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### BRITISH CAPITALISTS VISIT BRIDGETOWN

Conveyed by Citizens in Autos and Carriages Through the Town, Visit the Graves Vinegar Factory, and Have Other Industries of Town Pointed Out to Them.—Leave Very Favorably Impressed.

Halifax, N.S.,  
June 17th, 1912

To the Mayor, Bridgetown.

"Would be pleased to have you and Council make informal call on British Manufacturers, who will arrive at Bridgetown about 4.45 today, remaining for a few minutes."

"ARTHUR S. BARNSTEAD"

Such was the welcome message received in this town on Wednesday morning last, addressed to the Mayor. His Worship not being at home, the message was immediately forwarded to Mr. H. Ruggles, Town Clerk, and within a very few minutes a joint meeting of the Council and the Board of Trade was hurriedly convened, and arrangements as quickly made for the reception of the visitors.

It was decided to collect automobiles and give the British representatives a drive through the town and if possible visit some of the factories. The Bridgetown Band was also requested at a moment's notice to add their harmony to the welcome to be accorded.

At 1.30 a representative of the Monitor-Sentinel was asked to join the delegates to proceed to Middleton and us all the persuasive eloquence at their command to induce the capitalists to avail themselves of a brief stop of the train at Bridgetown, and so give the visitors a fair idea of the town's industrial and farming pursuits. Mr. J. E. Lloyd, accompanied by Mr. H. Ruggles and the representative of this journal, boarded the two o'clock train and having arrived at Middleton witnessed the arrival of the Somerville (Mass.) baseball team who were bent on securing new laurels.

Having about two hours to while away, a walk through Middleton and along the river bank, which is now in its most charming garb of verdant beauty followed. After inspecting the sewer being constructed and running into the river, which of necessity means an enormous outlay, the delegates returned to the station and awaited the arrival of the special train conveying the visitors.

The platform of the station presented a most animated appearance, the Mayor, Mr. Goucher, being surrounded by civic dignitaries, namely, Councillors Freeman, Bentley, Reagh, the Town Clerk, Mr. Gates, also Messrs. A. L. Davidson, M.P., and G. C. Miller, Dr. Sponagle and numerous others.

The clanging of the bell and the blowing of the whistle heralded the approach of the train, consisting of three coaches, with the engine nicely trimmed up for the occasion, the rear of the coaches flying Union Jacks and the Canadian mercantile marine flag.

The Bridgetown representatives, perforce, had at this stage to give preference to the Middleton delegates and in due time they were presented and introduced by Mr. Barnstead, Hon. O. T. Daniels, the attorney-general, and Mr. R. U. Parker, (D.A.R.) to many of the visitors.

After a ten minutes' stay at Middleton a warning whistle was sounded by the organizing director of the English party, Mr. Palmer, and the visitors, accompanied by representatives from Annapolis, Kentville and Bridgetown, boarded the train en route to Bridgetown and Annapolis.

On the platform at Middleton strenuous arguments were put forward by our delegates to persuade the visitors to remain at Bridgetown for at least one quarter of an hour, but these appeals were met with the reply that by the time they had arrived at Annapolis, had dined, and returned and connected at Truro, they would only be in time to rejoin the other section of the party, who had

gone on to visit Sydney—the engineering section.

Here's where "nil desperandum" fitted in. Our delegates nothing daunted, and ably assisted by Mr. Daniels, got to work in the short time at their disposal in the train, and eventually the promise was given that they would stop at Bridgetown for fifteen minutes, and avail themselves of a short auto ride.

Messrs. Ruggles and Lloyd were most actively engaged in bringing before the visitors the opportunities which were available for the investment of British capital in this part of the Valley, and one could plainly see from the interested attitudes of the visiting party that the eloquence of these gentlemen was not wasted in any way.

The Monitor representative tackled Major Savage, who was representing very large financial interests, and Mr. J. E. Locks, a large newspaper proprietor and editor of a prominent London newspaper, and questioned them as to their views and to the opinions already formed by the visitors of the Annapolis Valley. Mr. Locks said that not only were they astonished at the wonderfully fertile zone they had been travelling through, but they were also astounded at the enormous orchards and everything pertaining to the farms. But they, nevertheless, regretted to see that mixed farming was not more generally indulged in, and he for one, drew comparisons between the Nova Scotian and the English farmers in this important respect.

The Monitor delegate, having lived for years in the Garden of England, the county of Kent, was compelled to admit the truth in this statement, but being now in close touch with many of the farmers of the Valley, he ventured to express the opinion that this position would in time right itself, particularly if new blood were infused by some of the British capitalists now lying dormant in British capitalists' hands. He also pointed out that the British farmer had the chance here of securing excellent bargains at a price which meant only two or three years rentals of a farm in England, and with an immediate prospect of a return of the outlay for the fruit alone.

Major Savage, of the Essex Regiment, and representing very large financial interests, fully endorsed his colleague's remarks as to the fertility of the Valley as a whole, and was particularly struck with the cultivation of the soil between the fruit trees in the orchard, a thing almost unknown in England. He (Major Savage) was delighted with everything he saw, and said that no doubt there was a big future for the Annapolis Valley.

While the above conversation was going on, the gaze of the visitors was not concentrated upon the delegates, but one and all were keenly watching the country as the train glided by, and many were the admiring ejaculations called forth "Look at this!" "Wonderful!" "Superb!" and sundry other phrases were uttered again and again, and in too short a time the bell clanged, the whistle blew, and presto—Bridgetown.

Upon the train being brought to a standstill many town folk were seen upon the platform, all intently eager to give the visitors a cordial welcome.

Seven automobiles, kindly loaned by the following citizens:—Messrs J. W. Peters, (driven by Mr. Fred Bath), A. L. Beeler, W. Warren, Dr. A. S. Burns, Councillor J. K. Craig and A. B. McKenzie and Mr. F. Willett, and two hookah teams by Mr. A. L. Anderson were waiting at the station, and these were quickly filled (Continued on page 4.)

### Obituary.

MRS. AMELIA MORSE PHINNEY.

Word was received in Paradise on June 8th that on the previous day, (June 7th) Mrs. Amelia D. Morse Phinney, widow of the late James Phinney, had died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. D. Lindsey, 2 Park Avenue, Saxonville, Mass. The remains were brought to her old home village for interment reaching here on the afternoon express from Yarmouth on the 10th inst. A large concourse of people gathered at the station to bid a sad welcome to all that was mortal of an old and respected resident of the community. A procession was formed and the remains conducted to the cemetery, where in the family lot they were placed in their last resting place beside those of her husband, who had pre-deceased her some years. A very impressive open-air service was held at the grave, the Rev. A. M. McIntosh conducting the last sad rites. The Choir feelingly rendered such hymns as "Shall we gather at the river" and "Nearer my God to Thee" etc. The pall-bearers were J. S. Longley, G. L. Pearson, H. A. Longley and J. C. Morse. The floral offerings were very beautiful. Mrs. Phinney's son, William and daughter, Mrs. Lindsey, accompanied the remains. Mrs. Phinney was a life-long resident of this community, with the exception of the last few years, when she has been residing in the United States.

She was for fifty years a member of the Baptist church of this place and being a lover of flowers, it is said of her that she never entered the church services without a floral offering for the pulpit desk.

Mrs. Phinney, whose maiden name was Morse, was a direct descendant of Capt. George Barbour, the Puritan leader of Medford and Dedham. She was a first cousin of Judge Halliburton, the famous "Sam Slick."

Mrs. Phinney was in her 87th year, and is survived by five children: Wm. Halliburton, proprietor of the hotel "Langham," and the hotel "Pemberton" of Boston; Louis C., of Boston; Mrs. D. MacKay, of Portland, Maine; Mrs. Chas. Whittier, of Boston, Mass.; R. D. Lindsey, Saxonville, Mass.—COM.

### Town Council

At the regular monthly meeting of the Town Council, Tuesday evening, 4th inst, with Mayor Harlow in the chair and Councillors Salter, Prat, McKenzie and Peed present, it was ordered that the following bills be paid,—

Dunlop Wire and Rubber Goods Co. for 300 feet fire hose as per agreement, \$315.00; E. A. Craig, repairs to crusher, \$4.90; Policeman W. E. Connell, for revolver and cartridges, \$7.50; Bridgetown Electric Light, Heat and Power Co., Ltd., for one quarter lighting streets and town hall, \$18.75; W. H. Thorne & Co., rubber belt for engine, crusher act., \$26.15; Karl Freeman, sundries crusher account, \$26.82; A. D. Brown, Registrar births and deaths, \$2.75.

A communication was read from the Annapolis Royal Board of Trade relative to civic taxation.

A resolution was passed renewing the contract made with the Bridge town Band on March 20th, 1899, which was as follows:—

"That if they (the Bridgetown Band) will furnish music to the public on the street or from a band stand one evening each week, say 'Saturday evening, for one hour' from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock, during the summer months, the town will pay them \$2.00, for each performance, 'not to exceed the sum of forty dollars in one year.'"

Mr. Arthur Charlton, representing Bishop & Charlton, lessees of the "Primrose Theatre," appeared before the Council relative to a license fee for outside shows brought into town by them. The matter was referred to the license committee.

### Truro as an Example

The Sydney Mee Searchlight says: "The Truro street sprinklers got on the job at five a.m., and not after the wind and dust have completed all the damage and annoyance possible."

### The Visitors' Impressions of Bridgetown.

A. S. Barnstead, Superintendent of Immigration, who accompanied the British party on their Valley trip, made the following statement to a reporter of the Halifax Chronicle:—

THE BRIDGETOWN VISIT.

"Arriving at Bridgetown, which it was first planned to make only a short call, opportunity was given to show the visitors a section of Bridgetown. The manufacturers were visited, and the beauty of Bridgetown, with its streets of shaded trees and pleasant situation at the head of tide water, did not fail to give the visitors a splendid impression. Not only so, but a feature of the reception at Bridgetown, which differed from that of any other point, was the presence of the ladies. The Bridgetown hand was in evidence and discoursed sweet music. Many were the comments, after the visitors entrained, of the cordiality of the reception.

