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## Cheese-making as a Home Industry in the Olden Time

(Written by Benjamin Starratt for the Monitor-Sentinel.)

Sixty or seventy-five years ago dairying was one of the most important branches of farming and one of the most profitable.

It brought in the shekels to the hard-working granger and though it involved much labor and care, particularly to the female members of the family, it also brought a gold quo, it brought the hard coin into the pockets of the worker.

In those far off days all the milk was manufactured at home. The farmer's kitchen in the summer days was a scene of busy activity. There were very few large dairies—not more than half a dozen in the County up numbering twenty cows. Nine cows was considered a good dairy, but there were many of them. In some localities every farmer made cheese, notably, Williamston, then known as "Shaffer's neighborhood." The Shaffers and Bishop's, the old stock, were noted for the quality and quantity of the cheese made by them and they flourished correspondingly. Clarence also could boast of many good dairies and good cheese makers.

In the summer much of the milk was made into cheese. The night's milk was strained into a big tub to which the morning's milk was added and in up-to-date dairies a cheese was made every day.

The curd was placed in hoops and pressed in strong hand presses operated generally by a lever, after which they were placed on shelves greased with fresh butter, well rubbed and turned every day. This was really the heaviest part of the work. Later in the season when the weather became cooler, skim milk, cheese and butter would be made. The milk would be "doubled up," that is, two or three

## Full Charge of Shot Strikes Young Edw. Cook in the Face

Sackville, Sept. 21.—Wood Point, five miles from here, was the scene of an awful tragedy Saturday afternoon when thirteen-year-old Edward Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Cook, was accidentally killed by a charge from a double-barreled shot gun in the hands of Edward Wood, aged fifteen. Young Cook was killed instantly, the charge tearing a gaping hole under the left eye. The accident took place near Allen's Creek, at almost half past five, when the two boys were bringing their parents' cows from the pasture. The two boys had set out together, secured the cows and when almost a quarter of a mile from home they noticed a crow flying over their heads. Wood turned toward Cook to take a shot at the bird, and as he did so the gun was discharged. The full charge of shot struck Cook in the face, and he fell to the road. Assistance was soon at hand, but Cook was beyond all human aid. Coroner J. M. Baird of Middle Sackville was notified and viewed the body. He decided that no inquest is necessary, as the tragedy was clearly accidental.

## The Horticultural Exhibition

The Commission is rapidly giving shape to the approaching Nova Scotia Horticultural Exhibition to be held at Kentville on the 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th of October. In all lines of fruits, grains, vegetables, domestic and educational exhibits, the prospect is there will be the largest and most varied display and in quality the best ever seen in Canada. The season has been most favorable for growth and maturing of all farm products. Every person interested in our fruit and agricultural industry should not fail to attend this exhibition for what can be seen and also the educational facilities afforded. Persons interested in the raising of poultry will have an excellent opportunity to see a large variety of birds and Mr. Landry, the best poultry authority in the country, is expected to be present and to exhibit valuable pointers in respect to this growing and important industry. The horse parade comprising different classes of horses will be spectacular and interesting to all horsemen.

## Schooner A. D. Mills Ashore and Floated

Chatham, Mass., September 19.—The three-masted British schooner A. D. Mills, Annapolis, N. S., to Vineyard Haven, for orders, went ashore on Pearce Shoals during a rough sea just before sunset today and after pounding heavily for a while she floated free through the jettying of one-third of her deckload of laths. Crews of the Monomoy and Monomoy Point Life Saving Stations started out to give assistance. The Monomoy crew reached there first, and before the Monomoy Point men arrived the schooner had floated, and it is thought proceeded to Vineyard Haven with the Monomoy Life Savers on board. The vessel had pounded so heavily that it is thought she must have sprung a leak.

## Ten Days in Open Boat

Thomas Frost, a Gloucester fisherman, arrived in Boston Wednesday after one of the most extraordinary escapes from death at sea ever recorded. For ten days he was adrift on the ocean in a dory without food or water. He was picked up by the Norwegian bark *Normania*, Captain Hulversen, and taken to Liverpool, where the American Consul provided for his passage home on the Cunard liner *Saxonia*.

He was one of the crew on the *Allice R. Lawson*, of Gloucester, but on July 22, while out in a dory near the Quaro banks, lost his ship in a heavy fog. It was nearly sunset on August 1st, when the Norwegian bark *Normania* was in sight and bore down upon the castaway.

He had what he calls "mad spells" during the ten days he was adrift, and says he was tempted to end his sufferings by suicide several times.

His shipmates of the *Lawson* are still at sea on a long cruise and do not yet know of Frost's rescue. He was given up as dead weeks ago.

On Wednesday last Wilbur Wright, the aeronaut, lost his ship in Ohio, eclipsed all European records for sustained aerial flights. He remained in the air for 39 minutes, and 18 3/5 seconds. This sets the Wright Bros. the record for both hemispheres.

## The Halifax Y. W. C. A.

The directors of the Young Women's Christian Association of Halifax are desirous of having the purpose and scope of their work better known in the Province of Nova Scotia. The Halifax Y. W. C. A. is one branch of a world wide organization, which dates its origin in Great Britain about fifty years ago. The Association sprang up to meet the needs of young girls and women away from their homes and brought in large numbers to congested centres to earn their own living. The work spread rapidly and today there are hundreds of Associations throughout the world in Christian and Non-Christian countries.

There is a college Y. W. C. A. and in this there are several branches, at Dalhousie, Acadia, Mt. Allison, Fredericton, etc., but the Halifax Young Women's Christian Association is the only city Association in this part of the Dominion, consequently its work is as well known as it is in other parts.

The purpose of the city Y. W. C. A. as set forth in its constitution is, the spiritual, intellectual, social and physical development of young women; and corresponds among young women with the work of the Y. M. C. A. among young men, an organization much better known throughout the Maritime Province.

The work of the Halifax Young Women's Christian Association should be better known throughout Nova Scotia, as young women are continually going to Halifax in search of employment of various kinds or for other reasons. Often they are strangers in the City and ignorant of its temptations and dangers. To all such the Young Women's Christian Association is anxious to offer its assistance and extend a welcome.

In the first place, it has accommodation for thirty-one boarders and always has a welcome for the young women who come under its roof for a day or a week or for a longer time. If the Association hasn't room, it endeavors to secure suitable accommodation in other places for applicants for board. The woman, too, who goes to the city to shop may find there a quiet place to rest and get her dinner.

There is also a Traveller's Aid Department and if any woman will write in advance, the Traveller's Aid will, if possible, meet her on her arrival in Halifax, either by boat, train or coach, and assist her in any way she can.

Again, the Y. W. C. A. has an employment bureau, and is always glad to help girls get work in good families. This should be helpful to some of the girls of our province, who may desire to get places in Halifax in domestic service, and yet not know just how to secure them, as it isn't always safe to answer advertisements, or to go to a city, without friends in search of work.

The Y. W. C. A. has evening classes in various subjects, such as dress-making, physical culture, night school, bible study, etc., and frequently social evenings are held for members and friends. Such classes are open for members only, and for some a fee is charged. Any woman, young or old, of good moral character, is eligible for membership in the Association.

The Young Women's Christian Association is not a charity though it does ask and expects support from the public. Its foundation principle is co-operation. Its members are composed of women of all classes, working together for the common good of womanhood in an organization inter-denominational in character, international in scope.

Anyone desirous of further information or wishing any assistance which can be given by the Young Women's Christian Association, should write to Miss F. L. Brecken, B. A., General Secretary, 66 Hollis Street, Halifax, N. S.

## CHOLERA EPIDEMIC IN RUSSIA

St. Petersburg, Sept. 14.—It is officially announced that from noon Saturday until noon today there were two hundred and fifty-six cases of cholera and sixty-four deaths. The mortality since the beginning of the epidemic is over twenty-five per cent.

## Drought and Forest Fires Causing Great Suffering

Boston, Sept. 21.—Anxiety is filling the heart of the New England farmer, for a draught, which is pronounced to be one of the severest, long-continued dry periods in many years, has spread itself over the New England states, causing suffering to people, cattle and crops throughout the country districts.

It was on August 25 that the last general rainfall came to New England, and since then, except for a few short local rain storms, the drought has continued unabated. In many places the wells are running dry and a very serious state of affairs confronts the farmers.

Grass and vegetation have suffered severely. Water in the lakes has been receding at the rate of one inch a day. Numerous forest fires have started. Many mills have been crippled by the lack of water supply, and others have been compelled to shut down for a time entirely. In many places for two or three feet below the surface there is not any moisture. Potatoes have been dug earlier than is the custom and are much smaller than in previous years. Country water basins have run dry and in many cases it has been necessary to carry water for household use two miles. Cattle have been suffering from lack of water and the milk supply is becoming limited.

There is a shortage of pasture feed and an absence of green feed and fodder for the cattle.

## SITUATION IN MAINE

The situation in Maine appears more serious than any New England state. Land Agent Edgar E. Ring has issued a proclamation on the seriousness of the situation in the Maine woods. He urged that the utmost precaution was imperative regarding the building of fires by hunters and others. The Maine potato crop in many sections of the state has been affected by the drought. Because of the scarcity of water digging commenced earlier than usual this season and as a result the crop was not wholly uniform.

In Vermont conditions have become so bad that the mills have been seriously crippled, in many cases it became necessary to close down and thus a novel expedient has been resorted to. Seven hundred feet of rubber hose has been connected with a large spring and by means of a steam pump the water has been forced through a hydrant into the village mains, thus supplying the householders.

Smoke from the burning forests of Maine, Canada and northern New York hangs over New England for the past week, obscuring the rays of the sun and threatening to rival the famous "yellow days" of 1851. As the result of the extraordinary conditions, shipping all along the New England coast has been seriously hampered and in many cases steam and sailing vessels have been obliged to stop for hours off the coast before they felt safe in entering a port. Marine observatories at times have been able to look but half a mile out to sea. Several trans-Atlantic liner captains stated when they reached port that when they came within a hundred miles of the coast the veil of smoke was so dense that they thought a terrible city fire was taking somewhere in New England.

## NEWFOUNDLAND ELECTIONS

St. John's, Nfld., Sept. 13.—The Newfoundland Legislature was dissolved today, and Monday, November 2nd, was named as the date of the general election.

Sir Robert Bond, the Premier, will be the Government leader during the campaign, and the Opposition will be headed by Sir Edward Morris, who until last year was Attorney-General in the Bond Cabinet. The elections took place just one week after the general election in Canada.

## Franco-British Exhibition

The Franco-British Exhibition in London this year is the great attraction, not only for the residents of the United Kingdom and France, but for people of all countries, and it is estimated that the attendance will reach from 30,000,000 to 40,000,000 during the life of the undertaking. Canada is well represented with the Dominion Government building and the railway buildings, and the country will no doubt receive more publicity in the old country than ever before. The Grand Trunk Railway System have erected a magnificent pavilion in the Court of Progress.

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## Free Rural Mail Delivery to Come

Niagara Falls, Sept. 16.—Hon. Roderic Lemieux, Postmaster General, capped the climax of a particularly effective and eloquent speech at the Liberal gathering here yesterday by announcing the intention of the government to inaugurate at once a system of free rural mail delivery throughout Canada, thus conferring a great boon to the whole farming community of the country. After briefly reviewing the history of the adoption of free rural mail delivery in Great Britain, France, Germany, and the United States, he declared that hitherto the vital objection to the adoption of such a system in Canada had been the great cost involved and comparative scarcity of the rural population. "I have determined to equip all existing mail routes in Canada with rural delivery boxes, under regulations to be published and enforced shortly at the junction of every concession line with the main road. Farmers will also be given the privilege of having boxes located for the receipt and collection of mail if so desired."

"The government has made all arrangements for carrying out this scheme and will at once proceed to operate it. I think it can and will afford to pay the costs."

Speaking of rural mail routes Mr. Lemieux said that in the total mileage of rural routes there had been an increase of 44 per cent, in number of letters carried an increase of 241 per cent, in amount of money transmitted by money orders and postal notes an increase of 323 per cent, and in 1896 there had been a deficit of \$781,152; in 1908 a surplus of \$1,101,527, a financial betterment of \$1,882,679.

## Nova Scotia Press Association Visits Sydney and Glace Bay

The Nova Scotia Press Association held a highly enjoyable meeting last week at Sydney, N. S. This is the fifth year of the existence of the Association and it is making rapid advancement both in numbers and interest.

In selecting Sydney for the place of meeting the executive made a most admirable choice. In no other place in the province could so many and varied attractions engage the interest of visitors whose thirst for information is proverbial.

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On Friday a special car conveyed the journalists to Glace Bay. They were accompanied by Mayor Richardson, of Sydney, and were welcomed to Glace Bay by Mayor Douglas, and the courtesy and attention received from these gentlemen lent additional pleasure to the occasion. Their first visit was to the Marconi towers. The wizard of the wireless was absent in New York, but he was represented with extreme cordiality by Superintendent Vyvyan, who displayed the mechanism which generates the mysterious forces, and had a special communication sent from Ireland for the gratification of his guests.

From the towers the party were taken to the coal mines of Glace Bay where with Mr. J. L. K. Ross, the son of the general manager, as a personal conductor, they were shown over the great plant of Dominion No. 2 Colliery, the largest coal mine in the world. The expert knowledge and

## Elevators are Filled With Grain

Winnipeg, Sept. 13.—The elevators at Elgin, Medora, Woodland, Waskada, and the Farmers elevator at Deloraine, are all full and can hold no more wheat until cars are supplied. A Canadian Northern report today says the yield along the road is running from seventeen to twenty bushels per acre. A week or more of the present weather will put the grain crop beyond the reach of adverse weather conditions and will start a rush of grain to the markets which the railways will have difficulty in handling. The grain is grading well up in most instances, though there is little No. 1 hard in sight.

