Mrs. Irving will continue to reside in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Arthur Harris, who was confined to the house by illness, has recovered.

Mr. Ray Clarke, Woodville, was a visitor in town last week.

Mr. Theodore Ellis, who has been spending two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Alfred Ellis, left for Montreal on Saturday, where he is a member of the staff of the Sun Life Assurance Co.

Mr. Keith Mitchell, a popular member of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Canning, to the regret of his many friends, has been transferred to Truro.

Miss Helen Eaton, of the staff of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Co., Canning, who has been confined to her home by illness, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burbridge have returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson.

The Debt Destroying League of United Baptist church held a largely attended meeting at the home of the president, Mrs. L. M. Ward, Wednesday afternoon of last week. At the conclusion of the business session refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bain entertained the Arts and Crafts Club at an enjoyable "Bridge" Tuesday evening, March 12. Miss Dora Schafheitlin and Mrs. Charles Sinnett were the winners of the ladies' prizes, Mr. Clarke and Mr. L. W. Slack capturing the gentlemen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cohen entertained delightfully at supper on Thursday evening, March 12, in honor of the twelfth birthday of their young daughter, Miss Jennie Cohen. More than thirty young people enjoyed an evening spent delightfully in music and games. The guest of honor received many gifts which were accompanied by the good wishes of her school friends.

Mr. Keith Mitchell, of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, was tendered a farewell dance in Canning Army, on the eve of his departure to Truro.

BOY SCOUTS HOLD ENJOYABLE BANQUET

The annual Father and Son banquet held by the Boy Scouts of Canning in the vestry of the Methodist church Friday evening was a great success, as are all things that are undertaken by this fine band of boys, under the efficient leadership of Scoutmaster Dr. Thomas W. Hodgson, who presided. The boys, with their leader, gave their guests a cheery welcome, after which thirty Scouts with their fathers enjoyed a good time together over a repast that was all that could be desired.

At the conclusion of dinner, Dr. Hodgson gave a resume of the work that is being carried on by this branch of the movement, and congratulated the Canning team on being the champions of this year's High School Valley hockey league. He expressed the hope that the future would hold for the boys a more suitable place of meeting, with gymnasium, equipment and all that goes to fit the lads to learn the better to "play the game".

A. D. Payzant paid tribute to the work of Scoutmaster Dr. Hodgson, and urged the boys to live up to the high ideals as set before them.

Dr. S. P. Spicer expressed his appreciation of the work and the pleasure it afforded him to be with the boys, and dwelt briefly on the great value of the training, which meant the laying of a right foundation for future citizenship.

Mr. Scott Blenkhorne, who followed, paid a high tribute to the lads and urged them to carry on as true Scouts and bring joy to him who was their leader.

Dr. Gosse then spoke along the same lines. Mr. R. W. North, a member of the committee, to his deep regret, was unable to be present.

At the conclusion of the speeches the following program was delightfully carried out, with Mrs. A. D. Payzant accompanist.

Reading—Leonard McBride.
Violin solo—William Payzant.
Community singing.
Reading—Ivan Blenkhorne.
Vocal solo—Dr. Hodgson.
Piano solo—Clarence Gosse.
Reading—Donald Ellis.
Piano solo—Morris McBride.
Community singing.
Piano solo—Whitney Spicer.

The Scouts include the following:
"Bulldogs"—Patrol Leader Leonard McBride, Whitney Spicer, Allan Bennett, William Meek, Clarence Gosse, Archie Smith.

"Eagles"—Eugene Spicer, Patrol Leader, Donald Ellis, Ivan Blenkhorne, Emert Melvin, Jack Connors, Jesse Connors, Philip Meek.

"Beavers"—Patrol Leader William Payzant, Fred Melvin, Roderick Lynk, Norman King, Elton Arnold, Maxwell Ellis, Morris McBride, Bernard Holt, Edward Taylor.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sinnett, Miss Ada Reynolds, W. B. Burbridge, H. K. Bain, P. Kempson, William Mullett, Nathan Eaton.

BACK AGAIN



Suzanne Lenglen has apparently recovered from her recent injury, as she is again playing in French tennis tournaments, and won her first game.

Those assisting were Captain Bigelow and Lieutenant Melvin of the Girl Guides, Mrs. A. A. Ward, Mrs. W. D. F. Smith, and five charming Guides: Patrol Leader Clara Meek, Geraldine Melvin, Laurabel Bigelow, Margaret Bigelow, Mabel Bigelow. The evening, which closed with the singing of the national anthem, was one of rare pleasure.

BANKERS DEFEAT HIGH SCHOOL

The Bank of Nova Scotia hockey team defeated the High School team in a fast clean game played in the home rink Monday evening, March 9, in a ten minute overtime, after a 3-3 score, the scoring ending 5-3. The ice was in good condition and the game was witnessed by a large crowd. Both goalies made some fine stops. The High School played good combination.

Line-up:
Canning High School—Spicer, goal; Payzant, P. Meek, defence; D. Ellis, centre; N. Eaton, McBride, wings; Melvin, W. Meek, subs.
Bank of N.S.—Miller, goal; Bowden, Johnson, defence; Smith, centre; Mitchell, Guthro, wings; Covert, sub.
H. Lyons refereed satisfactorily.

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W.C.T.U. HOLD BIRTHDAY GATHERING

The annual Labrador meeting of the Canning branch of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Ellis, Thursday afternoon, in honor of the birthday of one of its most earnest members, Mrs. E. M. Beckwith. More than thirty members were present and the vice-president, Mrs. Starr Eaton, presided, in the absence of the president, Mrs. N. W. Eaton. The devotional exercises were led by Miss Marion Eaton. Readings bearing on the work of Dr. Grenfell were given by Mrs. L. F. Blenkhorne, Mrs. Scott Blenkhorne and Mrs. Starr Eaton, the interesting program being in charge of Mrs. James Webster. At the close all were invited to remain, while amidst the congratulations and good wishes of a host of friends of Mrs. Beckwith, supper was served and the delightful birthday cake enjoyed.

The gifts, which were very numerous, included several thousand soap wrappers, the proceeds of which are devoted to this work, which is very near to the heart of Mrs. Beckwith. The gifts of flowers were very beautiful. The hour spent with Mrs. Ellis and the guest of honor will long be remembered by those present. Regret was felt at the absence of the president, Mrs. N. W. Eaton. The collection amounted to more than \$30.00.

SHEFFIELD MILLS

A largely attended meeting of the fruit growers of Sheffield Mills was held in Community Hall, Wednesday evening, March 11. A. D. Ellis, chairman.