Bridgetown has been marked in their minds as an enterprising community that has had favors bestowed upon it by nature and deserves to have these utilized to their fullest extent by the advance of capital and labor. Bridgetown stands to gain much from this trip. I may say that the visitors each carried away with them souvenir bottles of the real apple juice that Bridgetown manufactures.

From Bridgetown the train, a little behind the schedule, left for Annapolis Royal, but arrived in plenty of time to visit the historic points of Annapolis Royal and see evidences of awakening on all sides. The new truck plant, as well as the other longer established industries that utilize the abundant lumber as the basis of their commercial expansion, were fully noted. The visitors partook of supper at the Hillsdale. Shortly after seven o'clock the special returned from Annapolis to make connection with the party at Truro. No stops were made except to leave the local men who had accompanied the party from Kentville, Berwick and Bridgetown, at their respective home towns.

### THEIR IMPRESSIONS.

The visitors expressed themselves uniformly surprised at the marvelous opportunities which existed in the Valley for the settlement of large numbers of people. They expressed the opinion that were the advantages more generally known Nova Scotia is a place where Britishers could live amidst surroundings not unlike those of their own country, enjoying the privileges of citizenship at the same time in a country with the advantages of education and pleasant social surroundings. Some of them were most interested in the settlement of these areas, and I have no doubt that from impressions created profitable returns will accrue.

It is interesting to point out that in the descriptive itinerary published by the Financial News in connection with this Canadian tour the Maritime Provinces and Nova Scotia are signalled out for special attention.

"Of Canada's Maritime Provinces," says the writer, Mr. Leonard Palmer, "these, the Maritime, are the least known of all in Great Britain, which fact accounts for the paucity of immigration. Canada was practically unknown in the British Isles before the opening up of the Great West, and since that opening up people have been so busy going there that no thought has been given to the more varied and congenial East.

"There is not a shadow of doubt but that a great number of good English and Scottish settlers would go into New Brunswick and Nova Scotia were they to be acquainted with the true facts relating to those provinces. The attraction of these Maritime Provinces, their variety, their wealth of raw material, their climate, their maritime facilities, and their access to all the great markets of the world render them pre-eminent from a manufacturing point of view. Great and general development is inevitable in this part of Canada within the near future.

"The coal sales of Nova Scotia in 1911 were 5,775,000 tons—the largest on record.

"In 1910 there were 400,000,000 feet

### Supreme Court

The June term of the Supreme Court opened yesterday in the Court House, Bridgetown, Judge Russell presiding. Following is the docket:—

JURY CAUSES.

William Fader vs. Fred W. Harris  
Mansfield White vs. John Irvin, K.C.  
W. A. Marshall vs. A. L. Davidson  
Minard Graves vs. O. S. Miller  
Freelove Gillis vs. John Irvin, K.C.  
David Joudrey vs. Barry W. Roscoe  
William A. Fader vs. Daniel Owen

NON-JURY CAUSES.

Elias G. Langley vs. Barry W. Roscoe  
F. C. Lavers vs. McLean & Margeson  
John Lucas vs. W. G. Parsons  
Miles McMillan vs. Fred W. Harris  
Obed Pinkney, Edith Huntress, Julia Aye, and Bertha Rehey, vs. McLean & Margeson  
John Spurr vs. Frank Jones  
William Sabears vs. O. S. Miller  
N.H. Phinney & Co. vs. C. R. Chipman  
John Hall vs. O. S. Miller  
Caleb Slocumb vs. Barry W. Roscoe  
Catherine Rafuse vs. Frank Jones

Kenneth Milberry vs. D. Owen  
Thomas H. Chipman vs. O. S. Miller  
James A. Whitman vs. Daniel Owen  
Canada Fence Co. vs. F. Harris  
Thompson vs. D. Owen

The following have brought suit against William M. DeBlois to recover claims from estate of his father, the late Rev. H. DeBlois—O. S. Miller, E. H. Trimpany, H. Lynch, Rector, Warden and Vestry of parish of Granville, Margaret M. Fullerton, F. J. Dittmars, George Robinson, John Gormley and George McClelland. D. Owen and O.S. Miller are acting attorneys.

### Horticultural Exhibition for 1912

A meeting of the Special Prize Committee was held on Friday evening last at the office of Mr. H. B. Hicks, Bridgetown, there being a very good attendance.

The Committee went very carefully over the special prizes offered, and placed them according to the amounts and varieties.

It was decided to hold the Exhibition in the new warehouse on the west side of the D.A.R. station at Bridgetown.

The Secretary-manager, Mr. R. J. Messenger, this week is making a tour of the Valley in the interests of the Exhibition.

of timber cut in the province and one-half of it exported.

"Nova Scotia possesses the finest harbor on the North American Continent—that of Halifax.

"Sea captains would rather put into Halifax than almost any port in the world, owing to the uniform depth of the water, and the absence of adverse tides and other dangers.

"Nova Scotia possesses the greatest individual industry in Canada—that of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company at Sydney."

### A DREAM COME TRUE.

"The stating of these facts in themselves is important," said Mr. Barnstead. "That they came and learned of them affords added testimony. They go away from Nova Scotia sensible, as never before, that within six days' sail of their own homes, and business establishments there are to be found opportunities for the investment of capital, the employment of labor and the settlement of people of which they little dreamed. The vision they had been turned into a reality, and these Britishers, who have ever been control individually and in their representative capacity millions of dollars of available capital, will be able to find employment for some of it in Nova Scotia. The delegation immediately represented the largest amount of capital that has ever been grouped together to cross the Atlantic on an investigating mission of Canada's resources."

### BANQUET AT GRAND CENTRAL

In Honor of Representative of Nova Scotia Immigration Department and of Visiting Scotch Journalist, Representing "Glasgow Herald" and "The Scotsman," Making Tour of the Dominion.

The Grand Central Hotel on Saturday evening, was the scene of a hastily arranged banquet to welcome Mr. W. Wolf, Chief of the N.S. Agent-General's Staff in London, and Mr. R. K. Kennedy, representing the "Glasgow Herald" and "The Scotsman," Scotland's most important newspapers.

Mr. Wolf, who deals officially in the Agent-General's office in London, England, with all classes of well-to-do immigrants to Nova Scotia, has been brought over to make a complete trip of the Province, so as to be able to give first-hand and up-to-date advice to those wishing to settle in this Province—both capital and labor.

Mr. Kennedy, a gentleman of independent means, of Hawick, Scotland, is the owner of a large farm at Poplar Grove, Viking, Alberta, and while visiting his farm has been deputed by the above well-known Scottish newspaper to write up a series of articles concerning Canada's wants in agricultural and industrial pursuits.

Those who gathered at the Grand Central included Attorney-General, the Hon. O. T. Daniels, (chairman), Dr. Armstrong, (vice-chairman), Mr. W. Wolf and Mr. R. K. Kennedy, (guests) F. Bath, A. Charlton, E. Fisher, Capt. Salter, W. Warren, H. L. Bustin, J. W. Peters, E.A. Craig, Councillor McKenzie and the representative of the Monitor-Sentinel, F. W. McLewright. President Lloyd, of the Board of Trade, Mr. Beckwith and others would have been present but Saturday night trade prevented their attendance.

A most recherche repast had been provided by Host Silver, and, needless to relate, was most heartily enjoyed by all the participants.

After dinner the Attorney-General, in felicitous terms, extended a most cordial welcome to the visitors, and trusted that their short stay amongst us would be productive of the best possible results to the town as well as the Valley. In a most interesting speech he explained the difficulties of the Provincial Government, so far as it concerned immigration, were principally due to the fact that the finances of the Province at present were not large enough to deal with the situation as they (the Government) would wish to do.

The Attorney-General fully explained the scope of the new Act the Government had introduced as to loaning moneys to Nova Scotians and those coming from abroad wishing to settle and work upon the land, and hoped it would meet with a fair measure of success. The Attorney-General's speech was followed with the keenest attention by all present.

The toast of "Our Guests," coupled with the names of Mr. W. Wolf and Mr. Kennedy was proposed by the Attorney-General and heartily drunk in "aqua pura."

Mr. Wolf, on rising to respond, explained that he did not expect that when he came to Bridgetown he was to be thus honored, and he (the speaker) found it difficult to express his thoughts in connection with the cordial and hearty welcome extended to his friend and himself. He said it was his intention to have an extended tour to gather all possible information relative to all that concerned the welfare and prosperity of the Province, so that when in his office in London he would be able to fully explain to possible newcomers the exact condition of things. From what he had already seen of the Valley, it was the nearest approach to England he had ever seen, and he had particularly noticed the entire absence of poverty. He (the speaker) dealt very fully with the difficulties attending emigration from the Old Country, and paid a very high tribute to the indefatigable industry of our Agent-General (Mr. John Howard) in all that he undertook concerning this beautiful part of the Dominion.

On resuming his seat the speaker was loudly applauded.

Mr. Kennedy expressed the pleasurable surprise he felt at being present, as he had no idea of such courtesy being extended when he left Annapolis that morning with Mr. Wolf. In fact, it was a very great surprise to find that what was to all intents and purposes a formal visit, was to be turned into such a cordial welcome as had been tendered to them that evening. He (the speaker) while owning a farm in the West was most astonished at the fertility of this wonderful Valley, and those present need not be surprised to hear some day that he had settled amongst them. One thing he regretted to see, that mixed farming was not carried on to any great extent. He thought if the Maritime farmers would take up this important side of a farmer's life, they would be very great gainers thereby. The speaker said he could only express astonishment at all he had seen, and he would take care that all he had witnessed would be faithfully portrayed in the "Glasgow Herald" and the "Scotsman," Scotland's two most prominent journals. (Applause)

Toasts were proposed to nearly all present, and a most harmonious gathering was brought to a close at 11.15 p.m.

While in Bridgetown the visitors in— (Continued on page 4)

## The Royal Bank of Canada

INCORPORATED 1869.