## TRADE IN CANADA AGAIN IMPROVING.

New York, Sept. 19.—Bradstreet's State of Trade today says of trade in Canada: Trade in Canada has made further progress toward normal conditions, although conservatism is still visible. The signs indicate that activity is returning. Country trade is better. The business failures this week number twenty-five which compares with forty in the corresponding week of 1907.

general interest with which Mr. Ross entertained the party made this part of the trip exceedingly enjoyable. Although the tremendous power of the great plant was fully appreciated, in nothing was the party more keenly interested than in the apparatus of the Dräger Life Saving Station. Mr. Ross and Mr. McMahon, the superintendent, demonstrated the manner of applying this life-saving apparatus by which respiration can be sustained under ground. The appliance fits over the head and carries a certain amount of oxygen to the lungs, shutting out the injurious gases, and by this means a search party may be sent to extend relief in case of disaster or accident. We understand this is the only apparatus of its kind on the continent, the supplies coming from Germany. A visit to the depths of the mines was made by only one of the party, who made a trip of a thousand feet below the surface and travelled a mile and a half underground, rejoining his fellow-travellers in the evening, to relate his experiences in the underworld. This was Mr. August Harbeck, of Quebec.

In the meantime the party were escorted by Mayor Douglas to the Glace Bay Hotel where a tempting menu was served after which they returned by an electric special to Sydney. Here they embarked on C. B. Electric Company's S. S. Pawnee for a trip around the harbor. Landing at the pier of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company's works they made a tour of inspection over the plant and were especially interested in the process of making rails and wire. This closed the program with the exception of minor social events, and on the following noon the excursionists started on their homeward journey.

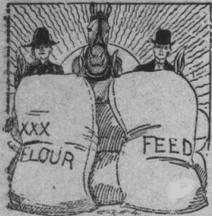
By the people of Sydney and surrounding towns with whom the press representatives came in contact the utmost cordiality was extended, lending additional pleasure to a visit which will always be memorable for many happy events. In this connection we must also acknowledge the indebtedness of the association to its honored member, the newly elected president, Mr. John Regan, who was untiring in his efforts to make the visit a source of pleasure and profit. Mr. Regan is a young man in whom the people of Nova Scotia already have an interest, he having been instrumental through the press association in inaugurating the new provincial department of Industries and Immigration, of which Mr. Arthur Barnstead, another member of the press, was appointed as secretary.

## Work for 5,000 Goes Begging

Five thousand men needed as coke-workers in the Connellsville field cannot be secured at this time, and word has reached the heads of labor organizations that makers of coke have decided to send for 5,000 Hungarian coke-workers, who were allowed to go home last fall, with the information that they need not return as their positions would be filled by Americans.

The H. C. Frick Coke Company, fuel end of the United States Steel Corporation, has decided that it must have 75 per cent. of all its ovens started at once, but it is 5,000 men short. The employment bureau report that they cannot get men to work at coke ovens. Efforts to man the ovens with home labor have failed. The labor unions say they will force the contract labor law into action in case an effort is made to bring back the Hungarians.

It was reported that the Marconi tower at Port Morien would close shortly. Manager Vyvyan upon being asked, stated the report to be absolutely without foundation. Work will be started there on a larger scale than ever when the new boiler is installed. Marconi is still in New York but will likely leave in a day or two.



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Accom. Mon. & Fri.	Time Table June 2nd 1903	Accom. Mon. & Fri.
Read down	Stations	Read up
11.15	Middleton	15.25
11.40	Clarence	15.24
12.03	Bridgetown	15.06
12.29	Granville Cte.	14.37
12.41	Granville Pk.	14.29
13.25 Ar.	Port Wade	13.40

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On and after Sept. 20th, 1903, the Steamship and Train Service on this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

FOR BRIDGETOWN. Bluenose from Halifax, Mon., Wed., Fri. and Sat. 12.06 p. m. Bluenose from Yarmouth, Sun., Tues., Thur. and Fri. 12.53 p. m. Express from Halifax, ... 11.34 p. m. Express from Yarmouth, ... 2.12 p. m. Express from Kentville, Friday and Saturday, ... 8.01 p. m. Express for Kentville and Halifax, Saturday and Monday, 4.29 a. m. Accom. from Richmond, ... 5.15 p. m. Accom. from Annapolis, ... 7.20 a. m.

Midland Division Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily, (except Sunday) for Truro at 7.25 a. m. and 5.15 p. m., 8.55 a. m. and 2.30 p. m., connecting at Truro with trains of the Intercolonial Railway, and at Windsor with express and Bluenose trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth.

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by far the finest and fastest steamers plying out of Boston, leave Yarmouth, N. S., Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, immediately on arrival of express and Bluenose trains from Halifax, arriving in Boston next morning. Returning, leaves Long Wharf, Boston, Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 1.00 p. m.

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Our July trade was good. We cordially invite an increase of your appreciated patronage for present month

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Milk Chocolate Stick, Medallions, Croquettes, Cream Bars etc. are truly delicious.

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**Business**

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**Joker's Corner.**

**LEADS TO CONFUSION.**

The late A. J. Cassatt, at a dinner at the Philadelphia Country Club was once asked his opinion of the fashion of women riding horses astride. "I don't altogether favor this fashion," said Mr. Cassatt, smiling. "I think it leads to confusion."

"I was driving one afternoon on the Lancaster Pike when a rider was thrown violently from a spirited horse. Luckily the accident happened in front of a pharmacy. "The pharmacist ran forth with his clerk. He propped up the head of the unconscious rider, and, seeing a cold cigarette case lying in the road he took it up and read the address 'S. Browne, 1317 Walnut street.' "Jack," the pharmacist shouted to his errand boy, 'telephone to Mrs. Browne, 1317 Walnut, that her husband has—'

**NOT SO UNSOPHISTICATED.**

Not all young matrons are so unsophisticated as is the customary "Mrs. Newly-wed" of the newspaper funny man. One striking exception resides in Harlem. Entering a butcher shop on the eve of a large house-party to be given at her home, she saw displayed a dozen chickens. "Please pick me out a half dozen chickens that are tough," she said. "I have a special reason." The butcher put aside seven. "Are these all?" she asked. "Yes, ma'am," was the reply. "These are all tough ones." "Then send the other five to my house at once," said the young matron. The butcher is still guessing.

**NO SNORING IN COURT.**

At a certain county court the judge is, in his private capacity, a very kind-hearted man. The usher of the court is aged—but as he had been a faithful servant for many years, he was retained in that capacity. One morning he fell asleep in court and began to snore. The noise he made naturally disturbed court proceedings, but the judge displayed great tact in dealing with the matter. "Usher Jones," he called out loudly, "some one is snoring!" The usher woke up. He jumped to his feet and stared ferociously round. "Silence!" he roared. "There must be no snoring in court."

During a Lenten lecture on the "Dear Jacob A. Rius, author of 'How the Other Half Lives,' said, 'I first came to know them as a reporter, were disheartened indeed. To clean them seemed as hopeless as cleaning an Auzene stable. It was like the case of a slum boy whom I heard about the other day. "Jackie," said this boy's mother, 'your face is fairly clean, but how did you get such dirty hands?' "Washin' ma face," said the boy. "I tell you," said one man to another, as they emerged from the corridor of a concert hall, "I envy that fellow who was singing." "Envy him!" echoed the other. "Well, if I were going to envy a singer, I'd envy somebody with a better voice. His was about the poorest I ever heard." "It's not his voice I envy, man," was the reply; "it's his tremendous courage."

An ignorant old man attended a public funeral in honor of an American statesman. In describing it later to his wife his enthusiasm moved him to say: "Ara' ells, it was grand. It was the most gl'win' paregoric of words I have ever had 'casion to listen to!"

**BEST TREATMENT FOR A BURN.**

If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and discolors of the skin. Price, 25 cents. For sale by W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL AND BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

**Boy is a Human Storage Battery**

Galveston, Sept. 11.—E. G. At'oy, a seven-year-old boy of Russian descent, born in America and living in Houston, has been discovered to be a human storage battery of electricity. The widowed mother fears the boy is possessed. He is red-headed, freckle-faced and blue-eyed. A court of medical experts, electricians and a physician has made remarkable tests with the boy.

His strange powers were accidentally discovered by a metal filing which had been put in one tooth. The boy picked up the disconnected porcelain knob that was used to connect an electric fan with an electric light wire and thrust it into his mouth. As the metal cap touched the metal tooth filling, the fan began to revolve and then to buzz at full speed. A thirty-two candle power bulb was attached to the end of the wire and the light burned brilliantly.

When a steel tumbler was put on the boy's finger and he grasped the end of the wires in his hand, the same result was obtained. A piece of iron held in the boy's hand for a few moments becomes highly magnetized. A hammer with an iron handle held in his hands will attract tacks at a distance of four feet. Placed on a glass-legged stool, any one touching him received a distinct shock. An ordinary flat iron held in his hands for five minutes and then passed over tea penny nails driven in to hard wood will pull them with ease.

**BUILD UP A NATION.**

Today we say emphatically to the people of Canada that there is a tendency to rush the development of the country which we think bad. When for their own purposes—political immigrants arrive in one year in one country whose total population is less than seven millions, we think that it cannot absorb so many either commercially or socially. Let its development solidly. We want to build up a nation, not rather together a mob. Some men in high places are rushing the development of the West for their own purposes—political purposes. They are out to make a fortune—nation-building does not concern them. Do not let us sell our birthright for a mess of pottage. Brave men, not wealth, can alone make and save nations. Look at United States and take warning.

There you have millions of farmers living foreign lives, in foreign quarters of American cities—people as alien to the ideas and principles of George Washington and Alexander Hamilton as were their ancestors a century ago in Italy or Austria. The system of government set up at the time of the Declaration of Independence has gone down before an alien host. The mould of government was not strong enough to carry the metals thrown into it. If crime and lawlessness are rampant across the border today it is because the laws—good laws, and the Constitution—a good constitution—have been mastered by a mob.—Canadian Life and Resources.

**GOOD FOR BILIOUSNESS.**

I took two of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks," says J. J. Firestone, of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for biliousness." For sale by W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL AND BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE. Samples free.

**REMAXATION FOR THE MOTHER.**

The old-fashioned idea that a woman should be an absolute slave to her family and home is happily exploded. It belongs to the bygone with the hoop skirt and the thousand things that money will never be resurrected. Women have waked up to the knowledge that while doing their entire duty by their family and home they still have a duty to themselves. That they must have time to think, to expand, to cultivate both mind and body.

It is a very great mistake to allow the family and their demands to encroach upon all the available time is taken up. There are many dear little mothers whose self-forgetful devotion to the children leads them to forget all else. Even the husband and father is forgotten, and this is often a fruitful source of his seeking relaxation and amusement outside his own home.

**WHEN NOT TO EAT.**

It is the greatest mistake in the world ever to eat a heavy meal when tired. Indigestion is sure to be set up, and the food never nourishes the body. After a long, fatiguing expedition, or journey, or a day's shopping, a woman should never sit down immediately to a heavy dinner or supper. Let her take a cup of hot-tea or a sandwich, and a glass of milk, and rest. In half an hour or an hour she can then eat the meal she requires with benefit.—Morning Leader.

**Education for Avocation**

We hear much, these material days, of the value of manual training in the public schools, much of the necessity of providing toys and girls with instruction which will prove of practical use to them in their imminent task of earning a living. And it is good and sensible talk. None will deny the benefit of training the youthful hand and eye as well as the purely mental processes. In the efficient development of technical instruction lies one of the most important problems before present day educationists. But the value of education is not all in its practical side in its possible conversion into future dollars and cents; and there may be danger in considering too closely the utilitarian feature of public school training we may lose sight of something of greater value. With this thought in mind, Dr. N. C. Shaeffer, superintendent of public instruction for the State of Pennsylvania, addressed upon the National Educational Association in session at Cleveland last week the thought that preparation for a life which is truly worth living cannot, for the sake of financial gain, afford to neglect or ignore the things of the mind and the joys of the higher life.

"What the school can do to fit the pupils for the several callings by which they will earn their livelihood," he said, "is a question which is now more than ever before engaged in the serious attention of educators throughout the civilized world. This question is so important and all absorbing that there is danger of losing sight of the other equally important question: What can the school do to make life worth living during the hours in which the individual is not engaged in the struggle for bread?"

"The laboring classes are striving to get an eight hour day. In some cases they have already won this concession. Whether the victory shall prove a blessing or a curse will depend upon the way in which the remaining hours of the day are spent. If the hours which are not devoted to work and sleep are spent in dissipation and riotous living, the eight hour day will prove a curse instead of a blessing.

"I have no quarrel," he continued, "with the toilers who seek recreation. Our insane asylums are filled with farmers' wives whose work was never done, who went through a ceaseless round of drudgery seven days in the week year after year, until the nervous system broke down and the individual sank into hopeless insanity. It is the inexorable demand of human nature that it shall seek and have relief from the drudgery of piece work in the shop and the factory. What keeps me awake at night is the thought that if these toilers had been taught at school how to use and enjoy a good book, they would seek recreation and enjoyment by visiting the public library instead of going to the roof garden and the saloon."