The first speaker was A. Keshall, of the Entomological Department of Annapolis, who gave an interesting and helpful address on Sprays and Dusting, giving the latest experiments on sprays and new combinations of dust. The second speaker was J. F. Hockey, who described the scab, where it was found during the various seasons, and the proper methods of control. Mr. Hockey was listened to with much interest. Mr. Johnson, of New Minas, then gave a practical address on Fruit-Growing and the problems arising from the practical end of orcharding. The meeting was an enthusiastic and helpful one. A general discussion followed. A vote of thanks was extended to the speakers.

A woman never gets too old or rich to think she is loved for herself alone.

KINGSFORT

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Loomer entertained the Kingsfort Bridge Club on Wednesday evening, March 11th. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Walter Woodburn, A. W. Dickie winning the gentlemen's. A delightful evening was spent.

Mrs. Gordon Arnold entertained the Sewing Circle of the Congregational church last week.

The evening service has been resumed in the Congregational church.

Mrs. Henry Weaver entertained de-

MOCK TRIAL AT HABITANT

The annual community supper held by Habitant Women's Institute Friday evening, March 13, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Newcombe, was very successful, nearly one hundred members and friends being present. The program committee was the following: Mrs. Payzant Cox, Mrs. Arthur North, Miss Alice Eaton. Those taking part in an interesting impersonation of school days were: Mrs. and Mr. William Davidson, Mrs. R. A. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. John Ross, Mr. and Mrs. William Newcombe, Mrs. Owen Davidson, Ira Cox, Payzant Cox. Piano solos by Miss Marie Byng-Hall, and violin solos by Hardy Woodworth, accompanist Miss Alice Eaton, were also enjoyed.

The event of the evening was a Mock Trial: John Ross versus Habitant Women's Institute; the charge: That the said Women's Institute was a public nuisance; that the said Institute interfered with the school work, erected signs that frightened horses, and neglected their homes.

Attorney for the Plaintiff—Everette Lyons; attorney for the Defence—Mrs. Payzant Cox. Witnesses for Plaintiff—R. A. Porter, Ira Cox, Payzant Cox, John Ross.

The verdict—"Institute Guilty". Sentence—To meet for year with men absent.

The audience was in peals of laughter and the evening was one of the most enjoyable in the history of the Institute. Supper was served and an expression of appreciation extended to Mr. and Mrs. Newcombe.

SEALED TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 3rd April, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, six times per week over the

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PORT WILLIAMS AND VICINITY

Mr. K. Gordon Thomson of St. John, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thomson, returned to his adopted home on March 19th.

Miss Myrtle Rand, accompanied by her nephew, Master Eustace Rand, spent the week end in Halifax.

Miss Mitchell, teacher of the advanced department, was quite indisposed with a very bad cold on Monday last, hence no school that day.

Mrs. Eldridge is very sick with the Flu, while her daughter Alice, who has had it quite severely, is recovering as quickly as possible.

Mrs. Chas. Thomson spent one day last week in Kentville, the guest of her nephew, Roy Farnsworth.

Miss Dorothy Illsey gave a very enjoyable dance to a number of her friends on Friday evening, March 13th.

The World Wide Guild of the United Baptist Church of Port Williams held a very interesting session last Sabbath evening, subject, "Grande Ligne", with special music. Owing to the absence of the president, Mr. Irvin Gates, who was ill, Mrs. O. N. Chipman (our pastor's wife) very kindly took charge of the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Clarke spent Monday, March 16, with Mr. and Mrs. G. Cyrus Ellis.

We are very sorry to report that Mr. L. N. Cogswell, of Belcher Street, lost a very valuable new milch cow a few days ago.

Mr. J. Lloyd Jess, student at Acadia University, was at Westwood Hospital one day last week and had his tonsils removed. We trust that he will soon be able to take up his studies again.

The Rev. A. A. MacLeod, who has accepted a call to the United Church, Kentville, was calling on many of his Cornwallis parishioners on Friday of last week.

The Canard Presbyterian church has extended a unanimous call to the Rev. L. T. Archibald, of Rose Bay, Lunenburg county. His decision is awaited with very great interest. Mr. Archibald is already ministering to a parish of 290 families.

Rev. G. A. Logan, who for some time past was pastor of the Canard Presbyterian church, and who has been in the Victoria General Hospital, Montreal, since Jan. 15th, has returned to Truro, after a successful operation, but is yet far from well. His friends both here and elsewhere, and they are many, are all wishing him a speedy and full recovery from his serious illness.

Congratulations are again in order, this time for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morine, Church Street, on the arrival of a little daughter, which has come to brighten their home, born March 16th.

The Women's Auxiliary met on Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. Fred Hovell, where they sew for their mission work. They also serve a tea for which each one pays a minimum amount, thus helping to swell their mission treasury. This is a weekly event.

PORT WILLIAMS WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The ladies of Port Williams Institute held a very interesting meeting Thursday, March 12, president, Mrs. J. A. Magee, presiding. After the business session two interesting papers were read on the subject, "How to make our homes more attractive." Mrs. Eldon Coldwell, of Starr's Point, gave the first paper, as regarding colors, blending, etc., which showed much time and thought on the subject and was well

presented. Next was Mrs. A. B. Rand, Port Williams, who picked up the same idea and carried it along, until you could see the home family in their daintily arranged living room, enjoying it to the utmost, with music, flowers, etc., and there we would leave them. The next subject was of children and their discipline. This paper was read by Mrs. Carl Starr, of Starr's Point, and proved to be very interesting. The letters were read from the health magazine, "Hygeia", which the Women's Institute has subscribed for this year.

The Institute is progressing favorably this winter, having a Home Nursing class of over twenty members, meeting once a week.

The Exhibition Committee have a Sewing Class for the children with Miss Mary Starr, as teacher. Also the Health Committee have been very active in their part of the work.

SEWING CLASS AT PORT WILLIAMS

A sewing class under the direction of the School Exhibition Committee of the Port Williams Women's Institute has been organized, and is being held on Saturday afternoons at the rooms of the Institute in the Citizens' Hall.

This class is taught by Miss Mary Starr, a graduate in Household Science, and parents should avail themselves of this opportunity for their girls to get a good start in sewing. All girls from five years to twenty years of age are welcome at these classes.

The Exhibition Committee is working hard for a successful exhibition next September, and parents of school children are asked for their earnest co-operation.