CAPITAL	\$6,200,000
RESERVE FUNDS	\$7,200,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$114,000,000

70 BRANCHES IN THE MARITIME PROVINCES

### SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest allowed at highest current rates.

A. J. McLEAN MANAGER, Bridgetown  
F. G. PALFREY MANAGER, Lawrencetown  
E. B. McDANIEL MANAGER, Annapolis Royal.

**Railway & S. S. Lines**

**DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY**

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

On and after June 10th, 1912, the Steamship and Train Service of this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):  
Express from Halifax 12.21 p.m.  
Accom. from Richmond 5.40 p.m.  
Express from Yarmouth 1.46 p.m.  
Accom. from Annapolis 7.50 a.m.

**Midland Division**

Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily, (except Sunday) for Truro at 7.30 a.m., 5.35 p.m. and 7.45 a.m. and from Truro at 6.50 a., 3.20 p.m. and 12.45 noon connecting at Truro with trains of the Intercolonial Railway, and at Windsor with express trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth.

**Boston S. S. Service**

BOSTON-YARMOUTH SERVICE.  
(Beginning June 10th)  
The Royal and United States Mail Steamship's "PRINCE GEORGE" and "PRINCE ARTHUR" sail from Yarmouth on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday on arrival of Express train from Halifax, arriving in Boston next morning. Returning leave LONG WHARF, BOSTON, at 2.00 p.m. Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

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DOUBLE DAILY SERVICE.  
(Sunday excepted.)  
R.M.S. "PRINCE RUPERT"  
From St. John. From Digby  
7.45 a.m. 1.55 p.m.  
Making connections at Digby with express trains for East and West and at St. John with Canadian Pacific trains for western points.  
S.S. "YARMOUTH"  
From St. John. From Digby  
From St. John 12.30 p.m. after arrival of C. P. R. from Montreal. From Digby about 4. a.m.

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LONDON, HALIFAX & ST. JOHN, N. B. SERVICE.

From London.	From Halifax
Steamer.	..
—Rappahannock	June 18
June 11 (St. John direct)	..
—Kanawha	July 2
June 27 —Shenandoah	July 16
July 11 —Rappahannock	July 31

From Liverpool From Halifax.  
Steamer.  
June 1 —Durango June 22  
June 18 —Tabasco July 6  
June 29 —Almeriana July 20

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Agents, Halifax, N. S.

**H. & S. W. RAILWAY**

Accom. Mon. & Fri.	Time Table in effect October 8th, 1911.	Accom. Mon. & Fri.
Read down.	Stations	Read up.
11.30	Lv. Middleton Ab.	16.25
12.01	* Clarence	15.54
12.20	Bridgetown	15.36
12.50	* Oranville Centre	15.17
13.07	* Oranville Ferry	14.59
13.26	* Kersdale	14.34
13.45	Ar. Port Wade Lv.	14.10

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P. MOONEY  
General Freight and Passenger Agent

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most effective without any discomfort. Increased doses not needed. 25c. a box at your druggist's.  
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**A Pen Picture**

It is probable that no institution in the Dominion of Canada comes in touch with so large a number of persons who have made imprudent investments as does the Annuities Branch of the Post Office Department. It is understood that hardly a day passes that several communications are not received in which the writers bewail the loss of money invested in some scheme that promised phenomenal dividends or returns. One of the saddest of these cases is that of a lady who about three years ago engaged as to the cost of an Annuity of \$600. The information was promptly given to her, but the opportunity to purchase was not embraced. She believed she could invest her money to better advantage, and that by the time she attained her 55th birthday, she would not only have enough to pay for the Annuity outright, but a little fortune besides. This week another letter has been received from the same lady, who, by the way, is now over fifty years of age, which furnishes the sequel of the story. She says: "I have spent my savings on worthless stocks, believing, firmly believing, that I would soon be rich. I would not listen to advice, convinced that I knew best. I wonder at my foolishness now, to waste my all in schemes I knew nothing about. For some time I had a large salary and gave to certain companies every month. Now that they have turned out worthless, I see how crazy and wrong I was. I am sorry, if ever any one was sorry, for what I have done, but nothing will bring back what I have wasted." Her case is a pathetic one, and her experience has been costly, but it is the common experience of many who have tried the Get-Rich-Quick schemes.

**VALUE OF A HOBBY.**

Providing for the rainy day means laying up of bread and clothing for shelter. But it involves more. It implies arranging for the happy exercise of every human power as long as thought and will and strength and affection abide. The rainy day in this way becomes simply the day in which one changes his occupation for a work even more delightful than the business of the days of greater vigor. Who will dare say that such days may not prove the brightest days? Hence the duty of a hobby. The farmer does well who does more than plant corn to feed hogs, that he may buy more land to plant more corn. Such an existence, whether that of an agriculturist or a merchant, cannot but end in the dreariest of rainy days. There are a thousand things that call for sound judgment and maturity. These things cannot be learned in a day. If well learned and well done, the world will pay and prize the doer of these things. There the middle-aged will not be one's companion in old age. The friends of twenty-five years hence will be the boys and girls whose good-will is to be secured today. Further preparation for the rainy day is made by living in the present and for the future. He who does these things need fear no rainy day.

**BUILT A CHURCH IN A DAY.**

A church in Spartanburg, D.C., not a stone or stick of which was standing at sunrise in the morning was worshipped in at night by a great congregation that filled the building and overflowed into the street. It had been announced by the members of Bethel Methodist church that they would erect a building in one day, the church to be known as El-Bethel. These were those who doubt, but when more than two hundred workmen, well organized, gathered at the scene in the morning it became apparent that the undertaking would be accomplished. It is estimated that 5,000 persons visited the building during the day. Moving-picture machines played upon the crowds and upon the building at every stage of its erection. That same night the building stood completed, painted, papered, carpeted and furnished throughout.

When your child has whooping cough be careful to keep the cough loose and expectoration easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquify the tough mucus and make it easier to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epidemics and is safe and sure. For sale by druggists and dealers.

**THE REMEDY**

By Harriet Lummis Smith

The heavy cart, loaded with corn for the gristmill, has stood a good half-hour at Jonathan Murray's door. The oxen, chewing their cud reflectively, were in no hurry to start; but Jonathan's daughter, Mary, glancing at the sun, now high above the reddening maples on Blueberry Mountain compressed her lips into a severe line suggestive of over-taxed patience.

Through the closed door of the room beyond the kitchen came the murmur of voices, one breaking now and then into sobs, the other, a deeper voice, gently remonstrant. The words of the dialogue were not audible, but Mary could guess what was being said, the unreasonable appeal, to sturdy, common-sense rejoinder.

She had been trained to respect her elders, but in her heart there was a contemptuous wonder that any one, even her father's new wife, should not realize the necessity of a man getting his grist to mill. "Perhaps she would be content to eat it unground," Mary murmured, with a slightly curling lip. Her girlish step-mother, a child beside Mary in all practical things, had never shown any great readiness to undergo privation.

The door opened at last, and Jonathan Murray came from his wife's room with his strong face downcast. The trip to the mill would occupy only three days; the third night he would be at home again; but as his wife had begun weeping around his neck, and he had kissed the forehead of his two-week-old son, he had felt an unwonted heaviness of heart. It was a relief to stop for a word with Mary. The composed serenity of her face and manner was reassuring.

"She is troubled, Mary, to have me leave her, but I have no choice in the matter. The corn must be ground; already I am late with it. She is unaccustomed to our solitude. A neighbor or two would help keep up her heart."

He looked rather wistfully about the clearing, hemmed in by the forest, with the mountains rising beyond. It had never occurred to him before that it was lonely. He had his home, his wife and children, and strength to work for them. Few pioneers looked for more.

"She will grow used to it in time," Mary said, but she felt again that sense of surprised contempt for one whose peace of mind depended on seeing the smoke-wreaths from other people's chimneys. Mary knew as little of neighbors as she did of fashions. It was impossible for her to put herself in the place of the timid young creature, transplanted from the bustle of a thriving city to a solitude almost like that of a primeval wilderness. The young wife had struggled bravely against the strangers as of it all, but now, her power of resistance lessened by physical weakness, she had given up the effort to conceal her apprehensions. Her husband's departure seemed to her to leave them all at the mercy of innumerable dangers.

As the oxen plodded up the slope, Jonathan Murray turned for another look at his home, the square, substantial house, with its roof sloping in the rear to within a few feet of the ground, the wide chimney, spacious enough to accommodate the generous gifts of the Christmas saint, who must find himself sadly incommoded in these modern days.

A girlish figure stood in the open door. She waved her hand to him with a gesture oddly reassuring. Jonathan Murray found his heart suddenly lighter. Mary would take care of the weeping young wife whom he had left and the little, squirming, red-faced son. He could trust Mary.

When he looked back again, just before he turned the bend, the watching figure had disappeared. Mary was indeed in her step-mother's room, summoned by the baby's lusty crying. She took the child in her arms, conscious of a curious tender warmth in her heart. "Little brother, you must not cry so loud," she said in his ear, and the child stopped with almost uncanny abruptness, and stared at her with big round eyes.

Across the top of the baby's bald head Mary looked rather helplessly at the swollen, tear-stained face of the mother. Such manifestations of weakness made her feel awkward and ill at ease. For herself, she would have thrust her hands among the blazing logs in the huge fireplace almost as soon as she would have wept where other eyes could see her. Yet again the tears were rolling down the thin cheeks of her father's wife, and two trembling hands were extended toward her appealingly.

"Mary, I cannot bear it! I am afraid. Oh, 'tis terrible, this loneliness! Night and day it rests like a

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The few smouldering embers on the hearth would not check him.  
Again the baby cried, and close upon the sound of bits of mortar came rattling down the chimney into the fireplace. It was plain that the father, attracted by the child's crying, was trying to make an entrance by way of the chimney.

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Mary's eyes flew to the loaded musket hanging on the wall within reach. Like all girls in pioneer households, she could use a gun with a fair amount of dexterity; but even as she moved to take it down, doubt caused her to hesitate. If she shot up the chimney at the possible intruder, she was more than likely to miss, and before she could reload, the infuriated creature might be upon her. If she waited for his descent, she must shoot to kill. There would be no chance for a second shot.