It is not easy to map out a curriculum that shall fit pupils for work in all the various industries that furnish employment; for some of these, agriculture and distilleries for instance, public opinion would not tolerate preparation at the public expense. But all can agree upon the desirability of fitting pupils to enjoy the things of the mind and the higher life, on the importance of teaching the right use of books, on the supreme duty of training the boy and the girl to think, the best thoughts of the best men as these are enshrined in art and literature. The pupil who is taught to think the thoughts of God as these are expressed in the stary heavens above us, in the moral law within us and in all nature about us, tastes the joys of a life which does not turn upon what we eat and drink and the thousand things that money will never be resurrected. Education for avocation is quite as important as education for vocation. "Man shall not live by bread alone," is a maxim spoken by the greatest teacher of all the ages. He who himself earned bread and supported his mother by working at the carpenter's bench, did not mean that we should despise the arts which make bread; but His example and His teachings clearly indicate that a life worth living involves far more than mere education for a vocation.

**SHARPS AND FLATS.**

The joy of life is in the living of it. Nothing but man can smile—smile then. You can't fill a barrel until you stop the leaks. In life's game be sure to play the winning card. Let every little feeling go—Time is the best avenger. If you don't see your way out of the woods blaze you out a way. I'm for the fellow that toils for bread—and does it because he loves his own. Death is a vast democracy: equal privileges to all, special privileges to none. The real secret of a happy life is to push one's powers just as far as they will go.



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**Saved Furniture While Babes Burn**

Winnipeg, Sept. 12.—A despatch from St. Paul says—The five children of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bardette, living on a farm near Brighton, outside the city limits, were suffocated in a fire that attacked the home at a late hour last night. The parents were away on a visit at the time, and the neighbors, under the impression that the children were also absent, devoted their attention to rescuing the furniture. While the neighbors were busy hauling the furniture out the parents returned, and not until then did the neighbors know that the children were inside.

Father and mother rushed through the smoke, battling their way to the rooms of their children. They rushed with the children out of the house only to find that life in the five bodies was extinct. The ages of the children ranged from five to thirteen years.

CARTERHALL, N.S.I. MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., Limited. Dear Sirs,—While in the country last summer I was badly bitten by mosquitoes, so badly that I thought I would be disgraced for a couple of years. I was advised to try your Liniment to allay the irritation, and did so. The effect was more than I expected, a few applications, and completely curing the irritation, and preventing the bites from becoming sore. MINARD'S LINIMENT is also a good article to keep off the mosquitoes.

Yours truly W. A. V. R. NON-PROFANITY.

Canada has always had a law against profanity, and it is not only the right, but the duty of every citizen in whose hearing profanity is used, to have the offender arrested. The magistrate trying the case may award half the fine to the person laying the complaint. This law has been enforced of late in several of the Canadian towns. The Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific railways have issued an order forbidding the use of profanity on the part of their employees and requiring them to prevent the use of it by passengers. The Grand Trunk has discharged six of its employees for disobedience of this order. The Canadian minister of railways and canals is considering an order of a similar kind to the employes of the department. The Pennsylvania railway has issued a similar order. The mayor of Springfield, Wash., has ordered all saloon-keepers to prohibit profane talk on their premises. The fire board of Baltimore has issued a prohibition to all members of the department. No profanity will be tolerated on the New London, Conn., ferries. The St. Louis manufacturers have forbidden it in their factories on the recommendation of the state factory inspector. In 50 different cities and towns throughout America, the police have been given orders to suppress the habit.

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Serious Fire in Quebec Forest

Sherbrooke, Sept. 13.—Last evening the reflection of bush fires in Oxford district was observed from Sherbrooke. The mills and boarding houses of Fletcher Bros. were threatened and it was reported last evening that the boarding house was destroyed and every effort was being made to save the mill.

Bissett's Limits were also threatened and large gangs of men are fighting the fire. The loss in pulp wood will be heavy.

The fire broke out in the woods just within the city limits and near the contagious hospital.

Men were sent to try and put out the flames but at a late hour they had not succeeded.

Passengers on the incoming trains through the Quebec Central district report many bush fires and an enormous amount of damage.

MEMORIAL TOWER.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 16.—The Canadian Club has undertaken to raise a fund to erect a memorial tower on the "Dingle," Sir Sandford Fleming's property on the North West Arm, which he has presented to the city of Halifax as a park.

The municipality of Halifax practically declined to accept the park on the conditions that it erect the tower. Now the Canadian Club takes up the project and Sir Sandford is helping them out with his subscription. It is to be in commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the establishment of parliamentary institutions in Nova Scotia.

The Sovereign Bank Again

Montreal, Sept. 11.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of D. M. Stewart, former general manager of the defunct Sovereign Bank. The charge against Stewart was laid by an official of the finance department, Ottawa, for rendering false statements of the bank's affairs to the government. The statement is made that this was done through the connivance of the Sovereign bank with the Dresdner Bank of Germany, Stewart, when making his returns, was drawing for a considerable sum each month on the Dresdner Bank and including the draft in the assets of the institution. Then the draft was cancelled until it reappeared at the time of the next statement. Stewart is absent from the city and so far officers have been unable to locate him. It is supposed in some quarters that he is in New York. He was at Quebec at the time of the termination in command of his regiment, the 13th Scottish Light Dragoons, the incident over which the Dundonald incident occurred. He came back to Montreal in advance of the regiment and immediately left again. He closed up his business. It is expected the Dominion police will endeavor to locate him.

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Thirty-two Years in Prison

JESSE POMEROY, THE MOST FIENDISH BOY IN THE WORLD LAST WEEK BEGAN HIS 32ND YEAR IN PRISON.

Jesse Pomeroiy, one of the most notorious life prisoners in the United States, last Wednesday entered upon the thirty-second year of his confinement in Charlestown prison. All of these years have been passed in solitary confinement. When he was 14 years old Pomeroiy was sentenced to prison for life for torturing and murdering little children. He is now 48 years old, and looks to be much older. Despite his long incarceration he apparently still has hopes of a pardon, though he has never had the slightest encouragement. In the early seventies Jesse Pomeroiy and his crimes were discussed from one end of the country to the other. Boston and vicinity were in a state of terror, when one small child after another was discovered horribly beaten and no clue to the perpetrator of the monstrous cruelties could be found. On the day after Christmas, 1871, a child named Paine, living in Chelsea, was found unconscious, tied to a beam on Powder Horn hill. His entirely nude body was covered with great welts. When he recovered his wits his father and the police learned that he had met an older boy, who had led him away from the public street, and had then, in spite of his weak protests, taken off his clothes and struck him again and again with a rope. Many crimes of this character were committed at intervals for months. Then Pomeroiy was identified as the perpetrator and sent to a reform school. After two months he was released. Shortly afterwards he repeated his old crimes, and this time killed the victims, a boy and a girl. He was convicted and sentenced to solitary confinement for life. For thirty-one years he has been confined in a cell as small as a closet, dark and bare. On a dozen occasions he has, with superhuman cunning, devised plans of escape, and in spite of constant watching has succeeded in carrying them to an advanced stage of execution. He has never attended divine services in the prison chapel, and has never been required to work. It is said that he has spent much of his time in reading and has become fairly well informed. But as far as personal experience goes, such things as electric cars, phonographs, telephones, and many other things in common use today are absolutely unknown to him.

Reported Loss of Many Lives

Grand Turk, Turk's Island, B. W. I., Sept. 11.—A hurricane of great force swept over Turk's Island last night and this morning and at day-break today the town of Grand Turk was devastated. A number of lives have been lost, but just how many cannot yet be said. Grave anxiety is felt for the safety of Dr. T. R. Robertson, district commissioner of the Calicos, who was making a tour of these islands when the storm broke. This morning the wind had reached a velocity of nearly one hundred miles an hour and was blowing from the north-east. The Haytian Sloop Telegraph, which had taken shelter at Hawk's Nest, foundered with all hands. The schooner, Dan Leah, belonging to the East Calicos Fibre Company, broke away from her anchorage at half past three this morning and this was the last seen of her. All the salt lighters which were moored yesterday at the Riding Grounds and the Hawk's Nest, are missing.

LIQUOR LAW AMENDMENT.

St. John, Sept. 18.—Constable Wolverton, of Carleton county, descended on the city yesterday with summonses for nearly every wholesale liquor dealer in St. John, having violation of the liquor law by sending liquor to Carleton county, in which the Scott Act is in force.

Some time ago an inspector seized and destroyed a considerable quantity of liquor which had been sent from St. John to various persons in Carleton county. The present charges arise out of these shipments.

The dealers say many of the charges made against them are for shipments of liquor sent before the new amendment was put in force. They claim the liquor seized was not subject to seizure under the law, and will fight the matter, and they say they will put the inspector in a hole.

MANITOBA HAS HOT WEATHER.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 17.—The tropical heat continues and if anything is increasing in intensity. The mercury yesterday went to 90 in the shade. Such a long spell of excessively hot weather is most unusual. The farmers are taking full advantage of it and are rushing the threshing.

Falling off in Crop Estimates

Ottawa, Sept. 11.—The census department gives out a report on the crops and live stock of Canada for the month ended August 31. The rainfall of the month was scant and the temperature high, and the latter ripening cereals was somewhat lowered as compared with the promises of June and July. A fairly constant uniformity was maintained in the maritime provinces, except in the case of spring wheat in Prince Edward Island, where the condition fell from 94 in June to 64 in August.

In Quebec the outlook has continued to be favorable, and in Ontario also in spite of the drought the conditions have been fairly maintained. West of the great lakes cereals were considerably affected by hot winds in August, but less in Alberta than elsewhere owing to the earlier ripening conditions there.

In Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta the estimated yield of wheat is 104,653,000 bushels, as compared with 110,524,000 bushels at the end of July.

The estimated yield of oats has also fallen from 120,858,000 bushels to 107,860,000, and of barley from 28,557,000 bushels to 25,951,000 bushels.

Lighted Match Caught Muslim Dress

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 13.—There has been an epidemic of deaths by burning in Halifax during the past few weeks. The fourth such accident occurred last night, when Henrietta Evelyn Garroway was burned to death. Miss Garroway, who was a member of the public school staff of father, who is nearly blind. She Halifax, had been reading to her went to her room to change her attire, preparatory to going out. The match she used to light a lamp she threw on the floor. It caught her muslin dress and in an instant the whole was in flames. She cried out and her father ran upstairs and did what he could, but without avail and in a few minutes she was dead. No one else was in the house at the time. Men ran in from the street and saved the house from destruction by the flames.

Britain's Largest and Heaviest Warship Launched

The St. Vincent, the largest and heaviest battleship ever built for the British navy, was launched successfully at Portsmouth, Eng., Friday. The weather was fine and the sea smooth, and a great crowd saw the vessel take the water. As the warship slipped from her blocks she was christened by the Countess of Bute. Counting the three cruising battleships of the invincible class, the St. Vincent is the eighth vessel of the Dreadnought type to be launched in the country. The Admiralty has obtained its usual reticence with regard to the details of the design and construction of the St. Vincent, but from certain figures that were given out it is manifest that the experience gained from the construction of the Dreadnought has been utilized in this vessel. It is believed that some of the additional weight of the St. Vincent is to be accounted for by heavier armament for protection against torpedoes, and by improvements giving greater security to those controlling the movements of the ship while in action. A number of foreign naval attaches attended the launching, on the invitation of the Admiralty. The St. Vincent was laid down in December of last year. She is supposed to be of about 19,250 tons; her cost has been given at \$9,500,000.

COMMITTED SUICIDE AT SEA.

A tragedy at sea was reported by the Captain of the Lunenburg fishing schooner Cyril, Captain Richards, which arrived here from the Banks yesterday morning. The vessel came in for supplies. She has been out for ten weeks on the Quere Banks, and succeeded in getting a hand-line fare of 1,100 quintals of cod. On July 7, Ronald Walfield, a member of the crew, ended his life. He started out in the morning with others in the boats, and when about two miles from the schooner, and about 100 yards from another dory, he, to the horror of his shipmates, grabbed hold of the small anchor and jumped into the sea.

The affair was so sudden that it shocked his mates, and before any effort at assistance could be made he went down. He did not rise, as the weight of the anchor kept him down. Walfield was 31 years of age, unmarried, and was a native of La Have. He had been despondent during the trip to the Banks, and had not been feeling very well, and had been advised him not to go out in the dory that morning, but he was determined to do so.

MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

Toronto, Sept. 9.—Mann Brothers, of Killaroe, have made a strike of silver on the east branch of the Montreal River that is the biggest thing struck in the Cobalt district. There is a vein of solid silver twenty-five feet long, and they shovelled out eight four sacks full of silver nuggets. Fifty thousand dollars' worth is in sight. They were offered \$300,000 for the claim as soon as recorded.

Why the Leaves Turn Red

(Toronto Globe.) Have you ever wondered why the leaves turn red, yellow, purple, and all the beautiful tints which delight the eyes in autumn? Jack Frost is generally credited with the genius that transforms the world, but a successful fruit farmer, having had seventy years' experience in watching the trees, says that the keen fellow Frost, has nothing to do with turning them simply grog beautiful as they are.

"See the sassafras tree," he said, "we were riding in his fruit wagon through a country rich in trees; 'we've had no frost yet and that tree has some limbs the leaves of which are turning crimson and purple, something the same colors that come on the cheek of some of our latest developments in the Crawford peach. The sassafras is a curious tree," he added, "has three or four sorts of leaves on it, and it does look pretty when they are ripening."

Just at that moment we drove up the tree which was the subject of his remarks, and a shower of ripened leaves dropped over us like a benediction.