Mr. J. Gallaher, of the Experimental Station, Kentville, will give a talk on "Gardening" to the school children in the near future, and it is hoped there may be more gardens from which to exhibit next fall.

W. H. CHASE WILL REPRESENT NOVA SCOTIA

Premier Armstrong on Tuesday arranged by cable to have W. H. Chase, well known apple dealer of Wolfville, represent the Nova Scotia Government at the Imperial Conference to be held in England shortly for the purpose of facilitating fruit trade with the Empire.

Mr. Chase, now in England, was asked to get in touch with John Howard, Agent General for Nova Scotia in London, and co-operate with him in stating the case for Nova Scotia at the conference which will be called in connection with the Imperial Government's grant of a million pounds for the purpose of subsidizing such trade with the Empire.

GASPEREAU

A play entitled "Aaron Slick from Pumpkin Creek" will be presented at GasperEAU Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings, March 26 and 27, at 8 o'clock. Home made candy will be sold. Under auspices of Women's Institute. Admission 35 cents, children 25 cents. Every one come and enjoy a good laugh.

Our pastor, Mr. Gue, and wife, moved into the Parsonage on Friday last. We are very glad to have them with us.

Mr. Everett Kennie has been visiting relatives at Springfield and Middleton this week.

Miss Dorothy Waterman spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Coldwell.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society met with Mrs. Everett Coldwell, on Thursday afternoon, March 5th.

30 YEARS AGO

In the files of THE ACADIAN of thirty years ago appear the following interesting items:

A total eclipse of the moon is reported as clearly visible here.

In a curling match between rinks from Wolfville and Windsor, played at Wolfville, the visitors were victorious by the score of 16 to 7. The Wolfville rink was composed of the following:—E. S. Crawley, J. F. Herbin, G. W. Munro, T. L. Harvey.

An intercollegiate debate between Acadia and King's Colleges resulted in a win for the former. The subject was, "That women should vote".

Cooking butter was advertised at 15 cents per pound, tea 20 cents per pound, and cornmeal \$3.30 per barrel.

FIND BURIED CITY

Nevada Ruins Much Older Than Recently Found Egyptian Tomb

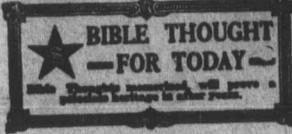
NEW YORK, March 13.—Older by thousands of years, according to the Haye Foundation expert, than the tomb of Tutankhamen, older even than the recently discovered tomb near the Great Pyramids at Giza, there lies in southern Nevada a buried city, its walls covered by the drifting sand of the Mohapa desert. It is the oldest relic of a civilization that existed on the American continent nearly ten thousand years ago.

The buried city, stretching for six miles along the Muddy River, between St. Thomas and Overton, in Southern Nevada, was discovered by an exploring party in charge of M. R. Harrington, of the Museum of the American Indian, Haye Foundation.

DAYLIGHT SAVING

PARIS, March 13.—Summer time will become effective in France, Belgium and England simultaneously, the night of April 4-5. The British Government has notified France that a bill providing for the inauguration of summer time then will be presented to the House of Commons today. The French Government will issue a similar decree, and Belgium has agreed to follow suit.

Minard's Liniment for Colds.



MARCH 20
O COME, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel before the Lord our maker. For he is our God; and we are the people of his pasture.—Psalm 95:6, 7.

MARCH 21
SEEK YE THE LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near: let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.—Isaiah 55:6, 7.

MARCH 22
I HAVE FOUGHT A GOOD FIGHT, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness.—2 Timothy 4:7.

MARCH 23
BEHOLD AT EVENINGTIDE trouble; and before the morning he is not. This is the portion of them that spoil us, and the lot of them that rob us.—Isaiah 17:14.

MARCH 24
FEAR THOU NOT; for I am with thee; be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee, yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness.—Isaiah 41:10.

MARCH 25
WORLD'S BEST NEWS:—The angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.—Luke 2:10, 11.

MARCH 26
WITHHOLD NOT THOU THY TENDER MERCIES FROM ME, O LORD: LET THY LOVINGKINDNESS AND THY TRUTH CONTINUALLY PRESERVE ME.—Ps. 40:11.

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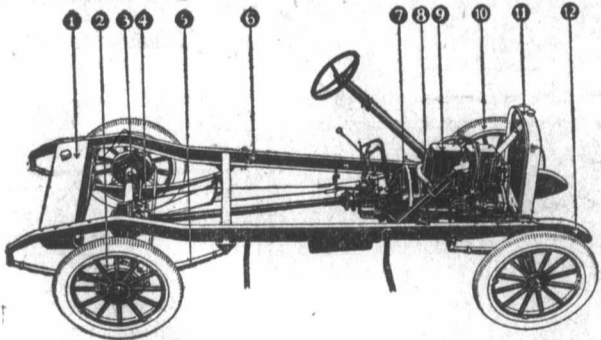
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- 9 The Chevrolet Motor—Refined—has unusual power at all speeds, under every driving condition—quick get-away in traffic—low fuel consumption. Practically all moving parts are completely enclosed.
- 10 Cord tires on open models; 29-4.40 Low Pressure tires on closed models.
- 11 New, Honeycomb Radiator. With a new, more beautiful nickel-plated radiator shell.
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George A. Chase
Port Williams

HANTSPORT H

The W.M.S. of St. John church were very busy at the home of Mrs. hartville on Friday. Mrs. C. E. Parker, guest of Miss Hilda to her home in Can Mr. Wylie Churchill the guest of his mo Churchill, on Thurs Rev. Dr. Mellick, treated lecture in t Baptist church on F The many friends of fr are pleased to le valuating after a ser formed at the Westw ville. He was remove to the home of his Pulstifer, where his Palsifer, is caring fo Mr. Whitney Beaz end guest of his pare Beazley. Mr. Beaz boy who has made a time in the employ of nedy, of Montreal. Rev. A. B. Higga evangelistic meetings church during the w Mr. Clarence Stod days recently with On Saturday even enthusiastic game o place in the gymna the boys and girls te ing the victors. Colds are very pr present, although no nature. William Flemming Boston, where he ha Mrs. Capt. A. Ho at bridge on Wednes week. Cecil Currie is v Fred at Charlottet

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HANTSPORT HAPPENINGS

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Anglican church were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. W. Dorman, Lockhartville, on Friday evening. Mrs. C. E. Parker, who has been the guest of Miss Hilda Fullerton, returned to her home in Canning on Monday. Mr. Wylie Churchill, of Windsor, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Churchill, on Thursday.