She ran back into the bedroom, where the baby's fretful crying had begun again. Mistress Murray, seeing by the light of the candle that Mary carried, the white determination of the girl's face, needed to ask no questions. "Mary!" she gasped. She lifted herself on her elbow, cast a terrified glance toward the candle, and then fell back in a dead faint.  
Snatching the pillow from beneath the unconscious head, Mary closed and bolted the door on the fainting woman and the crying child. She had no time to weigh methods. Again the rattling mortar told what the big cat was about.

Mary caught her father's hunting-knife from the nail where it dangled, and slashed the heavy linen cover of the pillow. Then upon the ashes of the dying fire she emptied the contents of the case. The gleaming white goose feathers fell like snow upon the smouldering embers. In an instant a cloud of smoke was ascending the chimney, and with it the indelible smell of burning feathers.

Overhead a great cough waked the echoes. The big cat, his head hanging over the top of the chimney, as he meditated a downward leap, received the ascending fumes full in the face. The cough was repeated. There was a scurry, a rattle of claws and then a tawny body launched itself from the roof into the dark, as if that breath of civilization has aroused in it an over-whelming desire for the unutilized atmosphere of the forest. And Mary Murray, with trembling hands and shaking knees, proceeded without delay to build a roaring fire.

When Mistress Murray came to herself, her step-daughter was bending over her, moistening her forehead and rubbing her hands. The composure of the girl's manner was in itself an answer to the question that sprang to the young mother's lips. Nevertheless she asked it.

"Has it gone, Mary? Are we safe?"  
"It has gone," said Mary, quietly, "and we are quite safe." Then she noticed that her stepmother, now that her mind was partly at ease, was smiling uncertainly.  
"Tis a most unpleasant odor, dear Mary," she murmured.  
"Burnt feathers are the best of all remedies for faintness, or so I have been told," Mary replied demurely. And it was long before the other woman knew the mere weighty reason for the sacrifice of one of the best pillows. As Mary's hands smoothed the damp hair back from her forehead, Jonathan Murray's wife was comparing herself with his daughter, to her own great disadvantage.  
"You are brave, like your father, dear Mary," she said, at last. "And

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Joker's Corner

WHERE THE LAST WAS FIRST

A Kentucky blacksmith was elected justice of the peace. The first case he tried was litigation involving the ownership of a cow. The lawyers on both sides were young, ambitious and eloquent.

The lawyer for the plaintiff spoke for half an hour in his best vein. When he sat down the new justice said:

"I've heard enough—plaintiff wins!" The lawyer for the other side protested that he had something to say, too, and that it was unfair to render a judgment until both parties to the action had been heard.

"Go ahead and talk if you want," said his honor, "but my mind's fully made up."

The young lawyer went ahead—for an hour. He was a better orator even than his smiling and triumphant adversary. In his remarks on the cow he introduced, among other topics, the American Eagle, the Southern Cross, the Bonny Blue Flag, and the Old Kentucky Home. When he sat down the new justice said:

"Well, now, don't that beat all! Defendant wins."

HE ROSE TO THE OCCASION.

Tommy had been invited to dine at a learned professor's house and his mother was anxious for his good behaviour at table. She gave him elaborate instructions.

"Well, Tommy, how did you get on? she asked on his return. "You are quite sure you didn't do anything impolite?"

"Well, no, ma—at least nothing to speak of."

"Ah, then, there was something wrong. Now tell me about it, Tommy."

"Oh, it wasn't much. You see I was trying to cut my meat, when it slipped off the place on to the floor."

"Oh, my dear boy, whatever did you do?"

"I just said, sort of carelessly: 'That's always the way with tough meat' and went on with my dinner."

PLEADED GUILTY.

A distinguished divine of unusually solemn and impressive appearance, went out to a country town not long ago to address a temperance society. He arrived early in the afternoon, and all the town of course "spotted" him within five minutes as a very great and saintly man. He went in to a chemist's, and in tones that froze the young blood of the assistant behind the counter said: "Young man—do you—smoke?"

"Y-yes, sir," said the trembling druggist, "I'm sorry, but I learnt the habit young, and haven't been able to leave it off yet." "Then," said the great divine, without the movement of a muscle or the abatement of a shade of the awful solemnity of his voice, "can you tell me where I can get a good cigar?"

THE OFFICE HE HELD.

"When I first decided to allow the people of Tupelo to use my name as a candidate for Congress, I went out to a neighboring parish to speak," said Private John Allen recently to some friends at the old Metropolitan Hotel in Washington. "An old darkey came up to greet me after the meeting, 'Marse Allen,' he said, 'I's powerful glad to see you. I's knows ob you sense you wuz a babby. Knew yoh pappy long befo' you all wuz bobbi, too. He used to hold de same office you got now. I 'members how he held dat same office da 'years an' 'years.'"

"What office do you mean, uncle?" I asked, as I never knew po' held any office. "Why, de office of candidate, Marse John; yoh pappy was candidate fo' many 'years.'"

PUTTING HIS FOOT IN IT.

Bertie and Alice were sitting together in the moonlight, uttering tender nonsense. "And," said the girl, bravely, "if poverty comes we will face it together."

"Ah, dearest," he replied, "the mere sight of your face would scare the wolf away!"

And ever since she has been wondering why she returned his ring.

Game Laws of Nova Scotia.

The Most Important Amendments of 1912.

MOOSE.

Protection of Cow Moose is extended to 15th September, 1915. No person, not licensed guide and acting professionally as such, shall, after having killed a Moose, guide or assist another person hunting Moose in the same season.

CARIBOU.

Protection of Caribou, except in the Counties of Victoria and Inverness, is extended to 15th September, 1915. Open season for Caribou (in the Counties of Victoria and Inverness only), begins 15th September, and ends October 15th.

The sale of Caribou meat is prohibited.

A resident of the Province hunting Caribou outside of the County in which he resides must take out a license. Fee \$5.

A person killing a Caribou must report the fact and make an affidavit as in the case of Moose, and comply with the other provisions relating to Moose as far as applicable.

DEER.

Protection of Deer is extended to first October, 1915.

RABBIT, HARES.

Open season for shooting, October 1st to March 1st.

Open season for snaring, December 1st to March 1st.

Open season for sale, December 1st to March 1st.

FUR-BEARING ANIMALS.

Open season for Mink, Otter, Fox, Raccoon, Muskrat, and other protected fur-bearing animals, November 1st to March 1st.

All fur-bearing animals, except Bear, Wolf and Wilecat, are protected during the season when the fur is of no value; subject however, to a provision enabling a person to kill at any time when necessary to protect private property, certain destructive animals found on his premises or farm.

The use of poison to take or kill any fur-bearing animal is prohibited. It is unlawful to have in possession the green hide or pelt of any fur-bearing animal taken out of season.

Persons keeping Foxes, Minks, or other fur-bearing animals in captivity must obtain a permit from the Chief Game Commissioner and report annually the number and value of animals and pelts exported or carried out of the Province.

BIRDS.

The open season for Wilson Snipe begins September 1st instead of August 15th.

The bag limit for Woodcock is changed from fifteen to ten per day. The use of a rifle, or gun loaded with bullet, to shoot Wild Fowl is prohibited.

GREATER NEW GLASGOW.

One result of the erection of the car works on the East River is likely to be the amalgamation of New Glasgow and Trenton, making a greater New Glasgow, which should be a rival to Amherst and Sydney in population and industrial prosperity, says the Pictou Advocate.

In population the greater New Glasgow would rank next to Glace Bay among the towns of the province, having 8,993, New Glasgow with 6,323 and Trenton with 1,710—we are taking the figures of the recent census. But the car works, according to Mr. Cantley, will employ eight hundred men, which should mean an addition of 4,000 people, and that within a year. Thus we have a population of 12,053. But again, for all business purposes, Westville and Stellarton are one with New Glasgow. You can hardly tell now where one town ends and the other begins. Westville has a population of 4,417 and Stellarton of 3,910. Thus we have a community of 20,420, and every bit is growing daily. We would not be surprised to see this community looking for a city charter within a few years. Success to the greater New Glasgow.

WHEN SHE SPOKE.

Mike Murphy, a contractor, became rich and got a handsome automobile. Mrs. Murphy invited Mrs. Clancy for a ride in the auto. "Whatever you do Mrs. Clancy, don't talk to the 'shofer' at all not a word or a whisper to him, for it takes his mind off what he is doing." So they started out at a rapid clip. The chauffeur went zip around the corner and zip around another corner; sometimes the auto would be on two wheels. Finally Mrs. Clancy touched the chauffeur on the back and says—"Mr. Shofer, I beg your pardon; I was told not to speak to you at all, but let me tell you that Mrs. Murphy hasn't been in the car for the last ten minutes."

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The members will not only learn all they can about the creatures of the wild, but they will also study the domestic animals and their care. The horse, the dog, cat and cow will be subjects for study. They will learn to feed these animals regularly and properly and to provide plenty of fresh water so that these creatures can get to it whenever they want a drink. Birds will also be thankful for lots of water, and it will be a pleasure to watch them make use of it.

A few—say six or ten—can have a grand Band of Mercy. A little Barrie boy not many years ago, started a Band by reading Black Beauty or Beautiful Joe. They have about twenty members. Last year they sent for three of our Humane Society dog ringtons.

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One boy or girl can be a Band of Mercy, and any boy or girl in Canada can join the Canadian Band of Mercy League.

If you write, address your letter, The Humane Society, Home Life Building, Toronto, Ont.

FORCIBLE REMOVAL OF THE HORSE.

The Chief of Police of Berlin has issued an edict to the effect that in view of the obsolete nature of horse cars these can no longer be allowed to circulate in the thoroughfares of that city after March 31st. Each licensed driver is to receive compensation to the amount of six hundred marks (about \$150), and encouragement is to be offered should they wish to qualify as drivers of motor cars which are displacing the horse drawn vehicles. It seems as if it would only be a question of time until like action is taken in all great cities.

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The union of church colleges, especially of those in Montreal, is probably a close forerunner of the union of the Protestant churches of Canada. Steps have already been taken in Montreal for a working union of the Presbyterian, Congregational, Methodist and Anglican colleges. At present the theological classes in each college are small, and therefore it has been temporarily arranged, subject to the approval of the church bodies, that these classes shall amalgamate, and that the separate classes may only be retained so far as purely sectarian teaching is concerned.