"Then look at the red maple," he continued, pointing with the stock of his whip to another tree, "getting ripe in spots; see a red branch here and there, and there has been no frost. But the time of the year has come for things to ripen, and they'll do it even in this warm September, that feels more like August."

The maple does more than any other tree to paint with beauty our fall landscape; the ashes assume a purple tint in autumn; the poplars, elms, birches and willows attire themselves in the sun's own hues; the oak dons a golden brown, sometimes with a tint of crimson; but the maple, with few exceptions in her family, wears it in royal robes of scarlet and gold.

As there are legends in connection with most of the trees, so the maple is the subject of a very beautiful one. It has been told that when Joseph and Mary, with the infant Jesus, fled into Egypt, they rested under a sycamore tree. In the twelfth and thirteenth centuries, miracle plays were common in all the churches of Europe. One of the favorite scenes was the Flight into Egypt, for which, of course, they must have a sycamore tree. No trees of that name grew in these countries, and a certain variety of maple, whose leaves resembled those of the sycamore were chosen to take its place. The people began to call it by that name, and to this day it is known as the sycamore maple.

It is not generally known that a maple tree assumes the same color year after year, and over a long period. The colors may be deeper or paler, but the same colors prevail. One tree always has scarlet and gold tints, another has green and gold, another always dons an entire suit of red for the autumn carnival.

The latter is the red maple, and it begins to earn its name in April, in that it early spring month throwing out delicate red blossoms. Its young leaves come out red; and the full grown green leaves swing on bright scarlet stems. In autumn the tree is "The Scarlet Woman" of the forest.

The silver maple is the first tree of the wildwood to throw out spring blossoms; it takes its name from the fact that the under side of its leaves is a silvery whiteness, exceedingly delicate to look at when stirred by the passing breeze. It grows only in dry ground. In autumn its dress is pale yellow. Another member of the maple family which has no hint of red in its autumn dress is the ash-leaved maple, or box elder.

Although the maple in Canada is "our emblem dear," we have but nine members of the family in this country, while in China and Japan thirty members of the maple family are to be found, and the trees are said to constitute a third of the forests of those countries.

The sugar maple, which has been said to hold the same relation to North America that the breadfruit tree does to India and the milk tree to South America, dons in autumn a dress of mingled crimson and gold.

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H. T. Begg, Esq., manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John, N. S., says: "Last winter I contracted a severe cold, which settled on my chest, after two applications of EMPIRE LINIMENT. I was completely relieved. I can cheerfully recommend it to anyone with like trouble." May 21, 1907.

The Bookman's Inferno

Some one from Albany, N. Y., writes:—"I think that sometime ago you drew a distinction between 'education' and 'cultivation,' and said that there were some 'words' of language that serve to show when a person using them is merely educated and not really cultivated. Will you not kindly let me have a list of these words, or some of them?"

Nothing would please us more. We append a small list of a dozen or so as a nucleus, and shall add to it from time to time such words and phrases as occur to us—words and phrases which plainly show the user to be only half-baked and outside the pale and true enlightenment. When any of the words are slang, it is to be understood that they are condemned not as slang, but as being the wrong kind of slang. We shall venture to describe the collection as "THE BOOKMAN'S INFERNO."

"Along these lines." "Brainy." "Clubman." "Dandy." (as an adjective) "Exclusive." (as a social term) "Gentlemanly." "He (she, it) struck a new note." "In touch with" (except in a technical term in military or naval discourse.) "Phone" for "telephone," either as noun or verb.

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STORM AT DIGBY.

Digby, N. S., Sept. 17.—A strong northeast breeze prevails here tonight and it is very rough along the water front. Everything that was anchored at Digby has either been docked at the wharves or towed to a safe anchorage in the lee of Bear Island. The dredge Canada now lies in a safe position at the mouth of Bear River and her mud scows have been docked at the wharf.

Captain L. R. Kinney, master of the tug Edna R., which arrived here early this morning with salt and empty barrels, seeking lobster bait, reports that he had in tow the Norwegian bark, Medura, about 1,000 tons register, from Yarmouth for Annapolis in ballast to load lumber at that port for South America. Some time during last night the tug was unable to hold the vessel's head to the wind and the hawser was finally slipped. After standing by for a time the Edna R. proceeded to Digby.

With the strong northeast wind which prevails here tonight it is feared that the bark will drift many miles out to sea. She is said to have a good crew and is well provisioned.

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Buildings all new and in thorough repair, within five minutes walk of school, churches, etc. This place will be sold right to an immediate purchaser. For further particulars apply to

ARTHUR C. CHARLTON Bridgetown, Sept. 8th, 1908

Ask Me

If you want to buy or sell a farm or exchange for business or city property.

L. MOSER Estate Agent. Dept H. Halifax, N. S.

Estate Notice

All persons owing the estate of the late Dr. S. C. Primrose will kindly make immediate payment to the undersigned.

KATHARINE PRIMROSE Administratrix, Lawrencetown, Aug. 4th, 1908

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Why is not bee-keeping practised more extensively by our farmers? Instead of finding the row of beehives a regular adjunct of the farm equipment, as it should be, it is only rarely that we find the apiary in garden or orchard. Wherever found, however, the farmer is an enthusiastic bee-culturist. It is useless to call this feature a mere fad or hobby for in the lime-light of science the bee has been proven the link which unites the sex species of vegetation and is the great fertilising agent of fruit and flower.

In addition to this, honey is proven a most nutritious as well as palatable food. As an added inducement to adopting the culture of bees their product is marketable at a good price. The few bee-keepers we have in the vicinity of Bridgetown are getting 20 cents a pound for their honey. One bee-keeper last week took 85 pounds of honey from one hive and this is only the second year of his experience. Needless to say he is enthusiastic over the results.

The Canadian Bee Journal is an able instructor in this field, and we have extracted from its columns the following statement regarding the value of honey as a food:— Those in the bee-keeping ranks know that choice honey is one of the most palatable of foods that all of it can be digested leaving no residue, and that honey is erroneously looked upon as a luxury. They also know that a jar of honey, unlike fruit, may be opened, partially consumed and although unsealed (if kept in a warm and comparatively dry atmosphere), not spoil.

Science, however, has recently demonstrated many things of which the bee-keeper might well take note and use to advantage in popularizing honey. Scientific investigations and close observation has determined that the bee, with its strong instinct for cleanliness, puts the cleanest house-keeper to shame in the thoroughness with which it polishes and disinfects the comb cells; the receptacles for storing honey. It gathers the aromatic nectar distilled by the blossoms and, in all its purity, places it in the honey sack, and, after reaching the hive, it is placed in the comb cell, where bees, blowing a current of air warmed by the inmates of the hive, continuously over the open cells, evaporating it to the consistency of ripe honey and in its marvellous process making the various methods invented by syrup and sugar manufacturers appear crude and uncleanly.

But this is not all in this process of gathering, storing and moving from cell to cell; the nectar undergoes a marvellous and valuable change. The nectar is largely "inverted," thus saving the consumer of honey the digestive energy required in its preparation for assimilation. Many with weak stomachs know how expensive and valuable food preparations with pepsin are. The bee-keeper in his charge for honey has never yet taken this valuable feature into consideration, although, as far as is known, in this respect he has a monopoly in the carbohydrates.

Late investigations by Gershon Franklin White, Ph. D., expert in animal bacteriology, Department of Agriculture, Washington, still adds to the scientific evidence as to the value of honey as a food, and no doubt, if properly used by bee-keepers will tend still more to give it a prominent place on the table as a daily and regular article of food. In Bulletin Technical Series No. 14, Dr. White, after making careful bacteriological investigations "of many samples of honey" states of bacteria in a normal apiary "the number of species isolated is comparatively small."

It is not often that the people of wealth, moderate circumstances, and those comparatively poor, can for a moderate sum find a food which the chemist, the bacteriologist, the poet and the palate, pronounce upon so highly.—The Canadian Bee Journal.

CORRESPONDENCE

To the Editor of the Monitor:—

Of late we have seen many accounts published giving details of the barbarous actions perpetrated by some of the people who left Nova Scotia and other parts of Canada to go to the Harvest Fields in our North-West. Such conduct, if true, reflects the greatest discredit upon our country, and appeal for redress to any self respecting and manly Canadian. Can this be looked upon as evidence of the signs of the times, and is it a proof that we are fast falling into a state of low civilization, and that our beloved Canada is being filled with people who are no better than feds and brigands? It is very noticeable that this state of affairs does not only exist amongst those in the lower walks of life, but our society is permeated all through with conduct that surprises those who expect and look for better things.

What seems to become a form of amusement to them are nothing but acts of rowdism, destruction of property, and other disreputable conduct. Vile conduct has been carried to such an extent that even human lives have been endangered. This spirit of rowdism seems to be growing among all classes of people, and especially amongst the young, and exists throughout the whole American continent. We have had examples of this in our own town, amongst young men who are supposed to be amongst our superior classes, even college students, who have been invited to attend social functions given by ladies, commit actions being much on the same line as those who went to the Harvest Fields. Now the rowdies who left on the excursion do not rid the country of that class, every city and town is infested with them yet, and for the welfare of our country in the future and in consideration of those coming after us some drastic step should be taken. If such conduct cannot be checked amongst the older ones who should set an example to others, or your laws that exist for such purpose then we should resort to the ones that Governor Fraser called attention to the other day in his address at the celebration of the establishment of our Government, where people were punished by being put into stocks and branded with hot irons for crimes less serious than these.

By the accounts we read in our papers day by day of the unruly state of the people, we can but say that the above form of punishment is as much needed now as ever. As to people who will publicly commit such crimes, there is no punishment that can be too severe for them. There is no doubt it is the laxity of the law at the present time that is the cause of the increase in crimes. It seems that people are losing self respect. Their rowdism might be compared to their profanity in its vastness, they seem to go together, and the man who will participate in one will practice the other. We notice there are a number of these men who went on the Harvest excursion unable to get employment and that the farmers are doing their own work. Could anything else be expected, if what we have read is true, would a farmer employ and take such a class of men into his home? What is the best course to take to check this is hard to determine, but the schools and colleges should be looked to to accomplish something in this direction among the better class of youths.

Yours truly, GEORGE WRIGHT. Halifax, N. S., Sept. 12th, 1908.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Editor:— About six years ago a new Cast Iron Range was put on the market by the McClary Manufacturing Company, and a contest commenced for procuring a suitable name. Some 20,000 were suggested, but the one that appealed most to the judges was "Pandora."

The same year an extensive advertising campaign was put on, and has been kept up ever since, by which this name and the Range have become nationally known. Pandora is now a synonym for Merit.

If there could be any doubt in any person's mind as to the value of newspaper advertising, in Canada, the success of the Pandora Range, and the widespread acquaintanceship with the name Pandora, is the best proof that advertising does bring the people in closer touch with exploited goods.

"Pandora" sales record is unequalled anywhere. Yours truly, THE MCCLARY MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

It is true that we don't get all we want in this world, but it's also true that we escape a lot of things that we don't want.

MINARD'S LINIMENT LUMBERMAN'S FRIEND.

The World's Debt to Poverty

(By Graham Hood.)

Although it is generally a most uncomfortable feeling to be poor it cannot be denied that the world owes more to poverty than to any other single factor in its development. Prepare a list of the world's greatest men and you will find that nine out of ten of them began life as poor boys. Then prepare another list embracing the world's great achievements and you will discover that the majority of these great deeds were performed by men who knew something about the pangs of poverty. Strange as this fact may seem at first thought there is really nothing very remarkable about it when you come to view the situation closely, for there is actually no greater hindrance to personal development than the possession of riches.

It is a well established fact that men are so constituted that they are unable to do their best work except under forced pressure. There are exceptions to this rule, of course, just as there are exceptions to every rule, but it is only too true that the average man finds it extremely difficult to withstand the enervating effect of prosperity. The quickest way to check the growth of any genius is to endow its possessor with a competence. Place the ordinary man above the possibility of want and you remove the greatest source of inspiration from his life.

The great men of history—those who have performed the world's great deeds—owe their success largely to the fact that they were poor and did not want to remain in poverty. They were poor through force of circumstances. In many instances their ancestors bequeathed them nothing but poverty and a good constitution. Within them, somewhere, there was something that made poverty seem distasteful to them, so they promptly proceeded to bend their energies toward that one purpose—success. As a perfectly natural result they began to progress in the direction of the goal to which they had aspired.

There are a great many things in this world that are worth having, but in the majority of cases men have got to work for them before they can have them, and there is nothing that is more inspiring to personal effort than the desire to have things that other people possess. The ambition to live in a pleasant home, to educate one's children properly, are incentives to which many a man owes his prosperity. They are the things which have made him "try," and as success depends largely upon the manner in which one tries to succeed it is not difficult to understand why it is poverty instead of riches that is responsible for the world's great progress during the last few centuries.—The Globe and Commercial Advertiser.

MARRIED

LONGLEY-BAIRD—At the Baptist Church, Paradise, on Saturday, 12th, by the Rev. Doctor Goodspeed, uncle of the bride, William Harding Longley, M. A., to Hazel Fowler Baird, eldest daughter of James E. Baird, Esq., of Oxford, Cumberland County, N. S.

A GREAT BLESSING.

One of the greatest blessings I and my family have to thank God for is Reed's Earth Cure. We prize it as we do our daily food. We use it for all our ailments. Since I discovered this great remedy, we consider it as good as all others combined. If I can believe what some tell me, who use it, they, too, believe as I do. If any of my readers doubt my sincerity write me and I will send you my circular. I will also mail you a trial 14 oz. box of E. C. for 20c. and if you cannot say it has been worth ten times twenty cents to you I will refund the money.