Rev. Dr. Mellick is giving an illustrated lecture in the vestry of the Baptist church on Friday evening. The many friends of Mr. John Pulsifer are pleased to learn that he is convalescing after a serious operation performed at the Westwood Hospital, Wolfville. He was removed from the hospital to the home of his brother, Mr. Cecil Pulsifer, where his mother, Mrs. D. Pulsifer, is caring for him.

Mr. Whitney Beazley was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beazley. Mr. Beazley is a Hantsport boy who has made good and is at this time in the employ of McLean and Kennedy, of Montreal.

Rev. A. B. Higgins is conducting evangelistic meetings in the Methodist church during the week. Mr. Clarence Stoddard spent several days recently with friends in Dartmouth. On Saturday evening a particularly enthusiastic game of basketball took place in the gymnasium here between the boys and girls teams, the latter being the victors.

Colds are very prevalent in town at present, although not of a very serious nature. William Flemming left last week for Boston, where he has secured a position. Mrs. Capt. A. Houghton entertained at bridge on Wednesday evening of last week. Cecil Currie is visiting his brother Fred at Charlottetown.

HANTSPORT WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The regular monthly business meeting of the local Women's Institute was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Asaph Newcombe, with a good attendance. The meeting, which was presided over by the vice-president, Mrs. W. Bradshaw, was opened by all repeating in unison the Institute creed. The secretary, Mrs. (Capt.) R. Lawrence, read the minutes of last meeting. Mrs. J. Lyons, treasurer, gave an excellent report.

Several important communications were read and discussed, one being from Mrs. Hilton regarding agricultural advantages in the community.

The following resolution was signed by the Institute to be forwarded to the local Legislature: "Resolved, that we, representing the Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia, do petition the Legislature of Nova Scotia to amend the present law, that wives of ratepayers be considered co-ratepayers with their said husbands, and have equal rights and privileges with said husbands for all school purposes."

It was moved and seconded that the Institute send a bale of clothing to the Sydney relief, and the town be asked to co-operate in said philanthropic object, and those having clothing to contribute will kindly leave at the home of Mrs. Asaph Newcombe at an early date.

The theme of the literary part of the meeting was relating to Spring. The meeting closed with the Institute ode. Mrs. A. Elderkin, president of the Mt. Denison Institute, was guest of honor.

ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND

The total amount collected in Hantsport for this fund is as follows:

Collection per	
Mr. L. V. Marsters	\$19.25
Dr. A. B. Dickey	22.50
Mr. Jones	16.25
Dr. and Mr. ...	10.00
	\$68.00
Pledged	4.00
	\$72.00

One Collector not yet reported.
D. W. Murray, Treasurer.

Minard's Liniment for Colds.

ANOTHER LETTER FROM CALIFORNIA

Editor Hantsport Acadian

Dear Sir,—Your issue of the 12 inst. a few days at hand. The diary of Margaret Michener gets the first as well as the last reading. It is a pleasant pastime hunting back in our brain, if it is brain that has those dear old relics stowed away among the convolutions, or, perhaps, as one bright scholar says, all thoughts photographed in the ether maze around us.

Be it as it may, when this diary of July 12, 1850, eight years before this writer was born, mentions "I went over to Mrs. G. Davidson's last evening to a sing," the writer could recall no G. Davidson, except Aunt Phoebe Davidson's son Gordon or Girdon. My wife straightened out that bit of history, as Flora Burton Marsters Frost is daughter of Father Burton, one of Hantsport's greatest Baptist ministers, who married the widow Mrs. G. Davidson, so that tangle in the grey matter, or ether, is dissolved.

Will we have any scribe in Hantsport of this generation who will have the time, some call it common reason, unselfishness is our term for it, to give a daily, weekly or monthly writing of the ordinary passing of time? What a host would hie to the pen if it were some scandal to be put on record; but all who remember or ever knew Margaret Michener, know one whose thoughts were as clean as her actions.

The times have and still are changing faster and faster. A friend said to me one day when giving me a pointer on quitting driving my faithful horse (that had carried me safely over three thousand miles a year for more than twenty years) in order to get a Ford, "You will have no time to talk to any one like you do with the horse, no shake of head or hand, a smile, not even time to stop a moment to talk a few words with one's own parents. Even if nothing is at the end of the trip urging you, give her the gas and get there."

Yes, many have the time to leave a bit of local history. Most of folks enjoy reading their local or home paper, yet seldom think it their turn to furnish some of the news.

When I read the note mentioning the ship "Wanderer" it called my attention to my mother's talk to me when a child, Benjamin Frost, my father, being one of the owners in the "Wanderer". Her last trip was with a load of cheese to Ireland in the year of the famine. The "Wanderer" was lost, my father losing his life soon after.

What a good forecaster Margaret Michener was at that early date in her life when she wrote of what a good wife, as well as mother to Uncle William Davidson's children, Aunt Phoebe would make. Her words have surely been well verified and perhaps forgotten by many—not by the writer as Aunt Phoebe's was the last house the writer slept in before leaving Hantsport in the seventies.

A word now about good, dear old Humboldt County, where the writer has made his home since 1880. Today, Sunday, I attended C. S. Church. Shortly after returning home Edwin Dorman, his wife (nee Elta Riley), Minnie Marsters Taylor, son Jackie, and Glenn Marsters, motored down 12 miles from Korbel, where they reside, took Mrs. B. A. Frost in and drove over to Eureka

HANGMAN TO WRITE LAST CHAPTER IN TRAGEDY OF SOLDIER'S FAMILY



John B. Pirie, former captain, with a twenty-year record in the British Army with a disciplinary mark, who was sentenced at Ottawa to be hanged on March 24th, for the murder of his wife and children, is here shown with his little family. The picture was taken some months before the tragedy. Pirie pleaded that he did not know what he was doing when he committed the crime. Driven to desperation, by unemployment, he said he could not see his family starve, so he clubbed his wife over the head and then strangled her. His two small children, came running into the room where he was strangling their mother and they, too, met a like fate. He frequently complained of severe pains in the head. He said, "Thank you, my Lord," after Justice Logie pronounced sentence.

to visit a cousin, J. E. Shields, and wife. J. E. is a son of Augustus P. Shields, who many years ago preached in the Hantsport church. The mercury shows today at 70° F. We have had lots of rain of late. About May the rains hold off until September; outside of a few showery days between and lots of fog, it is dry, though the irrigation will furnish all the moisture needed to keep the corn, crops of hay, beets, and carrots doing well. Many are now hauling in corn and beets to feed the young growing stock as well as the milk cows. The creameries have been running one milk delivery per day since about two months ago. In the latter part of March all will be booming again, both in mills and creameries.