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Habits of Grant as a Boy

Concerning Hubert Grant, arrested on a charge of murder in Halifax, The Antigonish Observer tells the following story:—

The young man was born in this town some twenty-three years ago. His parents moved to Boston when he was nearly a year old, taking him with them. He next saw Antigonish last fall coming home in October to join his parents, who had returned a little earlier for the benefit of the mother's health, she being a sufferer from heart trouble. At the first of this year the youth departed for the Kingston Military College, taking the three months' course. In April he returned here, got employment in a grocery store, and after a few weeks' service burglarized the store one Sunday morning. For this crime he was arrested at Mulgrave, but unfortunately the matter was not carried into Court, the burglar being allowed to leave the community.

The young man in the opinion of those acquainted with his habits here is devoid of many of the qualities of a sane person. His actions were those of a youth who had fed on dime novel literature and his talk was highly picturesque and wild. He continually carried firearms and frequently used them. On one occasion he riddled the stairs in a private house in Town, putting bullet holes in them. One Sunday morning he entertained himself by riding furiously on horseback through the town, banishing a gun meanwhile. To make good his talk of "having money to burn" he deliberately flung a handful of money into the fire. Many such incidents marked his short stay here, causing him to become noted, and regarded as an extremely erratic individual. His parents are quiet, peaceful and industrious. The son, Hubert, has been for a long time a source of trouble to them and to the other members of the family.

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PATENT MEDICINE KILLS CHILD

The Lunenburg Progress-Enterprise says:—A very sad accident occurred on Friday afternoon by which one child of Stagnace Richard died and the other rendered very ill. It seems that the children who were twins, got hold of a box of patent medicine and each ate a number of them before the mother discovered them. In the greatest haste Dr. T. D. DesBrisay was summoned and on the way, he met one of the neighbors who informed him the child was dead. The doctor knew nothing about the children being twins and thinking his services would be of no avail turned back. The mother by this time nearly frantic, telephoned again and again for medical aid and finally Drs. Forbes and Pernay rushed to the scene in Dr. Forbes' car and after great efforts saved the other little one's life. The children were two years of age. The funeral of the little one who succumbed to the effects of the medicine, took place on Saturday afternoon.

THE CAR FERRY.

An Ottawa despatch reports that Professor Kirkpatrick, of Queen's University, who was sent by the Hon. Frank Cochrane to study the navigation conditions in the Straits of Northumberland, with a view to the proposed establishment of a car ferry between Prince Edward Island and the mainland, has sent in his report to the Department of Railways and Canals.

It is also stated that the mission of Pro. Kirkpatrick was in every way a successful one and prospects are said to be good for the removal of the old grievance of the Island Province, by the speedy inauguration of an uninterrupted means of communication with the mainland.—Charlotte town Examiner.

WHEAT ACREAGE IN WEST.

Vancouver, June 13.—Vice-President Bury, of the Canadian Pacific Railway in an interview today said that although spring had been more backward, it is estimated that there are 13,200,000 acres under crop in the three Prairie Provinces, 2,000,000 acres more than last year. There are 10,500,000 acres of wheat this year.

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Do something to make other people happy, even if it is only to get them alone.

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Illustration of a man laughing, part of the 'Landlord's Laugh' advertisement.

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M. K. PIPER  
PROPRIETOR AND PUBLISHER

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1912.

Bridgetown has been honored dur-  
ing the week past by visitors of  
wealth and distinction, who were  
strongly impressed with the natural  
charms of the town, the alertness of  
its citizens, and its advantages as a  
manufacturing centre.

One need not be over sanguine to  
indulge a hope that their visit here  
may not be fruitless in results,—in  
fact the publicity gained by the vis-  
its of these capitalists and manufac-  
turers, and by the representative of  
the department of immigration for  
Nova Scotia might well be expected  
to result in appreciable gain to  
Bridgetown.

We have water power going to  
waste, ample space for factories and  
for the people to be employed in  
them. Best of all, right at our doors  
we have the land to supply the  
needs of a big population.

Who would venture to prophesy  
that Bridgetown has not a prosper-  
ous future?

### HYMNICAL

DICKIE-FOSTER.

David C. Dickie of 110 Hesper St.,  
Saugus, and Miss Elma C. Foster, of  
361 Western avenue, Lynn, were united  
in marriage at 3 p.m. on Tuesday  
The ceremony was performed at 37  
Broad street, the residence of the  
officiating clergyman, Rev. Arthur E.  
Harriman, pastor of the East Baptist  
church. The single ring service  
was used. The contracting parties  
were accompanied by Mrs. May Alden  
a sister of the groom. The bride's  
dress was white net with lace trim-  
mings. Until recently, Mrs. Dickie  
was employed as a bookkeeper by the  
Friend Bros. Baking Company. The  
groom is a salesman for the same  
firm. Mr. and Mrs. Dickie are to live  
in this city and will reside tempo-  
rarily at 25 Broad street.

Ed.—The above item is from Lynn  
Item. The bride is a daughter of  
D.M. Foster of Karsdale, Annapolis  
County, whose many friends here will  
extend best wishes.

### Banquet at Grand Central

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spected the Graves Cider Factory,  
and were also taken out to Round  
Hill in an automobile loaned by Mr.  
Beiler and driven by Mr. F. Bath, ac-  
companied by the Attorney-General,  
and on their return Mr. W. Warren  
placed his automobile at their ser-  
vice and drove them around the  
town's environments, and back to the  
Hotel for dinner.

The visitors after dinner visited the  
Hon. O. T. Daniels' residence, after  
which they spent the night with Mr.  
F. W. Micklewright, returning to An-  
napolis Sunday morning, by the  
courtesy and kindness of Mr. W.  
Warren in his delightful car.

Through the columns of the Moni-  
tor the writer wishes to thank most  
cordially those who assisted in their  
welcome of the visitors to Bridge-  
town. They will carry with them en-  
during memories of the occasion and  
will convey a happy impression of  
their visit upon their return to the  
Old Country.

### British Capitalists at Bridgetown

(Continued from page 1)

and proceeded over the bridge, up  
Ranville Street West to Mr. J.  
Cute's, thence up to the Graves  
vinegar Co's factory, where they  
were cordially received by M. Graves  
and Capt. Salter, and sampled this  
firm's famous cider, which was duly  
appreciated. From thence they pro-  
ceeded as far as the Baptist church,  
up Rectory street, past the school  
house, and thence to Queen street and  
St. James' Hotel, where Mr. White-  
way was awaiting them. Here more  
refreshment of cider was indulged in,  
and on approaching the station some  
of the visitors were observed with  
one, two and three bottles apiece,  
which had been given them by Mr.  
Whiteway.

On returning via Queen street, the  
cars were preceded by the Bridgetown  
Band, an attention evidently appre-  
ciated by the visitors. What a  
refreshment of cider was indulged in,  
and on approaching the station some  
of the visitors were observed with  
one, two and three bottles apiece,  
which had been given them by Mr.  
Whiteway.

Twenty-five minutes! And what a  
lot was crammed into that period of  
time. One delighted visitor, quite a  
young man, called out, "Mr Monitor,  
I have been in a great many pretty  
places in my lifetime, but this is the  
sweetest and prettiest place I have  
ever seen, and" (speaking very exci-  
tedly) "I believe we all think the  
same."

Hurried adieus had to be said, but  
before quitting the platform and  
boarding the train, Mr. Palmer, or-  
ganizing director, called out "Three  
cheers for Bridgetown!" and these  
were cordially given by our visitors,  
and responded to by our townsmen.

Mr. H. Ruggles and Capt. Salter  
accompanied the visitors to Annapolis  
and returned with them two hours  
later.

Too great credit cannot be given to  
these responsible for gathering to-  
gether at such short notice the lead-  
ing officials of the town, and thus  
being able to place before the visitors  
another town which is well worthy of  
their support.

The visitors to Canada represent in  
actual capital no less than the col-  
ossal sum of \$680,580,000; and added  
to this are other members of the ex-  
cursion party representing large fi-  
nancial interests, bringing the total  
up to about \$1,000,000,000, or \$200-  
000,000.

It is reported that E. J. Caley,  
who is the proprietor of one of the  
tunes in England, has already made  
largest soft water (mineral) manufac-  
ture very large deal up Berwick, Ken-  
tville or Wolfville way.

Mr. A. S. Barnstead accompanied  
the visitors on behalf of the Provin-  
cial Government, and Mr. R. U. Park-  
er on behalf of the D. A. R.

Below is a list of those who visited  
Bridgetown and capital represented,  
and people employed.

- Frederick Dowson—Director, Mather and Platt, Ltd., Manchester and Salford; \$5,000,000; 2,500 men.
- Rowland Rank—Manager, Jos. Rank Ltd., mills, Hull; \$5,500,000; 1,500 men.
- Alf. Moorehouse, F.I.A.—Friends Provident Institution, Bradford, Yorks; \$17,000,000.
- Jas. H. Annadale—Chairman and managing director, Annadale and Sons, pepper makers, Polton, Midlothian; \$650,000; 240 men.
- Thomas Davidson—Manager, India Rubber, Gutta Percha and Telegraph Works Co., Ltd., London; \$4,960,000; 5,200 men.
- Palmer Tyre Co., Ltd., London; \$500,000; 500 men.
- Geo. Mansfield—Export manager, Blundell Spence and Co., Ltd., Paisley, Hull; \$2,500,000; 600 men.
- G. Heathey—Managing director, British Mannesmann Tube Co., London; \$2,220,000; 1,600 men.
- J. H. Stead—Director, The Drury Car Co., London.
- J. C. Burlingham—Chairman, John Brinsmead and Sons, Ltd., Piano-forte manufacturers, London; \$500,000; 300 men.
- Chas. Pocock Lidbetter—Director, Burroughs and Watts Billiard

### PROMINENT FEATURES OF The Excelsior LIFE Insurance Co.

High Interest Earnings  
Low Mortality Rate  
Economy in Management

These are the chief sources from which profits accrue.

Capt. S. M. Beardsley  
Provincial Manager  
Wolfville N. S.