N. H. REED, H. D. Shelburne, N. S.

OFFERS \$500 FOR BEST SCHEME TO ADVERTISE ITS MERITS.

What is the best way to advertise a city? This is a question that the Springfield Board of Trade is anxious to solve, and a cash prize of \$500 has been offered for a plan that promises to bring the quickest and most satisfactory results. Recently the Board of Trade decided upon a campaign of advertising, but as to what method to adopt to obtain the greatest amount of publicity in the most favorable manner the members of the Publicity Committee could not agree.

Finally it was decided to offer the cash prize for an original advertising plan that will set forth, in a concise and forcible way, the desirable features of Springfield as a city of homes and a favorable location for manufacturing.

Royal Theatre ANNOUNCEMENT

Prize Competition

On Sat. evening Sept. 26th we will give \$1.00 worth of Sugar for the best Song, Stump Speech or any entertainment, also 12 lb tea as second prize. This competition is open to all. Any one intending to compete will please leave his or her name at the ticket office before Friday 25th 9 p. m.

Weak Eyes

No need to suffer with your Eyes from bad Glasses, or have your children. A great many Eyes have been ruined in this way. Have them attended to by a man who makes a specialty of this work and nothing else. It will cost you no more. (Do you know that?) Consultation and examination free. St. James Hotel, Bridgetown, every Thursday. Jones' Hotel, Bear River, every Friday. Main Office, Annapolis. HENRY KIRWIN, Oculist Optician.

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 30th October, 1908, for the conveyance of his Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years six times per week each way, between ANNAPOLIS ROYAL and GRANVILLE FERRY, from the 1st January next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tenders may be obtained at the Post Office of Annapolis Royal and Granville Ferry and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Halifax.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent. POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, Mail Contract Branch, Ottawa, 12th Sept., 1908.

FURNESS, WITBY & CO., LTD.

STEAMSHIP LINERS.

London, Halifax and St. John, N.B. From London. From Halifax. Rappahannock, Sept. 11. Kanawha, Sept. 19. Shenandoah, Sept. 28. Sept. 12—St. John City, Oct. 3. Almeriana, Oct. 13. Sept. 29—Rappahannock, Oct. 23. Oct. 7—(Via St. John's, Nfld.) Kanawha, Oct. 20. Oct. 17—Shenandoah, Nov. 6. Liverpool, St. John's, Nfld., and Halifax. From Liverpool. From Halifax. Florence, Sept. 12. Uluda, Sept. 22. Sept. 12—Evangeline, Oct. 3. Sept. 26—London City, Oct. 13. Oct. 6—(To Halifax, Halifax City, direct) Oct. 23. Oct. 10—(Via St. John's, Nfld.) Uluda, Nov. 3. TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT. Halifax City, Sept. 18. St. John City, Oct. 8. S. S. "Kanawha," "Shenandoah," and "Rappahannock" have accommodation for a limited number of saloon passengers. S. S. "Uluda" has excellent first-class passenger accommodation. FURNESS, WITBY & CO., LTD., Agents, Halifax, N. S.

Watch Bargains

A large stock of reliable Watches at remarkably low prices. We know the market, and buy right and sell right.

Optical Parlor

My Optical Rooms are equipped with the most modern mechanical appliances known to the profession for the testing of your eyes. A nice line of Eyeglasses, Spectacles, Lenses, etc., always on hand.

Photography

High Grade Photos in the latest finish and mountings as good as you get anywhere and very moderate prices.

P. R. SAUNDERS, CLOTHING STORE

A LINEN SHIRT, COLLAR OR CUFF

to be properly laundered, doesn't need a celluloid looking finish. It isn't good style. The maker of the goods never put it on either. A pure natural color, a smooth even finish, and perfect shaping is the name of good laundering. UNGAR'S LAUNDRY & DYE WORKS do it the latter way. Have yours done properly.

J. E. LLOYD AGENT

Bridgetown, N. S.

H. H. Whitman AGENT

Lawrencetown, N. S.

WE SHALL BE READY TO RECEIVE YOUR Cyder Apples

on October 1st. IN LARGE OR SMALL QUANTITIES.

We will also make your cyder and refine it for you. It will then retain its sweetness.

Annapolis Valley Cyder Co., Ltd. BRIDGETOWN, N. S.

WE WANT GENT'S FURNISHINGS

the country to know we keep on hand a very superior class of

Boys suits made of the best material. Our stock is continually being renewed.

PRICES RIGHT. Examine for yourself and be convinced.

HAYWARD CLOTHING STORE

Advertise in the Monitor

New Fall and Winter Goods. Arriving Daily and our stock in all lines will soon be complete. We are again handling butter in rolls. Butter 22c lb Eggs 22c doz, Wool 20c lb. STRONG AND WHITMAN

A Flannelette Sale!

Every one is familiar and knows about our SATURDAY SPECIAL SALES, as the crowds on that day purchasing here testify to the advantage of trading at the store where a dollar has one hundred cents purchasing power and a little money goes a long way. Now this Saturday we have a great surprise in store for you. We propose putting on sale

A Large Quantity of Flannelette at the following unexpected prices. Striped Flannelette at 7c. 8c. and 10c. per yard; White or Pink plain colors per yard 10c. and 12c; Grey per yard 8 1-2c and 12c.

23c cash for good Print Butter.

Table with 2 columns: GROCERIES and GROCERIES. Lists various items like Soda, Cream Tartar, Pepper, etc. with prices.

W. W. CHESLEY

WALL PAPERS

I have on hand an immense stock of Wall Papers that must be closed out to make room for new goods.

Give me a call or write me and I will sell you Wall Papers in pretty designs, cheaper than you can buy anywhere else in Canada.

F. B. BISHOP

LAWRENCETOWN, N. S.

**LOCAL AND SPECIAL.**

**IF YOUR SUBSCRIPTION HAS EXPIRED**

You will confer a favor by renewing promptly, hereby securing the reduced rate for subscriptions paid in advance.

The Horse Races at Middleton on Friday next, the 25th, are called off as the classes did not fill.

An exceptionally fine crop of Gravastine is going forward to the English and American markets. The price is very low, \$1.25 being the price offered by the shippers.

The D. A. R. now has a Sunday train, the Bluebonnet being put on to accommodate the boat passengers arriving at Yarmouth on Sunday. This is the first regular Sunday train to be put on the D. A. R. route.

The marriage is announced to take place on September 30th, at "East Lawn," the residence of Mr. D. G. Harlow, of Miss Lottie Estelle Harlow, of North Brookfield, Queens Co., and Mr. Henry Mitchell Smith, of New Glasgow, N. S.

Another interesting article on old-time manners and customs is published in this issue under the title of "Cheese Making as a Home Industry in the Olden Times," by Mr. Benj. Starratt, which many of our readers will peruse with interest.

The marriage will take place at Government House, on October 15th, of Annie, eldest daughter of His Honor Lieutenant Governor Fraser and Mrs. Fraser, and Rev. William G. Wilson, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Guelph, Ontario.

The marriage of Miss Alma Spurr, daughter of William Spurr, of Clarence, to Mr. F. G. Cochran, of Nashua, N. H., is announced to take place on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., in that city. They are expected to make a bridal trip to Nova Scotia, where they will visit the bride's parents.

Delightful autumn weather has marked September up to this date. A part of the province was visited by a storm of wind and rain on the eighteenth, but not being general we still look for our equinoctial. The drought is now becoming serious and a good rain would be welcomed.

Prof. Carruthers' recital of sketches from the Bonnie Brier Bush, though not as well attended as might have been expected, gave great pleasure to the audience assembled. In his personation of the characters from the book Prof. Carruthers was a life-like impersonator, his familiarity with the class represented enabling him to give an accurate characterization.

As customary for several years past, next Sunday (being the last in September) will be observed by Harvest Festival services in St. James' Church, Bridgetown, and St. Mary's Church, Belleisle. The hours of services in Bridgetown will be 9 a. m. (Holy Communion), 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. The choir will be assisted by Miss Lida Munro, who will also sing a solo. The service in Belleisle will be at 3 p. m.

The selection of October 19th as the date of nomination for general elections will involve a change in the date of Thanksgiving Day, which the government had intended to proclaim for that date. It is now probable that Thanksgiving Day will be postponed until Monday, November 9th. The only other date as promised, would be October 14th, which is thought to be too early, and November 2nd, which is All Saints Day, and, therefore, unsuitable.

The Liberal meeting at Bridgetown on the 15th inst. drew a large crowd, the attraction no doubt being the opportunity of hearing Hon. W. S. Fielding, the minister of finance, and liberal candidate for Shelburne-Queens. He was accompanied by Hon. Charles Marcell, of Quebec. Previous to the public meeting which was addressed by these speakers, a convention of delegates was held which resulted in the unanimous choice of S. W. W. Pickup to again represent the county in the Liberal interests.

Mr. T. Dwight Ruggles, who graduated this year from the University of New Brunswick in the civil engineering course, has lately been appointed head draughtsman for the Hudson Bay Survey Co., at Fort Churchill, with a salary of one thousand dollars a year and expenses. Mr. Ruggles is a son of Mrs. J. C. Phipps, of Paradise, and a grandson of the late T. D. Ruggles, of Bridgetown. While at the University he led his class in draughting, compass work, and geographical survey. The Monitor unites with his many friends in congratulations on the promising career which is opening for the young man and best wishes for his success.

**LOCAL AND SPECIAL.**

Election day is fixed for October 26th; nomination day, 19th.

Steamer Prince Arthur was withdrawn from the Boston-Yarmouth route on Wednesday. The service is being performed by the Prince George and Boston.

Mr. B. M. Williams, who lately sold out his stock to Moses and Young, has not become a member of the latter firm, but is working with them for an indefinite period.

Camp Allerehot closed on Saturday after a successful 12 days' drill. The camp this year was a good one, and very orderly. The town and surrounding country has had the benefit of the excellent bands in camp this year, and the music has been much appreciated.—Advertiser.

The apple evaporating business having not met the expectations of its promoters, Graham & Co., of Ontario, last year, we learn that it is unlikely the factory will be open this year. We trust that our citizens will not allow an enterprise so well adapted to our locality to fall for want of interest and support.

Grave anxiety is felt for Mr. John E. Sancton, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of our town, who suffered a paralytic stroke last week, shortly after his return from a trip to St. John. This is the second attack of this nature which Mr. Sancton has suffered. His daughters, Mrs. Leslie, of Bangor, Maine, and Mrs. French, of Boston, were summoned and are now with their father. Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. Sancton and the family.

The young daughter of Mr. John Hill was severely burned at her home on Friday morning having accidentally set fire to her clothing with matches. Mrs. Hill heard her cries of distress and ran up stairs to her aid. When the mother reached the girl, her clothing was all ablaze, the flames mounting above her head. In smothering the flames Mrs. Hill's own clothing caught fire also. The young girl's injuries were very serious and it was not thought at first that she could recover. Under the attendance of Dr. deBlois the burnings are healing and recovery now seems probable.

The M. W. Graves Vinegar Company have bought from the Electric Light Company the large engine, 45 horse power, and boiler, 60 horse power, used by the Light Company before the installation of their power house at Walkers Brook. These will be used in the new factory they are building for the purpose of manufacturing jelly. They have obtained a complete equipment for this purpose and have an experienced man who is thoroughly familiar with the work of one of the largest plants in the United States, Mr. Reynolds of Boston, assisting them in arranging their plant. The manufacture of vinegar and cider will also be continued by this enterprising firm.

**KINGS COUNTY TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE.**

A meeting of the Alliance was held in Bowles' Hall at Waterville, on Friday last, with a large attendance. President Newcombe occupied the chair, and prayer was offered by Chaplain McQueen. The president made a few opening remarks and called upon Chaplain McQueen, of the Argyle Highlanders, then at Aldershot, who gave a splendid short address. He said, speaking for the people of Cape Breton, that all eyes were upon Kings County and the noble work that is being done here. Kings was taking the initiative, which meant ere long that other counties would follow.

Several new members were enrolled and then Dr. J. W. Brown, of Gasperau, presented the report of platform committee. The report was read and fully discussed, clause by clause, strong addresses on the same being made by Revs. F. H. Beals, J. W. Brown, Ph. D., J. D. Spidell, Messrs. Fisher, Dr. P. C. Woodworth, and several others.

**ANOTHER CHELSEA FIRE.**

Chelsea, Mass., Sept. 21.—The smelter of this morning's big fire in this city, near Everett line, had cooled sufficiently tonight to enable a more careful estimate of the loss to be made, and it was evident that nearly \$400,000 will be added to the year's first fire list, and that the taxable property of the city has been still further reduced, and that the remaining residential section of the city narrowly escaped the fate which swept over so many homes last spring. The fire started shortly before eight this morning in the box factory, and while its early progress was slow enough to enable the five hundred persons in the building to escape easily, it was well underway by the time the local department arrived on scene.

**PERSONAL.**

Mr. George Porter is about again, after a severe illness.

Miss Ethel Munroe, of Middleton, was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacobson are spending a few weeks in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Weare leave today on a visit to relatives in Boston.

Rev. J. B. Giles was taken ill last week and is still confined to his room.

Miss Lena Hicks, of Clementsport, is the guest of her uncle, J. Harry Hicks.

Mrs. W. A. Kinney goes to Boston today to spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. Barnet Jacobson, child, and sister left today for St. John to visit friends.

Mrs. A. J. Weir, who has been seriously ill for the past six weeks, is convalescing.

Ellison Grimm, of Presque Isle, Maine, has been visiting his brother, Stanley A. Grimm.