Today I received the Acadian, Hantsport, Feb. 19th. Generally mail comes through in a week. The first outside check received by Halifax after the terrible disaster, where two ships loaded with explosives came together, was sent by the Blue Nose Picnick Members and strange to say, the first check received in San Francisco after the Great Fire was sent by Halifax people. The earthquake did not do the damage. The earthquake pulled electric wires out, then fire by the wires did the damage, also the great charge of dynamite used to cut off the path of the fire. Sensational writers in sensational papers made it sound bigger to sell more papers.

My brother George Frost complimented me by letter for my news to THE ACADIAN.

DIARY OF MARGARET D. MICHENER

Sept. 20, 1850 After school yesterday I went up to Lydia's and had a delightful visit. How happy they are there; all the comforts of life around them, and all at home, without the anxiety of a seafaring life. I love to go there, such a beautiful prospect and so retired from noise.

21st. Grandmother, Chandley is at Maria's. This afternoon mother came down. We went over to Mrs. Harris's a while. Father came down and had supper with us. I wanted mother to stay all night, but she thought she must go home. I walked along with them as far as the new meeting house. Mother took a book called the "Centurion" to read.

22nd. I attended S. School and meeting, after which Rob. W. Irish, Ann and Jane Elder came home with me. We took turns at reading aloud in the afternoon; a book about the missionary work in India we found quite interesting and instructive.

23rd. Hibbert came home in the night from St. Martin's. He brought me a letter from Aunt Margaret, which he gave me after school. I went with father and Ann down to Olivia's in the wagon. They had some mutton for sale. I received my "American Messenger" today.

24th. I have been shopping over to Aunt Sally's. She sells a great deal; there is some one in there the most of the time. Grandfather got in last night. I have just received my share of plums, a peck or more. After school I went down to Olivia's. Maria went in the afternoon. We went down on board the "Cate". No one was there but Grandfather. We got some papers and then returned home. The boys came in and said there was a letter at the office for Olivia. Oh, how we wished there were some for us. We soon heard that

Joe was in New York and was coming to Halifax. He said that on Sunday the 25th Chipman fell from the top sail yard into the sea. It was a dark and stormy night but he was rescued. It made us tremble when we heard of it, and very thankful to know he was saved.

DEBATE PROVES LOVE BETTER THAN MONEY

A very successful debate took place in the vestry of the Baptist church on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society, subject, "Resolved that Love is more beneficial to man kind than Money." Mrs. Laurie Sanford, president of the society, presided. Miss Mary Macumber opened the debate for the affirmative, and supporting her were Miss Dorothy Swaine and Earl Blackburn, while Miss P. Blackburn, LeRoy Flemming and L. Sanford supported the negative. The judges, Miss Hume, Miss Lawrence and Mr. Sarty, gave the decision in favor of the affirmative.

All the debaters acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner and the large audience present listened with rapt attention. At the close Rev. Mr. Fash complimented them on their splendid debating ability.

A TIP FROM THE SOUTH

Canada's tourist industry is bringing millions of new money into the country. We doubt if any other business returns such a satisfactory margin of net profit in relation to the drain upon the country's resources. Tourists are usually satisfied to look at our natural attractions without depleting them—even the activities of the enthusiastic fishermen and hunters are not serious in relation

to the total populations of our streams and forests—and they are more anxious to exchange their dollars for service and entertainment than for raw materials.

The tourist business is only in its beginning for Canada—if proper methods are employed to encourage it. Undoubtedly we can learn something from experiences of other countries; the following item is from a Florida newspaper:

"The tourist can be a profitable person indeed. The only thing that must be avoided is the overcharging of the willing spenders. This is indeed all too prevalent and will always react, sooner or later, to the detriment of the resort so overcharging. Auto tourists, especially, are a clammy bunch, and once a location gets the reputation for "milking" the passing public then the tourists avoid that locality as the plague."

This is a tip from Florida which should be taken seriously in Canada. Not only do we want our visitors to come back again, but the most effective advertising our resorts can have is the spoken good word of those who have been there. And on the other hand nothing will be more effective in killing off the tourist crop if our visitors go away disgruntled and spread the story that they have been overcharged for supplies or entertainment.—Financial Post.

A grocer says that some people who buy on time don't know where time leaves off and eternity begins.

Advertising is telling again and again the things that the public ought to know.

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Behind every package of MORSE'S TEAS there is over Fifty Years of Tea Blending Experience.

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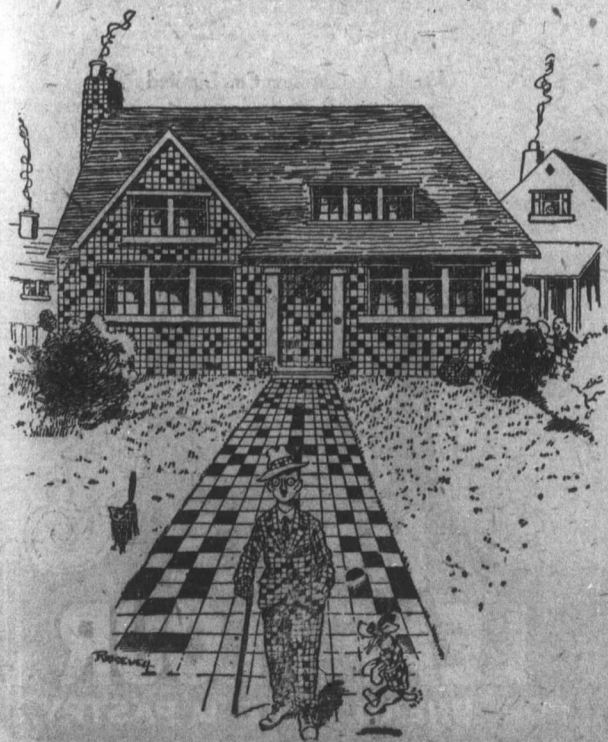


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Hantsport N. S.



The Cross-word Square Champion of our garden suburb comes out for a little much-needed exercise.

—London Ontario

Treasure Trail

By Frederick Niven

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CHAPTER VII.

Movie Bill Considers Solitaire

"You darn fool," Movie Bill addressed himself, riding on. "If you want to help anyone you ought to consider first whether you are ready to get kicked in return, metaphorically speaking." He rode on a little further, and then—"No," he said, "that's not true. That's cynical!" He rode on further, and then—"Though the cynical is sometimes true," he added.