Tables, etc., London; \$750,000; 300-400 men.

O. B. Stanton—Representing O. B. Stanton, yarn merchant and hos-  
iery manufacturers, Leicester.

John Paton Son and Co., Ltd., Scotch wheelings and yarns, Alloa, Scotland; \$3,500,000.  
Leicester Chamber of Commerce.

Thomas Gadsby—Director Peak, Frean and Co., Ltd., biscuits, cakes etc., London, \$2,500,000, over 3,000 men.

Thomas Brown—Chairman and managing director, Brown, Hoggo and Gilbert, Ltd., provisions, Birmingham, \$375,000, 120 men.

J. E. Duffus—Representing Duffus Brothers and Klein, art painters, London, \$250,000, 300 men.  
Riddle, Smith and Duffus.

Edwin F. Farden—Managing Director Farden's Vinegar Co., Ltd., Bir-  
ingham; \$175,000; 100 men.

Edward Andrews—Manager Fastening District Slate Quarry Prop., Asso-  
ciation, Portmadoc, North Wales; \$4,000,000; 2,650 men.

John Fison—Director Jas. Fison & Sons Ltd., Chemical Manure Man-  
ufacturers, Thetford, Norfolk, \$300,000; 150 men.

J. Starke Browne—Director Marvis Products, Ltd., London, Eng., \$131,250.  
Director British Columbian Fish-  
eries, England, and B. C.

B. J. Redman—Director Redman Bros Ltd., manufacturing clothing, Swin-  
gate, Leeds, \$1,500,000, 2,000 men.

George Mason—Educational Adviser, Reeves and Sons, Ltd., artists' col-  
ors, brushes, etc., Dalston, N. E. \$750,000.

Lance of Lupton—Swift, Smith and Bro. wool combine and spinning,  
Keighley, \$50 men.

A. M. Thompson—Director B. and S. H. Thompson, Ltd., general mer-  
chants, \$100,000, 30 men.

G. W. Beeson—Stratham, Represent-  
ing W. Beeson, London, potato ex-  
porter.

E. T. Boardman—Edw. Boardman, F.R.I.B.A., Norwich.

Captain L. Webber—Representing Royal Colonial Institute, with a-  
bout 5,000 members.

Frank Shackle—G. B. Kent and Sons, Ltd., truss manufacturers, \$800,000  
James Deuchar—James Deuchar, Ltd. brewers wholesale spirit merchants,  
\$4,800,000, 500 men.

G. F. Barnacle—G. F. Barnacle, Mar-  
atoin, Cornwall.

Charles Robb—Director Robb and Co. Belfast, representing interests a-  
mounting to \$2,500,000.

J. E. Locks—J. E. Locks, newspaper proprietor, Leytonstone, \$250,000.  
Major E. J. M. Savage—Wanstead, re-  
presenting large financial interests.

John Stirling—London, representing large financial interests.  
R. C. Lawton—Albion Clay Co., Ltd.,  
Stoneware, Woodville, \$600,000.  
Edward J. Caley, J. P.—Chairman  
Norwich Chamber of Commerce,  
Norwich.

A. J. Caley and Son, Ltd., mineral waters, etc., Norwich, \$1,200,000, 1200 men.  
F. J. Hook—Representing Chivers and Sons, Ltd., jams, etc., Cambridge; \$1,250,000; 1,500 men.

### Sheriff's Sale

IN THE SUPREME COURT

Between.

Charles Piggott and Plaintiff  
and  
William Gordon Goldsmith Defendant.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION by the Sheriff of the County of Annapolis at the County Court House, Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis on Saturday the 6th day of July, A.D. 1912, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to an order of foreclosure and sale made in the said County Court on the 28th day of May, A.D. 1912, unless before the date of the said sale the amount due to the plaintiff on the mortgages sought to be foreclosed hereon, together with interest to the day of sale, and his costs to be taxed, be paid to him or his solicitor or to the sheriff or into Court.

All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the above named defendant, and of all persons claiming or entitled by, from or under the said defendant, of, in, and to, ALL and singular that certain piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in Bridgetown, in the said County of Annapolis on the south side of the Annapolis river and on the east side of South Street so called and commencing at the north-west corner of lands of Mary A. Fowler, thence running northwardly a straight line to a stake in the said County of Annapolis on the south side of the Atlantic Railway fence, thence turning and running westwardly a long said railway fence to the afore-said lands of Mary A. Fowler thence turning and running in a northwardly course along the east side of the said lands of Mary A. Fowler to the north-east angle thereof thence turning and running westwardly along the said lands of Mary A. Fowler to the place of commencement, containing one-quarter of an acre more or less.

Also all and singular that certain other piece or parcel of land situate adjacent to the above described lot of land and bounded and described as follows, that is to say, commencing on the east side of South Street, so called, at the north-west angle of the above described lot of land, thence running northwardly along said South Street so-called sixty-three feet thence turning and running eastwardly in a line parallel with the north line of the above described lot of land to a stake, a distance of seventy-seven feet, thence turning and running southerly in a line parallel with the highway fence to the north-east corner of the above described lot of land thence turning and running westwardly along the above described lot of land to the place of commencement. The said pieces and parcels of land being the same lands as were conveyed to the said William Gordon Goldsmith by Allister Taylor by deed dated June 25th, 1902, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds at Bridgetown in book 120 at page 180.

Also all that certain lot, tract, piece or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being on the east side of South Street so-called, in Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on South Street, on the south line of lands now owned by W. Gordon Goldsmith, and running north along said South Street ten feet, or to the north side of the said lands now owned by W. Gordon Goldsmith, thence turning and running easterly parallel with the south line of the said W. Gordon Goldsmith lands seventy-seven feet, thence turning and running southerly parallel with South Street, until it comes to the south line of lands now owned by W. Gordon Goldsmith, thence turning and running westerly along the south line of said lands of W. Gordon Goldsmith, to South Street, so-called, or the place of beginning, subject to a right of way to the marsh on the west side thereof.

TERMS.—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale, remainder on delivery of deed.

Dated at Bridgetown in the County of Annapolis this 5th day of June, A. D., 1912.

EDWIN GATES,  
High Sheriff Annapolis County  
CHAS. R. CHIPMAN,  
of Bridgetown, in the  
County of Annapolis  
Plaintiff's Solicitor.

### BAY VIEW HOTEL.

The annex, at Bay View Hotel, Port Lorne, will be opened on June 17th any person wishing board or engage rooms, apply to  
T. W. TEMPLEMAN,  
Port Lorne, June 17, 8 mo.

## NEW LINES JUST OPENED FOR MID-SUMMER WEAR

EMBROIDERED AND LACE TRIMMED DRESSES.

Very dainty effects, colours White, Pink, Blue and Champagne.  
Note the price, only

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ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N. S.

**Cheap Fares**

**DOMINION DAY, JULY 1st, 1912**

THE HALIFAX & SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY will sell excursion tickets between all points on this Railway and all connecting lines at the ONE WAY FIRST-CLASS FARE, good going June 28th, 29th and July 1st, valid for returning until July 3rd, 1912.

### FARMERS' EXCURSION.

To Annapolis Valley farmers:  
On June 21st a splendid opportunity is offered you to make a trip to Truro at a very cheap rate. Special train leaves Annapolis 6.00 a.m.  
Stopping at stations—  
Round Hill 6.20  
Bridgetown 6.40  
Lawrencetown 7.08  
Middleton 7.20  
Arrive at Truro 12.05  
Leave Truro 6.00 p.m.  
RATES.  
Annapolis to Aylesford \$1.55  
Berwick East 1.35  
Refreshment car on train

Prof. Cumming has arranged an attractive program. Speeches and music.  
No dinners served on grounds. Lunches, tea and coffee. Baskets checked free.  
J. H. CARR,  
W. H. WOODWORTH,  
Committee.

### Tea Meeting.

At Dalhousie West, on Wednesday, June 26th a tea-meeting will be held, proceeds for benefit of the Baptist church. If not fine next following day.  
June 10th, 21.

## JUST ARRIVED

A COMPLETE LINE OF  
**Trunks, Valises.**  
SUIT CASES FROM \$1.25 UP.  
Call and see our line of SPRING CLOTHING.  
Straw and Panama Hats. Hard Hats in the very latest styles.  
Tennis Flannels and Shirts.  
Summer Underwear in leading makes.

**GILBERT E. HARTT.**

**SATURDAY BARGAINS MONDAY**  
June 22 June 24

AT

# Chesley's

<b>Hammers</b> 1 lb hardwood handle 19c	<b>Agate Pans</b> 6 qt. Pudding Pan, 19c. 6 qt. Dairy Pan, 19c.	<b>Machine Oil</b> Large Bottle, 7c.
<b>Steel Fry Pans</b> 9 inches, 15c.	<b>Scissors</b> Nickle Plated, any size, 19c.	<b>Envelopes</b> 2 Bunches 7c.
<b>Paper Napkins</b> 3 doz. for 10c.	<b>Magic Solderine</b> For all kinds Agate, Enamel & Tinware, 19c.	<b>Ruled Paper</b> Quire 4c.
<b>Embossed Fibre Chair Seats</b> 19c. each	<b>Hair Nets</b> With or without elastic 4cts.	<b>Shoe Dressing</b> Bottle 9c.
<b>Clothes Lines</b> 50 ft. long, 13c.		<b>Lamp Chimneys</b> Large Size 7c.

### GROCERIES

SEEDED RAISINS, pkg. .12	DUTCH CLEANSER .09
CURRENTS, pkg. .10	PEARLINE, 2 pkgs. .09
JAM, 1-lb. glass jar .10	SALMON .16
LIPON'S JELLIES .09	GILLET'S LYE .10
COLEMAN'S MUSTARD .08½	ALLSPICE, pkg. .06½
MIXED STARCH .08½	GINGER, pkg. .06½
SPLIT PEAS, .04½	CASSIA .06½
RICE, lb. .04½	CLOVES .05
OATMEAL, 5 lbs. .23	NUTMEGS, 2 oz. .05
BAKER'S COCOA .13	SHREDDED COCOANUT, lb. .24
KNOX GELATINE, pkg. .13	SNAP, can .13
CORN STARCH, pkg. .08½	PRUNES .09
PARLOR MATCHES, box .34	FANCY CAKES, 2 lbs. .25
MOLASSES, gal. .44	COW BRAND SODA .04
LARD, lb. .16	MOIR'S BEST CHOCOLATES, .46

Seed Barley and Cabbage Plants for Sale.