Fred Grimm and Miss Oda Grimm, of Springfield, spent last week with their brother, Stanley Grimm.

Mr. Vroom Hoyt, of the staff of the Union Bank of Halifax, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Alfred Hoyt.

Miss Mary M. Rimey, of Paradise, left on Thursday for Boston to visit her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) A. H. Thomason.

Lafie E. Mason, of Lynn, has been spending the past week with her cousin, Mrs. J. O. Durling, West Ingleville.

Mr. Simpson, of Springhill, is filling the post vacated by the resignation of Fred Kinney from the staff of the Union Bank.

Miss Emma E. Daniels, of Paradise, has returned home after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Messenger, Centrales.

Mr. William Spurr left for Nashua, N. H., on Saturday last, where he will attend the marriage of his daughter, Miss Alma Spurr.

Mrs. H. Ruggles and Mrs. William Taylor will go to Halifax today, the latest reports of Miss Bertha Taylor's health being less favorable.

Mrs. John E. Mason, of Lynn, formerly Miss Daniels, of Paradise, who has been visiting her cousins, Albert Daniels, and other relatives, has returned home.

Mrs. Avard Longley, of Wolfville, is making her annual visit to her son Howard W. Longley, Paradise, Misses Ida and Annie Freeman, of Texas, are also guests of H. W. Longley.

H. Kirwin, the well known optician who, with his wife and child, has spent the past year at the St. James Hotel, has taken up his residence in Annapolis. He will visit Bridgetown each Thursday.

Mrs. A. N. MacLean, of Mt. Vernon N. Y., and Mrs. William Adam, of Melrose, Mass., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Edward Poole. They have spent a portion of the summer in Halifax and Wolfville and will visit Yarmouth en route for their respective homes, leaving here on Saturday next.

**NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.**

**FOR SALE.**

One yoke of oxen five years old. Also two good cows.

HARRY ABBOTT.

**WOOD! WOOD!**

Tenders for fifty cords of hard wood of good quality to be delivered as directed on the school grounds on or before Nov. 1st next, will be received by the undersigned up to noon October 31st, next.

F. L. MILNER, Clerk of School Board.

**NOTICE.**

Members of the Bridgetown Rifle Association will meet on the Rifa Range at 1 o'clock Saturday, Sept. 26, to compete for the following Cups:— The Professional Cup: seven shots and a sighting shot at each range at ranges of 200, 500, and 600 yards. The Daniel's Cup: ten shots and a sighting shot at each range at ranges of 500 and 800 yards. Competition to begin at 1 o'clock sharp. Competitors will furnish their ammunition and pay the markers.

J. I. FOSTER, Secretary.

**NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.**

J. W. Beckwith is paying the highest prices for butter and eggs.

One new light riding wagon for sale. Apply to ARCH KINNEY.

**HAY FOR SALE.** The subscriber has for sale a few tons of prime meadow hay.

**FOR SALE—Cook Stove,** nearly new, at a bargain. Apply to MRS. H. R. MOODY.

**FOR SALE—A cheap grade of printer's ink for grinding fruit trees at MONITOR OFFICE.**

The Ladies' Northway Coats for sale at J. W. Beckwith's are perfect in fit, perfect in finish, and distinguished in appearance.

**SALESMAN—Whole or part time;** liberal terms; outfit free. We have something new to offer. Write at once. Established 1857. 500 acres in nursery stock.—The Thomas W. Bowman & Son Co., Limited, Ridgeway, Ont.

**MONEY WANTED.** A sum of money, \$1,000 or over, on good real estate security. Apply by letter to C. P. M. Care of Monitor.

**FOR SALE—One pair cattle,** three years old. Splendid workers.—W. A. HILLS, Bridgetown.

**FOR SALE—A 5 1/2 year old mare,** nicely broken. A very nice driver. Apply to PERCY BURNS.

**WANTED—Any quantity of yellow eyed beans,** from \$2.50 to \$3.00 per bushel, according to quality.—C. L. Piggott.

**BUILDING LOTS for sale at Hampden.** Apply to J. E. FARNSWORTH, MARK CURRY, or J. W. BECKWITH.

**FOR SALE.** Or exchange, for one of the same breed, one fine Yorkshire Boar, four months old.

**TO LET—Furnished house,** Grandville Street East.—G. B. TIBERT.

**FOR SALE OR RENT.** A modern house of eight rooms and bath. Heated by furnace.

Apply to M. K. PIPER.

Try our White Coat Flour at \$5.50 per barrel.—J. I. Foster.

You will find a large stock of Gem Jars and the new Automatic Sealers at the Central Grocery.—J. E. Lloyd.

Bridgetown Factory Cheeses is giving splendid satisfaction. Encourage the industry by sending a greater supply of milk.—J. E. Lloyd.

Let us re-cover and repair your old pieces of furniture before the roads get bad. Goods called for and delivered free of charge.—J. H. Hicks & Sons.

**FOR SALE OR RENT.** Large commodious house and lot at Paradise Corner. All necessary outbuildings, small orchard, and good well of water at door. For particulars apply to HERBERT GILLIS.

**FOR SALE.—One Victor Gramophone,** new, No. 3. Outfit cost \$57.00; one gentleman's riding outfit, \$25; six saddle, spurs, two bridles, saddle and camp bags; cost \$53.00; nearly new; also one gentleman's riding saddle, Kentucky style, good condition. Will sell above articles at sacrifice prices on easy terms or exchange for typewriter.—C. S. CHELSEY, Upper Grandville, N. S.

**Business Change.**

Having purchased the entire stock in trade of Captain John Anthony Port Lorne, the undersigned wish to inform the public that business will be carried on at the old stand under the head of Anthony & Cropley. Your patronage solicited.

Y. ANTHONY, C. W. CROPLEY, Port Lorne, Aug. 27th, 1908.

**Notice.** The firm of Williams and Tibert of this town having sold and transferred their meat and provision business to Moses & Young have dissolved.

The books and accounts of the late firm have been placed in the hands of O. S. Miller, who is hereby authorized to collect at once all bills.

Dated at Bridgetown this 13th day of September, A. D. 1908.

B. M. WILLIAMS, G. B. TIBERT.

**NOTICE.** Having sold out my general store business to Young Anthony and Charles Cropley, who will continue to carry on the same at the old stand, I wish to inform the public that all outstanding accounts must be paid as soon as possible, and request that all bills against me will be rendered at once. Thanking the general public for their patronage for the last 36 years I have been in business, and wishing for their further patronage to my successors, I remain,

JOHN ANTHONY, Port Lorne, Sept. 8th, 1908.

**THE BRIDGETOWN IMPORTING HOUSE.**

We have much pleasure in extending an invitation to all our friends and customers to inspect our new and complete stock of fall and winter goods now open and ready.

You will find us in a position to meet your every requirement, as we have a complete showing of all called for lines requisite for the fall trade.

**J. W. BECKWITH**

**Iron Beds Springs and Mattresses.**

We have styles and prices in the above that will interest you.

**J. H. HICKS AND SONS**

QUEEN STREET BRIDGETOWN.

**Farm for Sale**

I offer for sale the farm of F. O. Foster, situated at Carleton's Corner, just as it stands, crop and all good terms. Apply to subscriber.

GEORGE W. FOSTER, Granville, Aug. 11th. 2mos.

**TENDERS.**

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and including Saturday, September 26th, for the purchase of the Baptist Church parsonage and grounds at Paradise.

Terms upon which purchase may be effected may be learned on application to the undersigned.

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender. Signed on behalf of the building committee and trustees, EDWIN J. ELLIOTT, Chairman. FRED W. BISHOP, Secretary.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.**

**Stoves 1908' Stoves**



The Queen still leads. We have it! Also Hall Stoves in all the latest patterns; parlor and heating stoves for coal or wood at lowest prices.

Kitchen Cooks and Ranges.

Hot Air Furnace Heating and Plumbing a specialty.

**R. Allen Crowe**

Bridgetown Clothing Store.

SEPTEMBER DISCOUNTS



Take advantage of our SPECIAL PRICES to fit your boys out for winter. We have everything they want.

Suits, Overcoats, Reefers and odd knee pants, all at special September discounts.

For the men we can supply all needs in Suits, Fall Overcoats, Winter Overcoats and Pants, with a full line of furnishings to equip the wardrobe. A call will convince you.

J. Harry Hicks, QUEEN ST.

MEN'S COARSE BOOTS

OUR FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF MENS' BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS IS ABOUT COMPLETE. You should have a pair. Our Boot Dressing is still selling at mark down Prices. Don't forget to ask for a Picture Ticket.

KINNEYS' SHOE STORE

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One Thousand Dollars

IN PRIZES Open to every child attending any School in Annapolis County.

Conditions:- That you purchase your school books and supplies at our store, thus getting the printed rules for competition. This is no catchy advertisement, but a genuine, honest, straight competition, open to school children only. Remember the conditions--your school books and supplies must be purchased at our store.

Atlee's Drug and Stationery Store. Annapolis Royal

House Pumps

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Pumps installed anywhere. PRICES RIGHT

ALSO Pipes and Pipe Fittings, Pump Fittings always in stock

Bridgetown Foundry Co., Ltd.

Choice Wedding Gifts

You'll find at our store many things in Sterling Silver, Platedware, Cut Glass, etc which we have just opened for the coming Wedding Season. We invite you to come and inspect our stock. Prices always the lowest, quality the best.

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SUMMER MILLINERY

All Lines of Summer Millinery selling at Liberal Discount for Cash at

MISS ANNIE CHUTE'S

Stores at Bridgetown and Annapolis Royal.



This is the flour we good cooks know Will make the Bread that's white as snow It's just as good for Pies and Cake And all my skill as Chef I'll stake On Beaver Flour's reputation; 'The popular flour of the nation.'

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Passengers driven to and from trains within the town limits, 25c.

Hauling baggage and light trucking will receive prompt attention.

Teams to let by the day or hour.

SPECIAL OFFER.--We will wash and oil your wagon, clean your harness and groom your horse, all for the small sum of 75 cents.



It takes more than modern machinery to produce good flour. It is the care used in selecting the wheat before it is ground and the searching tests of expert chemists afterwards that give

Royal Household Flour

its nutritious qualities, its purity and its uniform goodness. In its preparation no process tending to improve its quality is omitted or slighted. Tell your grocer that you want Royal Household because the Makers guarantee it. Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd. Montreal.

Victor Talking Machines.

We are agents for these fine Machines and also "Victor" records. Needles and accessories always in stock. We keep a Victor Machine and supply of records on hand and will be glad to demonstrate at any time. Come in, see and hear.

ROYAL PHARMACY

W. A. WARREN, Pharm. B., Chemist, Optician and Stationer.

ISAAC C. WHITMAN

Having accepted the position of salesman for Frost and Wood & Co., in place of Harry Miller, resigned, is prepared to wait upon customers for any line of Agricultural Goods and Implements, and also repairing. A full stock of parts for repairing may be found at Gordon Goldsmith's Blacksmith's shop.

Also handling the Sharpless Separator. Will call upon customers shortly. Postoffice address, Round Hill, Telephone number 75. April 10th, 1908.

VOGUE POINTS.

Useful Waist of Darned Net--Paquin Skirt Not a Success. No woman's wardrobe is complete nowadays unless it contains an assortment of waists. The introduction of shadow work was a boon to women, as it was a decorat' on that went so rapidly and did not require much skill to accomplish. Now there is a new kind of work in the field--an old kind revived--darned net, and it might well rival the popular shadow embroidery.

Word comes from Paris that the Paquin tight clinging skirt has not been received enthusiastically--in fact, the Parisienne has totally neglected it. A French dressmaker says she saw it only once, and then on an actress. Still tailor makes are going to be very popular this summer, and in the natural color they are charming and adapt themselves to such a variety of

SNAPSHOTS OF THE MODE.

An Attractive Trimming Easily Made by the Amateur Dressmaker.

One of the prettiest trimmings for a Juniper can be fashioned from medallions of lace, nainsook or other embroidery, each edged with a tiny frill of valenciennes lace. They are then arranged as a band to trim the top of the jumper and the sleeves. The dainty nainsook embroidered medallions are particularly attractive and trim colored lawns and organdies most successfully.

Extremely smart and practical tailored suits may be bought in the large



REMOVABLE WAIST--4012. A pattern of this one piece skirt waist may be had in six sizes--from 22 to 42 inches bust measure. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number 4012, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail.

A JUMPER DRESS--4003. A pattern of this one piece jumper dress is cut in four sizes--for girls from six to twelve years of age. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number 4003, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail.

changes in the costume, particularly in hats. But the most stunning chapeau to wear with the suit is an all black affair on the picture order; if one can wear a hat of this variety.

A jumper dress such as the one illustrated is very desirable for everyday wear. It may be fashioned in any of the pretty summer stuffs, and worn with a gulpepe it is most attractive.

FRIBBLES OF FASHION.

Boleto of White Soutache Braid. Something New in Matpina.

A beautiful white boleto for a young girl is made of soutache braid plaited and woven into a fabric. It is lined with a soft white silk and is finished around the edge with wide braid. The sleeves are shaped like bretelles. The same idea may be carried out in a three-quarter coat made with four panels, each of woven braid. With such a coat the summer girl, be she young or old, may look with indifference upon the new lace jackets of her friends.

New hatpins are shown that fasten to the hair with small spikes, and from there they run with double prongs through the hair. These novel-



PLAIN SKIRT MODEL--4037. A pattern of this seven gored skirt is to be had in six sizes--from 22 to 28 inches waist measure. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number 4037, and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail.

stripes of different widths. Pretty little evening dresses for summer can be made of the novelty swisses, showing crossover effects, dots and stripes.