He felt highly incensed at everything in general by then, even more than at Piccolo in particular. He reined in and looked over the long quiet rolls of Colvalli plains that expand there between the two far-distant ranges of mountain, east and west. He felt utterly unfit for converse with his kind. Perhaps the cause of this mood of irritation was in a growing sense he had of the ineffectuality of his remaining in Colvalli. The tiff with Piccolo had not created his discontent; the tiff was indeed perhaps partly due to the fact that he was troubled.

In the old phrase of the love stories, he was certain Margaret never could be his. According to his own deep thoughts how could he expect a girl to look at one with such a face and such a rolling record? He had always been the black sheep of his family. The others had "made good" back east. They had their names either on the headlines of their own memorandum forms, or else figuring in the small print to the left hand side where reads: "Treasurer"—"President". What he had acquired in his roving life, he considered, was of little value when a girl came drifting into it. To have seen the Mogolons; to know how the road looked, as in the old cow-puncher ballad, out of Holbrook, Arizona-o; to be able to talk in their own tongues with Chiefs Young Whirlwind of the Southern Cheyenne or Kicking Bull of the Sioux; to have a collection of Indian arrowheads, the low-grade ones of the Kootenays, the exquisite ones of the Umatillas—what was all that? Arrowheads were not a balance at the bank! A fine specimen he, to wish to take under his care a woman!

He looked over the long unenclosed leagues of the prairie. He wondered where Mark Bantling had gone and then mused: "It does not matter anyhow. That darn fellow can take care of himself. Ungrateful squeaker."

He suddenly raised his arms in air, elbows out, in sign to his horse; and off it shot like an arrow from a bow, with a gathering and flying whirl of its hoofs, leaving a wavering pennon of dust behind, rub-a-dubbing the faint scent of the yet flowerless yellow sage into the air. He had turned away from Colvalli. The gallop! The gallop was the thing to re-oxygenate the blood, to clear the head, to forget!

He dismissed Piccolo. That was easy! But no sooner had he done so than Piccolo was thrust upon him again, for there, as he came bobbing up to the crest of one of the rolls, out of a clump of cottonwood that ribboned along near an irrigation ditch to south, he saw a rider emerge; and that rider was Mark Bantling. Movie Bill recognized him at half-a-mile distance—recognized the lines of the horse, the shape of the man. He reined in, dropping his elbows to his sides, and canting back in the saddle.

There was nothing astonishing in the fact that, in a region so open, Bantling should not have ridden back from the T. T. ranch by the wagon road. There was also the possibility, which Movie did not ignore, that he had been given a mistaken connection by Central, that perhaps Bantling had not been at the T. T. ranch at all, that it was only by a coincidence that, ringing up Piccolo to warn him of the coming of Bantling, he had got in touch with Mark elsewhere. That was hardly likely.

Much more probable it was, thought he that Bantling, alarmed, even in his drunkenness, by the result of his answering the telephone call when in the T. T. ranch house, had chosen to return by another way than the road. That strip of trees gave good shelter. Perhaps he had even gone down into the belt of cottonwoods to rest a while, wash in the ditch, cool himself among the shadows. With the first leap of spring on Colvalli Plain the trees were already all sifted over with little leaves, not green yet, but like a sift of bright yellow over the twigs. Movie Bill watched Mark Bantling ride on, headed then across the open in the direction of Colvalli. He was riding at a tangent that would take him past the northwest corner of the Jarvis and Benwell horse ranch home pasture fence. Bill sat motionless. Not once did the diminishing figure of that rider turn to look around. It showed sometimes high, man and almost all horse visible, then dwindled down till

but a dot of shoulder and broad hat showed along a ridge.

Again Movie Bill dismissed Piccolo—Piccolo and Mark Bantling. He shook the lines and rode on, for the mere pleasure of riding in the good air. And well on in the afternoon he returned to Colvalli, the Piccolo episode dismissed, but not utterly dismissed his uncertainty as to whether he had not better get him gone from the place—forget Margaret MacPherson instead of, love-sick and dissembling his love, tarrying on indefinitely, hopelessly.

Deep in reverie that night after supper, he told himself, sitting aloof on the upper balcony, that he was by nature a lone man, a man who should not mix up in the affairs of others, even in the mood of Good Samaritan. He went a step further. He told himself that he should get away—away—from Colvalli; and then he went to bed.

"Oh, you ugly-faced son of a gun!" he addressed himself in the morning, shaving. "I'm going to take you out a-riding again today—a-riding and a-thinking." (Evidently the matter was not settled after all) "I guess you'll come back to pack your little grips, and roll your little blankets, and pull your little freight. You have a face like a bad man, a tough; and I guess you better go be a tough instead of sentimentalizing around here."

He went down for breakfast and paid no heed to anyone in the room. He saw only the splashes of light on the floor; he felt only the freshness of the air fanning at an open window. Half-an-hour after breakfast he was riding south out of Colvalli, picturing all open America to himself, thinking of the grey-green rolls of Alberta, north, the mountains of British Columbia; the dry belts of Washington; the sandhills of New Mexico—the big open west he knew. Where, in all that west, he wondered, should he go?

He had a lunch in his pocket to left, and his automatic in the pocket to right, a pipe in his vest pocket, and a pouch of tobacco in his hip pocket. There were still some savings in the bank from his last long spell of work before chance led him to Colvalli, chance or perhaps a memory of days when he had been there before. When love comes in at the window self-analysis is a difficult matter.

By noon he was well down south of Colvalli Plains, where the benches lie in their long yellow bastions, and the

bull pines dot the scene, and Pauline Creek twists, silty, and with changing opalescent colours, to join the Columbia. There he halted for lunch—sandwiches, and water from the creek. On the bench opposite to him (the Indian Reservation side of the river) a democrat appeared, full of squaws and paposes, and with an old braided Indian driving. Bill raised a hand and wagged it, and the old Indian and all the paposes replied. Everyone of them knew him.

It was that soft sound of horse hoofs kicking sand that made him look round again to see what Baldy was about—But it was not Baldy that made the sound. Baldy was standing demurely with his nose against a bull-pine as if he thought it was the hayrack in the stable. The sifting of sand by hoofs came from two riders on the road behind him. They were Bantling and Greer.