WANTED---Print Butter 2lc. lb. & Eggs 20c.

## Wait and You Lose

Under this unusual offer such full smoothness of tea flavor is far too good to miss even for a few days. Buy to-day from your dealer with this guarantee:

*In case you do not like the flavor, indeed, if you are not delighted with it, please return the broken package and have your money refunded.*

Nothing but exceptional Tea could bear that test. The 40c. grade will be found particularly pleasing.

35, 40, 50c. per lb.

# KING COLE TEA

**LOCAL AND SPECIAL**

Don't forget the Bell Ringers at Primrose Theatre on Friday night next.

Warren Miller presented the Monitor last week with the first wild strawberries of the season.

Dr. Burns, who expects shortly to give up his practice here and remove to Kentville, is offering his place for sale.

Wilson, of Digby, charged with shooting his brother, convicted and sentenced to be hanged, was granted a new trial and was found guilty of manslaughter. Sentence deferred.

The young friends of the Misses Venie Rice and Hilda Wade expressed their esteem and interest in the events taking place today by "shower parties" to the prospective brides, during the past week.

Don't forget the Farmers' Grand Excursion to take place Friday, the 21st. Only \$1.55 for day's outing. First-class refreshments served on train for moderate price. Music and speeches at Truro. You can't afford to miss it.

Mr. S. Taverner, station agent at Truroville, who has been having serious eye trouble, has sufficiently improved to resume his position. Mr. Kenneth Dodge, who has been substituting for him, has returned to Bridgetown.

Dr. Jost left Monday and Rev. B. J. Porter left Tuesday for Amherst to attend the annual session of the Methodist Conference in that town. The only service in the Methodist church Sunday will be the Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Two tea-meetings are announced in these columns, one at Port Lorne on July 1st and one at Dalhousie on Wednesday next, June 26th. Both are delightful places to visit, and no doubt crowds from the Valley will be attracted to each place.

The little "King Edward Tree" on the school grounds has failed to put forth any leaves this spring. This tree, an elm, was planted with much ceremony on the occasion of the memorial service to King Edward on May 20th, 1910. It should be replaced with another as soon as the season is suitable for transplanting.

The degree of Bachelor of Laws has been conferred on George E. A. Rice, of Bear River, by Dalhousie University. Among second year students last term were Herman C. Morse of Middleton, Eugene L. Parker, Belleisle. First year, Winyard LaMet Stevens, Lawrence Town; special student, Earle C. Phinney, Bear River.

The horticulture department of the Horticultural Exhibition is this year to open its exhibit on a separate date. Friday and Saturday, August 23rd and 24th are the dates selected. The prize list will be ready for distribution shortly. It is hoped that the country in general will take an interest in this exhibition and make a display that will far excel the very creditable flower show given in Bridgetown last year.

As a substitute for a park, now that the long summer days have come, could not our town council furnish benches for the park enclosing the school grounds? A band stand on the grounds for open-air concerts would also be greatly appreciated by our town people. The grounds are kept in beautiful order by Principal Bustin and his assistants, and the shade of the trees is most tempting on a warm day of evening.

Conductor A. G. Herbert of the D.A.R. suburban train was very badly injured at Digby last Wednesday. He was in the act of coupling the engine to one of the passenger coaches when he got caught in the space between. He was jammed about the chest, and narrowly escaped being crushed to death. He was rushed in an automobile to Dr. Reed's office, and afterwards placed aboard his train and taken to his home in Annapolis, where he is convalescing.

Two weddings take place today of much interest to Bridgetown people. At eleven-thirty the marriage of Miss Mary Melvin Rice to Mr. Charles Ernest Ewing, of Troy, New York, takes place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Rice, and at noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Wade, their daughter, Annie Hilda, becomes the bride of Mr. Harry Irwin Patterson. The Monitor unites in congratulations and best wishes extended by many friends.

The summer schedule of the H. & S.W. Railway went into effect on the 17th inst., the change of time coming to hand too late for insertion in this issue. Daily express trains will be operated between Halifax and Yarmouth equipped with parlor buffet service, and connecting at Yarmouth with the D.A.R. steamships. Passenger and accommodation trains will be operated daily between Halifax and Liverpool, making connection for Lunenburg, etc.

A true bill was found before the Supreme Court at Digby last week, Judge Russell presiding, against the Bridgetown trio, Sabean, Greenlum and Carter for three indictments, for breaking and entering the store of Robert Journey at Weymouth, and stealing therefrom, for burglarizing the house of Rev. Father LeBlanc, Digby Co., and for attempting to break jail. They pleaded guilty to the charges of burglary, but stood trial on the charge of breaking jail. Denison, K.C., prosecutor, and Roscoe, R.C. defended. Sentence was deferred.

**PERSONAL**

Mr. Elton Burns, of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Halifax, is spending his vacation at home.

Mrs. C. A. Perkins and son, Cyrus, of the Hillside House, Annapolis Royal, spent a few days at the home of her brother, S. C. Turner quite recently.

Boyd E. Chute has resigned his position as book-keeper and stenographer with the MacKenzie, Crowe & Co., Ltd., and left yesterday for Winnipeg.

Dr. M. E. Armstrong returned on Wednesday from Boston, where he had accompanied E. G. Bowers of Digby Co., the latter remaining at Kearney Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. W. Miller, Mrs. Lockett, Mrs. H. Abbott and Pastor McNeill were delegates from the Bridgetown Baptist church to the Convention at Chester last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Turner, Bridgetown and sister Mrs. C. A. Perkins of Annapolis, were entertained very pleasantly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Beauson, Clarence, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Graham and two children, of Toronto, arrived last week to spend the summer with Mrs. Graham's mother, Mrs. W. A. Kinney. Arriving across the Bay at Digby after the D.A.R. express had left, they were conveyed by auto to Bridgetown the same evening.

Mr. Malcolm E. Davis arrived on Friday last to take charge of the Sunnyside Farm, Ltd., the former property of James Marshall, Mr. Davis has just graduated from Macdonald College affiliated with McGill University, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Science in Agriculture. He is a native of Yarmouth and spent his first two college years at Truro Agricultural College, where he headed his class. During the past year he has been president of the Horticultural Society and also of the class Literary Society, and has been a leader of his class in debate. Mr. Davis is now associated with Dr. M. E. Armstrong, his brother-in-law, and W. R. Calder in the ownership of Sunnyside Farm, of which he holds the position of manager.

**Fire at St. James' Hotel.**

Fire broke out in St. James' Hotel yesterday morning at 10.30, but was subdued without much damage, thanks to Bridgetown's efficient fire department.

The fire caught in the flooring under the kitchen range, although between the bottom of the range and the range was a substantial layer of zinc. When the firemen with their hose rails arrived Mr. Nery and others present had cut a hole in the flooring and were applying water to the flames, which with the aid of the fire brigade were soon extinguished. The damage was not great but the inconvenience was considerable as the hotel was full of guests, in consequence of the attendance at the Court now in session. The Court House was soon emptied after the fire bell rang and a large number of those present joined the crowd at the fire.

**Supreme Court**

The Grand Jury having found "true bills" against each of the following prisoners, the cases were tried yesterday and resulted as follows:—

In each case Mr. J. Irvin prosecuted.

Naaman Owen, charged with stealing a pair of shoes from Grimm's repairing store at Bridgetown, pleaded guilty and sentence was deferred until today (Wednesday). Prisoner also has to take his trial upon another indictment.

A man named Jefferson, who was charged with assaulting a sick man at Wilnot, pleaded "not guilty." Judge Russell requested Mr. D. Owen to defend prisoner. Jury found prisoner guilty, and sentence of two years in the penitentiary was passed. In view of the fact that prisoner has a large family of young children, Judge Russell suspended sentence provided prisoner secured \$200 bonds and \$100 of his own, and kept the peace, and paid \$5 costs of the prosecution.

Moses Dowdette, of Springfield, being undefended, asked that Mr. O. S. Miller be allowed to defend, which was granted. Prisoner was charged with breaking and entering the Patterson store at Springfield and stealing goods therefrom. The Jury found the prisoner "not guilty," and he was accordingly discharged.

There are no less than twenty-four cases on the docket, which is believed to be unprecedented.

Mr. McLean from Lunenburg, and Mr. Rogers, from Halifax, were present in Court.

The Court adjourned for the day.

**BORN**

BRINTON.—At Bear River June 13th to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinton a daughter.

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**Notice to Teachers.**

The Monitor is requested to state that when the April Journal of Education was published the Superintendent of Education was not able to predict that the 3rd of June would be proclaimed a holiday by the Lieutenant-Governor, which would make it a holiday in the public schools. The number of days in this half school year is thus reduced to 192 instead of 193. As in many parts of the County teachers may have been unaware of the proclamation, those who taught on that day, under the circumstances, may have the day allowed as a substitute for a day lost during the half year.

**Notice to Orchardists**

A. McNeil, Chief of the Fruit Division, Ottawa and Mr. McMann, of Aylesford, will address meetings, viz: June 26th, Clarence Centre at 2 p.m.; Bridgetown 8 p.m.—27th, Lawrence town 2 p.m. Paradise 8 p.m. Subject "Co-operation."

**NOTICE**

Miss Crosskill has returned to her studio and is prepared to execute her photographic work in her usual good style at reasonable prices.

**Executors' Notice.**

All persons having legal demands against the estate of Robert Marshall, late of Clarence, in the County of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to EDWIN J. ELLIOTT, Sole Executor

Clarence, N.S., June 13th

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**The Wonderful Apple Trade of the Annapolis Valley.**

One Million Five Hundred Thousand Barrels Expected This Season. Methods of Caring for the Trees. Varieties of Fruit Grown. Co-operation in Selling.

(Farmers' Magazine.)