There is a demand for the separate coat, this on account of the many silk jumper dresses worn. It seems strange to think of the cutaway coat as a separate jacket, but this is the smartest shape. It is really tremendously becoming worn over an odd skirt.

The apron seen in the cut protects the small girl's dress and at the same time is pretty in itself. If a smart plaid or checked gingham is selected and worn over a frock of plain material it has the appearance of being part of the dress.

WHAT IS WORN.

Color Combinations. The latest fashion decrees, sleeves and bodice in one, is very trying to any but a sylphlike figure. The bell shaped circular skirts also are intended only for wasplike forms.

The combination of yellow, tan or cream color, with all shades of brown, is even more popular this year than it was last. It is a particularly good combination for the everyday hat, as it can be worn with any kind of suit.

The cotton batistes are charming and show many beautiful colorings in

Manufacturers' Association

Montreal, Sept. 15.--The thirty-seventh annual convention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, which opened here today, is largely attended by representative manufacturers from all over the Dominion.

The chief feature of today's proceedings was the address of the president, Hon. J. D. Rolland, of Montreal, who made a strong declaration against the exportation of pulp wood and demanded that more protection should be accorded the woollen industry. A large number of reports were presented at today's session.

The reports showed an increase in membership and increase in influence. It was announced that there would be a campaign to secure additional membership. It was also suggested that there should be means taken to secure the members in the small towns and to post them in the work being done, and out of this suggestion there is the likelihood that either the secretary will endeavor to reach them, or else the position of a travelling secretary will be created.

The subject of technical education was touched upon in the reports. These are anticipatory because a special report on that matter is to be presented later. Mr. Rolland had stress upon the importance of the subject and offered some suggestions as to the best methods of increasing interest in this matter.

Another matter which interested the meeting was that the executive council should vary its place of meeting. The tariff question will be discussed at tomorrow's session.

BAD WINTER FOR LABOR.

Montreal, September 15.--Hon. J. D. Rolland, the retiring president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, in his address at the annual meeting today, touched upon recent trade depression and its effect upon the manufacturer and the working man, pointing out lessons which had been learned from it. The manufacturer had been impressed with the fact that his very existence depends upon the thorough organization of all his departments. To the Canadian artisan it has shown that the most valuable market can have for his labor is the home market. It has led him to appreciate how closely his own interests are wrapped up in those of the manufacturer.

Mr. Rolland did not dwell at great length on the tariff but called attention to the deplorable condition of the woollen industry, which has been steadily declining, notwithstanding the large increase in population, and stated that unless a helping hand is stretched forth from some quarter to stay in its downward career, the Canadian woollen industry, which ought to be indigenous to the country, is doomed to speedy extinction.

In reviewing the labor situation, Mr. Rolland said it seems more than likely that we will shortly witness a repetition of the unfortunate condition of affairs which prevailed in our larger centres of population last winter. Mining operations have happily been active, but lumbering will be dull, and there has as yet been no indication of a desire on the part of manufacturers to anticipate orders.

It seems safe to predict that the coming winter will be a hard one for the workman.

Don't be afraid to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to your children. It contains no opium or other harmful drug. It always cures. For sale by E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, A. AND BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

WHEAT IS COMING OUT.

The western wheat is coming out, and according to reports received by Mr. C. B. Watts, Secretary of the Millers' Association, the crop promises to be all that has been forecasted in regard to it as to quality.

Mr. Watts has been informed that at Winnipeg in two days ending Sunday night no less than 893 carloads of wheat had been inspected. This number is far in advance of that which had been handled this time last year, and, as a matter of fact, is somewhat of a record.

Not only as to the quantity inspected, but as to the quality of the wheat the reports are literally golden.

Of the 893 carloads no less a quantity than 45 per cent. was ranked as being No. 1, while 83 per cent. was passed as being up to the contract grade. Contract grade is but little below No. 1, and the report, therefore, as to the first shipment has a particular significance. From now on it is expected that the wheat will pour out of the west providing that the transportation facilities are as good as they have been asserted to be by railway officials. The railway authorities in Toronto are confident that, in spite of the strike on the C. P. R., the various roads are adequately prepared to handle the golden flood of the west without delay.

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Shot His Brother in Mistake for Moose

Fredericton, Sept. 15.--Shot by his brother in mistake for a moose while out hunting together last evening Benjamin Smith, of Beaver Dam, New Maryland, 14 miles from this city, is now lying at his home at the point of death with a bullet hole through his body.

The terrible accident happened in the woods six miles from his home and the unfortunate man was obliged to travel all alone on the ground for an hour and a half, while his brother made his way out to get help and telephone for a doctor. Surgeon Bidges was called and immediately went to the scene of the accident. He found that the bullet had missed the kidneys and the spinal column and as far as they could tell it had not penetrated the bowels. At the same time the wound is a very dangerous one and his recovery is considered doubtful. Smith is twenty-seven years of age and has a wife and one child, Edward, who did the shooting, is about two years his senior.

ECZEMA AGAIN OVERCOME

ZAM-BUK CURES A CASE WHICH FOR TWO YEARS HAD DEFIED EVERY REMEDY TRIED.

A FARMER'S GRATEFUL TESTIMONY.

No case of eczema, skin disease, or ulceration, should be despised of until Zam-Buk has been applied. The case of Mr. Francis Renoit, of St. Anne's (Man.), is a powerful illustration of Zam-Buk's efficacy. He says: "I suffered from eczema for two years, and tried a great number of remedies. None of them, however, seemed to do me any good.

The ailment was mostly in my legs, and both these were actually raw from the knees down. A small sample box of Zam-Buk was given to me, and even so small a quantity as that did me a little good. I then obtained a proper supply, and by the time I had used a few boxes I was completely cured."

Zam-Buk differs from ordinary salves and embrocations in containing no animal oil or fat. It is compounded from rich, healing, herbar essences, and is an ideal natural combination of power and purity. It is highly antiseptic, and instantly kills bacilli and disease germs, which setting into wounds and skin diseases set up festering, blood poison, etc.

For cuts, burns, bruises, ulcers, abscesses, pimples, boils, skin eruptions, scalds, spreading sores, children's skin troubles, chafing sores, etc., Zam-Buk is unequalled. It also cures piles. All druggists and stores at 50c. a box, or from Zam-Buk, Toronto, for price, 3 boxes for \$2.50.

Touches the Heart

Sad Story of a Mother of Four Children laid low with Consumption

What are Canadians doing to Combat this Disease?

We are shocked at the tragedies that the newspapers record almost daily, through railway accidents, explosions, falling buildings, and other causes. Each incident must surely draw upon our sympathies.

But sad and lamentable as these are, the results are insignificant compared with the loss of life and prolonged suffering that comes to thousands in the Dominion stricken with that dread disease Consumption.

3,000 die annually in the province of Ontario from this disease; probably double that number, taking the Dominion throughout.

We have on our desk a little booklet, issued by the National Sanitarium Association, by whom was established in 1902 the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. In these pages are published a few of the letters that are being constantly received from applicants seeking admission to this Muskoka home for Consumptives.

Let us refer to one simply to emphasize the purpose of this article. The story is of a resident in the village of Lucas--a mother. The friend writing on her behalf says that a few months ago this person, a Mrs. Carroll, buried her husband from Consumption. He was an oil man. He peddled oil around the country in his wagon. There are four small children. Now the mother has been taken ill and her physician diagnoses the case consumption--the infection doubtless obtained in nursing the husband.

The Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives are being asked to admit this patient.

It is a pleasure for the management of this institution to be able to say that at no time since the doors were opened--over five years ago--has a single applicant been refused admission because of his or her inability to pay.

This means a heavy strain financially on the Trustees, who year in and year out have gone on with the work, making further extensions and placing their hope in the good will and generosity of the Canadian public.

We do not know a more deserving charity in Canada. The consumptive is found everywhere, and we gladly append to this article the suggestion of the booklet, that our readers help as far as they can to maintain just such patients as the poor mother of Lucas.

Contributions we learn may be sent to Sir Wm. R. Meredith, Kt., Vice-President, Osogode Hall, Toronto, or J. S. Robertson, Sec.-Treas. National Sanitarium Association, 847 King Street W., Toronto, Ont.

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Will Arrive This Week 50 Cedar Shingles, 100 Casks "Morrows Lime" in casks and bags

J. H. LONGMIRE AND SONS. Nova Scotia Fire INSURANCE COMPANY.

Marine Engines One carload of Ferris Marine gasoline engines just arrived.

NOTICE Advertisers and Subscribers in arrears to the Bear River Telephone

THE HOME

WATER IS THE BEST MEDICINE.

Drink a glass of water when you get out of bed in the morning. Never mind the size of the glass.

Drinking a glass of water in the name of cleanliness. It becomes one of the shortest and easiest of toilet duties.

Probably many mothers have in their homes little pillows of fir-balsam. Let me suggest that baby may enjoy a part of these pillows.

A FIR PILLOW FOR BABY.

Because we love our dear ones it is not a good reason for wounding them freely. Yet we actually seem to make it so in much of our daily life.

SUCCESS.

Hard hands they were, But strong and true, Doing with willing palm What they should do.

Hard hands they were— Across the breast Folded forever now, The weary rest.

Hard hands they were; Rough-nal and brown, But not a stain on them To soil the Crown.

—William J. Lampton.

LEARN TO FORGIVE.

And in this do not fail—learn to forgive. What does it all amount to, anyway—this fighting and hating of one another?

Forgive and forget—smile on—and let yesterday alone. COOKING TIME-TABLE.

Old potatoes require twenty-five minutes; new ones, fifteen. Old carrots take an hour; young ones, thirty minutes.

A GOOD REASON.

Lord Rosebery, who was sixty-one recently, is the principal figure in the following good story. It illustrates well His Lordship's justice.

A TRAVELING MAN'S EXPERIENCE.

"I must tell you my experience on an East bound O. R. & N. R. R. train from Pendleton to LeGrande, Ore."

SOME SPECIAL LINES.

Cretonnes, Art Muslins, Lawns, Dress Muslins, etc., Boots and Shoes for Ladies and Children, Hosiery for Men Women and Children

W W. WADE, BEAR RIVER, N.S.

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A BABY'S DEATH.

The little feet that never trod Earth, never strayed in field or street, What hand leads upward back to God The little feet?

Their pilgrimage's period A few swift moons have seen complete Since mother's hands first clasped and shod.

The little hands that never sought Earth's prizes, worthless all as sands, What silt has death, God's servant, brought.

Ere this perchance, though love knows naught, Flowers fill them, crown in lovelier lands, There hands of guiding angels caught The little hands.

The little eyes that never knew Light other than of dawning skies, What new life now lights up anew The little eyes?

No storm, we know, may change the line, Soft heaven that happily death desires; No tears like these in ours, below The little eyes.

Horse owners are often compelled to tie their horses rather close in the stall, for fear of accident resulting by the animal's becoming entangled in a halter strap which is too long.

Mens Grain Bals Men's Grain Bellis Tongue Bals Men's Grain Harvest Bals

E. A. COCHRANE.

Murdoch Block, Grayville Street.

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MORSE'S TEAS are put up in 1/2 lb. and 1 lb. packages at Halifax by J. E. MORSE & CO.

Many brands of Tea have come and gone and been forgotten, and the grocers who laboured hard to introduce them have lost their labour.

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Fishing and Bathing.

Parties trespassing on the Crosskill Lake for the purpose of fishing or bathing will be prosecuted.

**Annapolis.**

E. B. McDaniel has returned from his vacation.  
 Mr. W. R. Cunningham was in Halifax over Sunday.  
 Miss Mary Buckler left on Tuesday for a short visit to Wolfville.  
 Mr. Joseph Whitman, of Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, spent Sunday in town.  
 Miss S. Hardwick has returned from Boston, where she has been spending her vacation.  
 Mr. Ned Brittain, of Medford, Mass., is on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brittain.  
 T. Millidge Gavasa, of the Learmont Hotel, Truro, is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. Hawkesworth.  
 Doctor and Mrs. Kirwin have taken up their residence in town having rented Mrs. M. Buckler's house for the winter months.  
 Saturday's St. John Telegraph, Hothey items, says:—"Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henderson are about settled in their handsome new house. Mrs. Henderson will receive her friends on next Wednesday afternoon."  
 Among those taking in the St. John Exhibition last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Miss Edith McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dargie, Miss Agnes King, Reg. Roach, Harry Burnham, Cyril Brittain, Mrs. W. H. Edwards, Mrs. Rippey, Miss J. Brisson, Mrs. Lindgren, and Misses Watelle and Sadie Troop.

**Round Hill**

Miss Grace LeCain is in Annapolis, the guest of Mrs. Roy Hardwick.  
 Miss Mildred Armstrong has gone to Sackville to the Ladies' College.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, of Bear River, visited friends here last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Freeman, of Paradise, spent Sunday with friends here.  
 Mrs. McKinnon, of Haverhill, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. W. Milner.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams have been the guests of his uncle, Mr. W. Williams.  
 Mr. J. E. Bancroft is in Round Hill today buying apples, but the prices are still very low.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. Burrell, of Boston, have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. William LeCain.  
 Miss George Armstrong spent Sunday with her parents. She is in charge of the school at Port George.  
 Mrs. Alex. Dargie has a number of boarders, American tourists. Among them is Mr. Hickey, who did such heroic work at the time of the Chelsea fire.