They were riding toward Colvalli. He considered that he had not seen them at breakfast, and he wondered where they had been. They must have started off long before he rose to have gone far; and there was a steadiness in the gait of their horses, that automatic appearance that comes of miles, that suggested to him that they had been riding so for some time. Maybe they had been to Placer, the next station on the railroad. It was further than to Eagle Bend, Colvalli's usual railroad stop; but Placer was a larger place! A few more reputed toughs in Placer! More probability of replenishing supplies of bootch! They spoke one to the other, he saw; and then rode aside to where he sat on the sandy yellow bank.

"How-do," said Bantling.

"How-do," said Greer.

"How-do," said Movie Bill.

They dismounted, throwing the lines over their horses' heads, and squatted down beside him.

"Say, Bill," said Bantling. "I got a proposition to put to you."

"Bill" seemed highly friendly for one he hardly knew—knew but by sight, and had exchanged no more than a nod with at the hotel; but he would accept it as friendly, although to begin with, Allardyce—even without the handle of Mr.—would have seemed more fitting.

"Yep?" enquired Movie.

Bantling made a sudden movement of his hand from his right side coat pocket, where it had reposed. Bill had noted it there and wondered if Mark also, despite the law regarding concealed weapons, had a tendency toward being "heeled". Bantling's hand shot out, and the palm opened; and lying in it was a piece of sparkling galena, a stone splinter that fitted just the cup of his palm.

"Do you know what that is?" he asked.

"That," answered Bill, slowly, looks to me like the biggest piece of the little bits of rock that Piccolo Thomas slipped from his pocket at the Benwell House a few days back"; he paused, then decided to say it: "and you picked up then".

Greer and Bantling exchanged glances; and Greer's was of "I told you so" almost as plainly as though he had spoken the words.

"Oh!" said Bantling, wagging his head. "You saw."

"Sure I saw; but it doesn't concern me. What do you show it to me for? I can't assay it. You could get an assay in Placer, or from Fred Strand in Assafery."

"Ever prospected yourself?" asked Bantling.

"Oh, yes," said Movie Bill. "I've tread, till I got a headache, about mineralogy; and then I went out once or twice with a prospector who had practical knowledge too."

"So you know an ore like this when you see it."

"Yes. And I think even a novice ought to recognize it as maybe valuable."

"That fellow Piccolo Thomas gets my goat slinging samples around that way. Or maybe he's trying to have you on a string, pull your leg. I saw from the way you asked him where he'd been that you were on to it. What I think is that he just picked it up on some road they crossed. Guess it dropped off an idle in winter, when they were rawhiding. If you knew the look of the ore of claims being worked up there in the parts they passed through you'd maybe see that that is only a specimen from a working mine after all."

This was clearly a new suggestion to both Greer and Bantling. It was, however, but a momentary glance or doubt they gave one to the other, or that Greer gave towards Bantling. Bantling's glance at Greer may not have been of doubt at all. If Movie Bill's suggestion shook him it was only for a second. But quickly he pretended that he accepted such an explanation as feasible.

"Sure, sure!" said he.

They should have ridden on then; but they did not. They sat and studied Bill's lined and, at that moment, blank face. They were deeply desirous to ascertain just how much he knew.

Said Bantling, baffled by that mask-like expression: "Now I guess you don't believe that at all. What did you go to see Piccolo Thomas about yesterday?"

(The fact was that, leaving the T. T. ranch house, Bantling had just passed into the strip of cotton-woods when Movie Bill arrived there; and there he remained until after Bill departed. Unseen he had seen, and been sufficiently sobered by the talk over the 'phone to keep away, not plunge drunkenly back as the lees of the mad fumes prompted him to do.)

Movie Bill's face did then, it must be confessed, look a mighty "tough" face.

"Do you want me to repeat to you the Declaration of Independence?" he asked gently, and yet with an edge in his tone. "This is the Land of the Free. I can make a call without having to report, I hope?" and as he said these words his hand in his right hand pocket

gripped the automatic. He was prepared for Bantling's reposte to that being the sudden drawing of a "gun" from somewhere, though no gun was in his belt.

"What do you mean?" blazed Bantling.

"Well, I don't know either of you well enough to tell you if I went to play poker or craps with him. What's your game?"

"Game?"

Bantling frowned.

"It's like this," he said. "We don't believe that fool Piccolo has the first notion of what he picked up."

"Guess I agree about 'fool,'" said Movie Bill.

"You do?"

"Sure. He's no friend of mine."

"All right, I see. I didn't think he was, somehow. Now I guess I get you better. You saw what we picked up. And what I think is that you went to see Piccolo to pump him about where he got it."

"Same as you," remarked Movie Bill.

"Oh, was it you talked on the 'phone? I thought so, even the way I was then, kind of lit up. If I hadn't been that way I would never have answered it."

Movie Bill smiled his queer smile.

"By your intellect you're a prohibitionist," said he.

Bantling paid no heed to that aside.

"Now I want to ask you," said he.

"Did Piccolo give you any further indication where he got it?"

"Not a particle," answered Movie Bill.

"You said on the 'phone you were on to it yourself."

"Shucks! That was just my danged temper, without being lit up with either actual or alleged whisky," said Bill.

Bantling laughed, unbelievably.

Greer, thinking the conference went wrong, put in:

"What's the matter with you coming in with us?"

"What on?" asked Movie Bill.

"Finding this ore-body," said Bantling in reply, instead of Greer, which showed their unanimity in that suggestion.

"Why should I do that? It's there somewhere. I don't see that it belongs to anybody yet—that is, granting he didn't just pick up some bits that had joggled off a rawhide during some hauling from a mine in operation up there. If he didn't pick it up as I suggest, then it's free to anybody to find. You're making an awful sewing circle fuss about it all. That's the way trouble comes. Life is simple enough, and it's just the way danged fools of people go complicating it that makes trouble. Go and get it—if you can. It is only when you begin to talk about hazing Piccolo into telling you where it was he found the samples that the crooked begins."

"I said so—without heat. This is an ethical discussion."

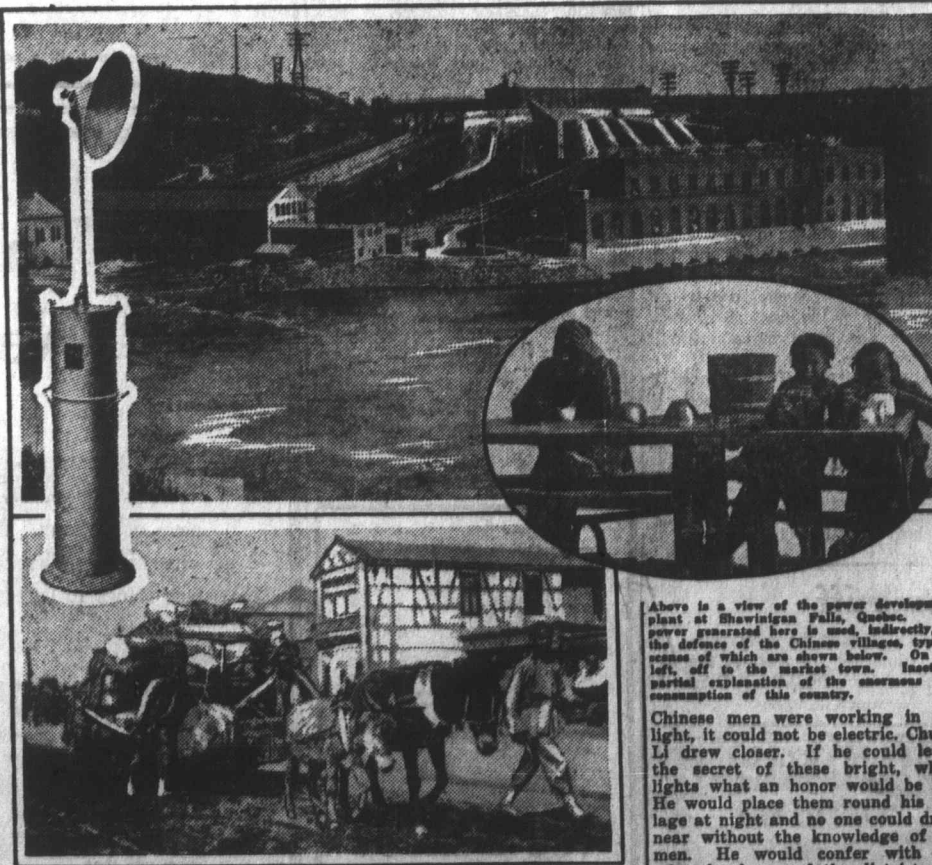
"You got me on ethical!" said Bantling. "Sounds like a word out of a book. But talk on anyhow. You was about to remark?"

"Well, go and look for it. That's all," said Allardyce. "I don't say there is anything crooked in even picking up that bit of rock and saying nothing to Piccolo about it. I don't say there is anything crooked even in not drawing his attention to what he dropped—unless he knew what he dropped. Funny! But there seems to be a difference. So far as I can see it was nothing to him, just dust and splinters in a pocket that he cleaned out."

"That's straight talk," said Greer to Bantling. "You can't ask more than that. You're all right, Mr. Allardyce, Bill."

To be continued.

Canadian Power Defends Chinese Villagers



Now what on earth has power development at Shawinigan Falls got to do with Chinese village life? you ask. The answer is that it helps to protect Mr. Chinaman, Mrs. Chinaman and all the little Chinamen from bandits. Yes! it's a long cry from the waters of the St. Maurice Valley to the interior Chinese village, but there you are. And it came about this. A harassed Chinese head-man driven to desperation and from his native village by badmen from the hills, came down to Hong Kong, or perhaps it was Shanghai, and down by the dock-

side saw men of his race working by night as if by day on the unloading of one of the giant Canadian Pacific Empire steamships. What wonderful things were these that could so defy the darkness? Chung Li drew closer, and saw that at intervals along the shed in which the stevedores were working much light came from little cans that glowed softly in the breeze. Now everyone knows that electric lights are the invention of the devil and were introduced by the white races to burn the eyes of Chinese babies and shorten the life of Chinese men. Therefore, as

Above is a view of the power development plant at Shawinigan Falls, Quebec. The power generated here is used, indirectly, in the defence of the Chinese villages, typical scenes of which are shown below. On the left, off in the market town. Next, a partial explanation of the enormous risk Chinese men were working in the light, it could not be electric. Chung Li drew closer. If he could learn the secret of these bright, white lights what an honor would be his. He would place them round his village at night and no one could draw near without the knowledge of his men. He would confer with the other head-men of the district. And so it came about that the Canada Carbide Company, which uses the power developed at Shawinigan Falls to fuse coke and lime into carbide, received an order for many flare lights. A deputation of the villagers made a long journey to Hong Kong to receive the shipment as it was discharged from the Empress of Russia, and returned, knowing that as long as the carbide hung out they were comparatively safe from the marauding bandits. There you have the connection. Shawinigan Falls lighting a Chinese village and protecting it from bandits.

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Presentation... Costs and Per... by Lette

There was a good... Opheim Theatre... when the musical... Petticoats" was... Sir Robert Borden... The entertainment... the direction of M... convener of the... mittee, was much... present, and Miss... congratulated on... performance. She w... bouquet of red and... acts. In the comedy... Hilda Johnson and... jamie were particu... songs of Mrs. W... Threwey, Annie... Eaton were much... in the cast were M... Beth Corey, Elizab... Shaw. The chorus... Helen Harris, Maric... and Virginia McL... several numbers w... received by the a... furnished by the o... Misses Grace Beal... ney, Messrs. Geral... Goudy, added not... of the performance... On Monday even... ment was repeated... Canning, before a...

INTERESTING R... DIA SEN

A recital was given... at Acadia Seminary... ing, and was much... attendance. The sel... no, violin and voc... semble selection. ... follows: Chansonette... Gently Row... The Cricket and the... wick... Gene... The Wounded Kne... Peggy... Hungarian Melody... Betty... Allegrett... Jean Ar... Little Patriot... Jean A... Album Leaf... Sidney... Rondo du Villageois... Dorothy... Cradle Song... Lloyd M... Fantoccini... Frances... Hope March... Kathleen Bancroft... Eaton, 2nd violin;... violin; Jean Shaw... Miss Minnie... Daddy's Sweetheart... Goldie H... Petite Berceuse... Ruth In... Feu Follet... Bertha... Lancelot... Natica

WANTS TO KNO... MONEY SPENT... VILLE-KEN

In the Local Hou... B. A. LeBlanc, Cons... and the following... highways: 1.—What amount... expended on the ma... Kentville and Wolf... since the first day... 2.—If this work v... tract, who were t... what amount was p... contractors during... 3.—What amount... from the Dominion... said road as federal...

The electrical stor... last Thursday even... usual at this season... ber of vivid flashes... eastern sky were w... evening by a number... eastern part of the... was of much grate...

PRESENTED BUD

Hon. James A. R... of Finance, who pr... budget in the Hou... Tuesday. The mo... change as it affects... proposal to make a... from the United Sta... ton instead of 14...