**North Williamston**

Mrs. Kate Brown and daughter, Madge, have been spending a week with friends at Kingston.  
 Mrs. Harry Beals and baby, of West Brookfield, Mass., are spending two weeks with relatives here.  
 Last Saturday a number of friends from here and Bridgetown spent an enjoyable time at the home of Mrs. Ada Hayes, of Port George.  
 Mr. Robert Gibson and niece, Mrs. Edwin Marshall, of Dalhousie, were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Oliver Delancey, during the past week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wheelock and daughter, of Bridgetown, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nelly, of Lower Middleton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Charlton on the 20th.

**Clarence.**

Mrs. Meechum, of Boston, is visiting her friend, Miss Eva Freeman.  
 Mrs. Arthur Chute has been visiting friends at Bridgetown the past week.  
 Miss Sanford, missionary-elect for India, visited at L. W. Elliott's last week.  
 Mr. Clarence Roach, who has been spending the summer with his grandfather, Mr. G. F. Roach, has returned to Worcester, Mass.  
 Apple picking is the order of the day and the fruit is very fine. All that is required is buyers with good prices but that seems to be lacking.  
 Miss Hattie Crane, who has been spending several weeks with her friend, Mrs. C. G. Foster, Belaire, has returned to her home at Avon, Mass.  
 Rev. R. B. Kinley occupied the pulpit here on Sunday morning, preaching a powerful sermon that could not fail to be appreciated by all. Pastor Kinley has many warm friends here who were very glad to hear him and to see him looking so well.

**Bear River.**

Schooner Valdaire, Captain Anthony, sailed for Boston on Friday.  
 Bkt. Ethel Clarke towed down river on Wednesday, loaded with lumber for Clifnesco.  
 Mr. Thomas Clarke was in town last week inspecting this branch of the Union Bank.  
 Miss Annie Chute arrived back from Lunenburg on Thursday, and resumed her position in the post office on Friday.  
 Mr. Walter Ruggles leaves for Mt. Allison today (Wednesday), where he will take the regular course during the coming term.  
 The Telephone Company are improving their service in this locality by putting in an up-to-date switchboard, new poles and wires.  
 The schooner Prosperare, Captain Brown, left for Annapolis on Friday in tow of S. S. Bear River, where she will load lumber for the West Indies.  
 Dr. L. L. and Mrs. Lovitt and daughter, Edith, went to Halifax on Thursday. The Doctor returned on Friday and Mrs. Lovitt and Edith returned on Monday.  
 H. Kirwin, the well-known optician who has spent a number of years in the Valley, has opened an office in Annapolis, taking up his residence there, and will wait upon customers in Bear River every Friday.  
 We are sorry to learn that Mrs. A. C. Dunn is critically ill. Mr. Dunn was called from St. John to Halifax on Saturday last. Mrs. Dunn went to Halifax some days ago to undergo an operation at the hospital which, from reports at hand, has not proved successful.  
 The dwelling house owned by Mr. Jesse Berry, on the Sissiboo Road, was burned to the ground on Tuesday morning. The fire was caused by a little box with matches. Mr. Berry lost his whole stock of oats, together with a quantity of farming tools, sleds and a sled. The loss is a heavy one, with no insurance.  
 Mr. and Mrs. William Hazelton, of Victoria Bridge, Annapolis County, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary B., to Herbert A. Main, of Waltham, Mass., who holds a position in the American War Office at Havana, Cuba. Miss Hazelton left Waltham on the 16th for Cuba via New York, accompanied by Mr. Main's sister, Miss F. M. Main, the event to take place on her arrival.

**Tupperville.**

Charles Chipman is home visiting. The Rev. Dr. Jost preached here on Sunday last.  
 The fruit growers are busy gathering Gravensteins.  
 Louis Chipman is loading a car of lumber for shipment.  
 Bridgetown Packet left here last Friday morning with a full cargo for St. John.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kent, of Yarmouth, are visiting friends and relatives in this place.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. Bent and Mrs. F. Willett have returned home from St. John, where they have been taking in the Exhibition.

**Greywood.**

Mrs. Avaril Orde is visiting at Lequille.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stallings spent Sunday at Millford.  
 Mrs. Della Farnam, of Lync, spent a few days last week with Mrs. John Dickson.

**Pressmen Visited**

**Marconi Towers.**  
 Sydney, September 18.—The members of the Nova Scotia Press Association visited Marconi towers today. Dominion No. 2 Colliery of the Dominion Coal Company, and after an excursion on Sydney Harbor closed their visit to Cape Breton by a visit to the plant of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company. The party of Pressmen were conveyed to the Marconi towers by a special car attached to the S. & L. Express, and were accompanied by J. K. L. Ross, commercial manager of the Dominion Coal Company, who conducted the party through the collieries and explained the points of interest.  
 The visit to Marconi towers was a most interesting feature of the trip, and the methods of receiving and sending wireless messages was fully explained and demonstrated by General Manager Verryan. The visit to the Coal Company's Dragger Life Saving Station was also very interesting. The excursion to the Steel Works was also enjoyed by the newspaper men. The party leave for home tomorrow.

**Hymeneal.**

**ILLSLEY-NICHOLSON.**  
 On Wednesday, September 9th, at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Rupert A. Graves, 118 Charles Street, Boston, Harold M., youngest son of Mrs. Letitia M. and the late Millidge Illsley, of Kings County, N. S., was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mary E., youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nicholson, of Halifax, N. S. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Lorne A. Cleverger, D. D., of Somerville, Mass. The bride looked very nice in richly embroidered white muslin with lace and ribbon trimmings. Her going-away gown was of broad cloth with hat to match. A light collation was served after which the happy couple, amid showers of rice and confetti, took the train for their future home in Leominster, where they will be "at home" to their many friends after September 23rd.

**DUNN-O'BRIEN.**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, Bear River, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding on Thursday morning, September 17th, at nine o'clock, when their only daughter, Lizzie A., was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Mr. William Dunn, of Annapolis Royal. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father McKinnon. The parlor was prettily decorated for the occasion by friends of the bride. Miss Clytie Alcorn was bridesmaid, and the room was supported by Mr. Edward Stinson, of Lynn. The bride was becomingly attired in a travelling suit of navy blue chiffon broad cloth with white silk waist and a hat to match, and carried a pretty bouquet. The bridesmaid wore a dainty blue and white Dresden muslin and a large white hat. After the ceremony and congratulations had been duly extended, the bridal party and their guests sat down to a bountiful repast, after which the newly wedded couple amid showers of rice were driven in Mr. F. W. Purdy's bridal carriage to the Bear River station, where they took the train for Digby en route to St. John and Fredericton. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn will be at home to their friends after Oct. 5th.

**KINNEY-CHESELEY.**

(North Dakota paper.)  
 James A. Chesley's home on north Eighth street, on Wednesday evening was a brilliant scene. The occasion was the marriage of his daughter, Julia A., to Frank E. Kinney, of Great Falls, Mont. At the call of the wedding march promptly at eight o'clock the ushers, Samuel Chesley and Wright Scott, entered the library carrying streamers of white satin ribbon, with which they formed an aisle for the bridal party. Rev. Hugh L. Burleson entered from the living room, accompanied by the groom and his best man, Russell S. Grant, and took their places at each side of the improvised altar, a beautiful canopy of white sweet peas and smilax, supported by four white columns entwined with the same exquisite blooms. A large white fur rug, with the shimmering sheen of the two white satin prayer cushions, completed this beautiful bower so daintily decorated by the hands of loving friends. Mrs. John C. Hagartz presided at the piano. The beautiful strains of the bridal march from Lebeniz heralded the coming of the wedding procession. First came the bridesmaid, Miss Eva Chesley, prettily attired in an empire gown of apricot mousseline, carrying a shower bouquet of pink sweet peas. Miss Charlotte Pinsky, a life-long friend, looked charming in a gown of light-colored rose pink, carrying a shower bouquet of pink sweet peas. Following alone was the honor maid, Miss Elizabeth Chesley, who wore Nile green and carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas. All the gowns were made empire, with demi trains and the effect produced a rainbow wedding, all the opalescent shades in the bow of promise being used. The pretty bride followed lastly on the arm of her father, James A. Chesley, and looked queenly in a gown of white satin messaline, trimmed with point lace. Her long veil was caught at the collar with a sunburst of diamonds and pearls, a gift of the groom. She carried a large cluster of white roses and lilies of the valley. During the ceremony "To a Wild Rose" was played in low notes and after the benediction was pronounced Mendelssohn's wedding march was played as the seventy-five guests extended congratulations to the happy couple. The house was a mass of fragrant sweet peas, many hundreds being used in the decorations. The pretty blossoms combined with asparagus vine made a fret work over the window and door hangings and banked the piano, tables and buffet. In the library, where the solemn vows were

spoken, clusters of white and pink sweet peas, with pink shaded candles and ivy entwined chandeliers formed a beautiful picture. The music room was decorated lavishly with rose pink blooms, the same color scheme being carried out in the mural decorations and draperies. The hall decorations were in lavender, from the deepest purple to the softest, most delicate shades. The stairway was ranked in the same color with quantities of smilax. The dining room was a picture in pink and white, sweet peas being strewn over the handsome lace cloth and wreathed about the chandelier. A Marie Antoinette basket sat in the centre of the table and held an abundance of the same flowers. Miniature candles holding pink smilax shades were placed about the table with pretty effect. A dazzling array of presents was displayed on the second floor, including many handsome and useful table articles, besides furniture. Mr. and Mrs. Kinney left on the 10.30 Great Northern train for the east. They will be at home to their host of friends at Great Falls, Mont., after October 1.

**A. L. Davidson Issues Writ**

A writ has been issued against the Chronicle Publishing Company, limited, by A. L. Davidson, barrister, of Middleton, claiming \$5,000 damages for libel. Mr. Davidson is the provincial organizer of the liberal-conservative party and is well known as a temperance man and advocate of purity in elections. The charge made against him by the Chronicle and Echo, in respect of which he claims damages, is that in the Colchester bye-election he was concerned with A. R. Bayre and others, who, it is said, distributed liquor at Five Islands. The specific charge made against Mr. Davidson is that he, with one W. A. Astin, made a midnight trip to Five Islands with a valise full of whiskey. Mr. Davidson claims that the charge made against him is absolutely false and made to injure his character and reputation.

**Fatal Accident to Aeronaut**

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell left for Washington on Friday last to attend the funeral of Lieut. Selfridge, one of his associates who was killed by an accident to an aeroplane with which he was experimenting. Particulars of the airship broke. Wright who accompanied Lieut. Selfridge, immediately stopped the engine but the aeroplane pitched forward and dived 50 feet. Selfridge received fatal injuries, dying at 8 o'clock from brain concussion. Wright had one of his thighs and two ribs broken, but will recover. Dr. Bell states that Lieut. Selfridge, though only 27 years of age, had already distinguished himself in the world of aeroplanes. He had also early distinguished himself in the service, commanding with much ability the U. S. A. Marines at San Francisco during the earthquake period. He had made several successful ascents in Dr. Bell's man-carrying kites, which were built under his direction. His death, Dr. Bell says, will be a great loss to the science of aeroplanes.

**Cremation Still Unpopular.**

(From Leslie's Weekly.)  
 In spite of the strong sanitary arguments advanced in favor of it, the practice of cremating dead bodies of human beings is but slowly gaining favor. This fact is confessed in the annual report of the French International Cremation Society at Paris. This society is doing its utmost to induce the French people to burn rather than to bury their dead. Owing to its efforts the number of incinerations is increasing from year to year, but the increase is hardly perceptible.  
 Most of the cremations in France occur in Paris, as the country people do not take to this method of disposing of the dead. America, the report says, has the largest annual number of cremations. There are thirty-six crematories in the United States, in which last year nearly four thousand bodies were consumed.  
 The greater number of the cremations in this country, it is claimed, take place in the case of foreigners. Germany has fifteen crematories, which last year incinerated nearly three thousand bodies. In the Argentine Republic there were 976 cremations, in Switzerland 721, in Great Britain 105, and in Italy 442.

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**Oyster Crop Large and Fine This Year.**

(The Mercantile and Financial Times)  
 Those who are fond of oysters will rejoice to know that the oyster crop is in all respects better than last year, and the bivalves are fatter and heavier. It is owing to the warm summer that the crop is so large and so fine. The future, too, is provided for in an excellent set of baby oysters throughout New York and Long Island waters.  
 During the summer, officials of the Health Department inspected all the oyster beds from this city to New Haven, and down the Jersey coast as far as Manassquan.  
 According to the new section of the sanitary code, oysters that have been "fattened" in polluted waters cannot be sold in this city, the regulations of the Board of Health insuring a direct trip of the oyster from its watery home to market.  
 Inspectors will watch to see that no "drunk" oysters, or those fattened in polluted waters, get into the city market. Any dealer caught selling without a license will be subject to a heavy fine. Dr. Darlington states that New Yorkers may consume the city's supply without the slightest fear that the oysters are contaminated.

**FOUR HUNDRED COTTON MILLS IDLE**

Manchester, Sept. 21.—More than 400 cotton mills in Lancashire are idle today as a result of the dispute over wages between operatives and employers. This means that 40,000,000 spindlers are idle, that more than \$250,000,000 of capital is not bringing in any returns, and that 40,000 are without work and losing over \$700,000 in wages weekly. In view of the present glutted condition of the market it is not believed that this cesses to the employers. It is not felt that the strike will entail heavy damage here that the strike will last long for the card room workers are expected soon to take a second ballot and agree to the 5 per cent. reduction in wages which already has been accepted by the spinners. So far the idle operatives have been perfectly orderly.

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