One million and a half barrels! No wonder the trainmaster of the Dominion Atlantic rushes round distractedly. No wonder the master mechanic at the engine-house is at his wits' end to provide locomotives. The apples come piling into the storage warehouses all along the line from Bear River to Windsor, one hundred miles of track, in a resistless flood of barrels and boxes. The pressure, on the operating department of the D.A.R. becomes acute. Every engine and every car is brought into commission and Montreal is wired to for help. Trains are made up and despatched as quickly as the motive power can be secured and the silence of the night between Kentville and Halifax is rent by the discordant shrieks of double headers, says W.A. Craik in Farmers' Magazine.

It is trying on the nerves, this struggle to keep up with the flood, but it is a grand sight none the less to watch the moving of the apple harvest of the Annapolis Valley of Nova Scotia to the seaboard and the far west. The gathering, packing, and shipping of the fruit provides employment for thousands, as its sale in the markets of Great Britain, Europe, South America and Western Canada brings wealth and comfort into many a Nova Scotian home.

Providence made the Annapolis Valley for the growing of apples. Two high and parallel ridges of land running east and west and known locally as the north and south mountains, close in and protect a fertile valley some seventy miles in length and from five to eight miles in width. The north mountain range, five hundred feet in height shuts out the cold air and mists of the Bay of Fundy, as the south mountain opposes a barrier to the rocky soil of the interior. Deep-flowing rivers that rise and fall many feet with the tide irrigate the valley, the soil of which is rich and particularly adapted to fruit-growing. Viewed from the high ground, the beautiful stretch of fertile land smiles up to the observer with all the reputed charm of the old Garden of Eden.

**THE GROWING TRADE.**  
Apple shipments from the Annapolis Valley have necessarily shown variations from year to year, according to the size of the crop, but the general trend has been upward, as more and more land has been set out in orchards. Back in 1880-81, shipments amounted to 24,250 bbls. The average for the following decade was 68,333 barrels per annum. During 1891-1901 it rose to 203,332 barrels and from 1901-1911 the average was 422,028 barrels a year. It is expected that the present season will establish a record that has never before been approached or even dreamed possible—a million and a half barrels. To all these figures a local consumption of about 80,000 barrels shall be added to make up the total production.

**CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS.**  
In the larger orchards the apples are taken from the trees and temporarily placed in old barrels for conveyance to the place of shipment. Here they are picked over, graded and packed in the barrels in which they are to be shipped.

At this point it becomes necessary to refer to the manner in which the apple crop is marketed, it being different from the practice in Ontario. A great portion of the production is now controlled by co-operative fruit-growers' associations, of which twenty-two have been formed in the valley within the last two or three years. These associations have an average membership of from twenty-five to fifty growers, each of whom takes stock in the association. A President, a Secretary and a Manager are appointed, the Manager being usually the President. A warehouse costing from \$3,000 to \$4,000 is erected. Grading is done in ones, twos and threes with fancy as leaders. Seventy-five per cent. of the crop usually sizes up as ones and the balance as twos and threes. The rough stuff is now being sent to evaporators and vinegar factories, which are springing up in considerable numbers in the valley, there being twelve evaporators and four or five vinegar factories now running. Cider mills also take a lot and latterly corrs and skins are being shipped to Germany.

The tendency is becoming more and more general to pack the finest apples in boxes. These are wrapped in paper individually and placed in the boxes in uniform rows, being pressed down carefully to hold the fruit solid. Apart from the fact that the average consumer prefers to buy his apples in small quantities, there is the added advantage of being able to secure a price for these specially selected and carefully packed shipments. Some shippers believe that ultimately shipping in boxes will become more general than shipping in barrels.

However, the barrel is the almost universal form of shipment and barrel factories abound from end to end of the valley. Roughly speaking the cost of the empty barrel is twenty-five cents. The round-hoop barrel is in greatest vogue, the hoops being made of birch branches split in two. These are found to be cheaper than the flat hoops.

Owing to the short run from the Valley to Halifax, the principal point of shipment, there is little difficulty in getting fruit through to the ocean steamships without damage. Refrigerator cars are unnecessary. Only in the case of shipments going to Winnipeg, as this year, or to Montreal, for shipment or fast liners to Liverpool are iced cars required. Ordinary box cars are run in daily besides the warehouses, are loaded rapidly, each car holding on an average two hundred and fifty barrels, and are moved out without delay. Apples could actually be picked in the morning, packed in the afternoon, shipped in the evening and be in the hold of the steamer at Halifax by midnight.

**GOOD OCEAN SERVICE.**  
For a quarter of a century the bulk of the fruit has been shipped to London by steamers, taking from twelve to sixteen days to make the passage. Within the past few years the northern markets of Great Britain, however, have been invaded and shipments are now going to Liverpool, Glasgow and Aberdeen.

There is still plenty of land in the Annapolis Valley awaiting cultivation and cheap land at that. For less than \$100 an acre good land for orcharding can be secured. The opportunities seem to be immense. There are the climate and the soil to grow the best fruits and there is the access to large markets that makes success sure. It has been computed that land which was bought twenty years ago for \$10 an acre and set out in orchards is now worth a thousand dollars, notwithstanding the fact that apple production has enormously increased.

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**OPEN YOUR EARS AND EYES.**  
If you do not appreciate music, listen to it all the more.  
If you do not care for beautiful pictures, study them all the more thoroughly.  
If you do not care to read great books, read them.  
No kingdom of pleasure is locked away from us if we will be wise and strong enough to forge the keys, instead of being foolishly content with the kingdoms whose keys are already ours.—Ruth Cameron.

**THE REAL TEST.**  
Passerby—"What's the fuss in the school yard, boy?"  
The boy—"Why, the doctor has been around examin'g us an' one of the deficient boys is knockin' the everlastin' stuffin' out of a perfect kid."

There will be world-wide sympathy with General Booth, the head of the Salvation Army, at the failure of the operation on his eye by which he is left to total blindness.  
Minard's Liniment cures Distemper.

**REFLECTION.**  
We are told, "Let not the sun go down on your wrath." This, of course, is best, but as it generally does I would add, Never act or write till it has done so. This rule has saved me from many an act of folly. It is wonderful what a different view we take of the same even a day after it has happened.—Sydney Smith.

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# THE HOME

## THE BOY IN THE HOME.

"Is that you, Johnnie? Well, hang up your hat and reefer where they belong and stop so much noise. Be sure that you hang up that hat and reefer. Half the time I find them on a chair or on the floor and then I have to pick them up and put them where they belong. Don't whistle in the house! I have told you half a dozen times that the house was no place in which to whistle. Is that the place for your school-books? You pick up those books and put them where they belong. Now, what do you want to drag that chair clear away out from that corner for? Look at the scratch you have made on the floor! Stop tumbling all these magazines and papers over. A boy can make more disorder in ten minutes than his mother can put to rights in two hours! Such a condition as you left your room in this morning when you went to school! I don't want it to happen again. Now sit down and see if you can keep still five minutes!"

That is what happens when some boys—too many boys—enter their own homes. It is kind of a petty tyranny and a petty tyranny that causes the boy to be happier in any other place than in his own home. He seems to feel that somehow he is always doing the wrong thing when he is at home and that he is there on sufferance. There is hardly an hour of the day when he is not told that he must not do this and he must not do that. His natural instincts are all repressed and he is not let alone half as much as he should be. His mother sometimes remarks in his presence that boys "are such a care," and I once heard a mother say in the presence of her boy of ten years that she was thankful that she had but one boy. Another one would drive her crazy.

This is not fair to the boy. Sometimes he resents it openly and fiercely. Often he broods in silent rebellion over it. He comes to have the natural feeling that there is a prejudice against him in his own home, and he feels that that prejudice is unfair and unjust. The average boy needs more letting alone in his own home. He needs more freedom, more liberty, that he may be a real boy. There are some queer corners in a boy's life, corners in which he hides away a good many things of which he does not speak, but he thinks a great deal about them. When his mother is "thankful that he is in bed," he is often lying there wide awake trying to understand why it is that his mother should be thankful that he is out of the way.

Sometimes the nagging of the boy is all the more exasperating when it is accompanied by a tone of honeyed sweetness and mawkish gentleness. Few boys verging on the long pants period of life can help inwardly resenting this kind of admonition from their mother.

"Now, Percy, dearest, mamma wants her boy to be a good boy and to mind what his mamma says to him. She does not want to be cross, but she feels that it is her duty to make her boy obey."

And so it goes on until there is nothing in the world Percy wants so much as to get out and go somewhere, anywhere, if he can only be treated as if he were a real boy with a real boy's rights and privileges. When parental authority descends to a constant nagging of the boy, home is apt to be the last place in which he wants to stay.

Had you rather your child would approach you as a friend or a culprit?

Doesn't it seem that the children will get a better, finer view of life if they can go to a comrade mamma with their little trials, which are very big and very real to them, than if they are compelled to go to a stern mamma?

Too much sternness on mamma's part will surely lead the little ones to lie, while a fair, just application of kindness will as surely lead them to tell the truth—confident that their faults and mistakes will be forgiven, even as their elders are forgiven for their faults and mistakes.

In taking the kind attitude, mamma will merely be following out the precepts taught the little ones at Sunday school. And little ones get some very fine and very high ideas and ideals of what life should be at our Sunday schools.

If mamma is kind, surely the little ones have been taught a lesson in kindness.

If mamma is harsh, why, it's all right to be cruel, must be the verdict of the little ones—who look up on mamma as the greatest and most beautiful woman in all the world.

"Kindness surely breeds kindness— which does not mean that mamma is to be careless and let the little ones rear themselves.

## RULES FOR HAPPINESS.

It was at a girls' summer school years ago when one of the girls rose and said to Alice Freeman Palmer, who had been talking to them:

"Mrs. Palmer, you are always so cheerful and happy; will you tell us please, how can we be happy?"

"I will, dear," said this saint of her sex. "I will give you three very simple rules:

"The first is this: 'Commit something to memory every day, something good. It needn't be much. Three or four words will do—just a pretty bit of poem or a Bible verse."

The second rule is: 'Look for something pretty every day; and don't skip a day, or it won't work."

"My third rule is—now mind, don't skip a day: Be something for somebody every day! That is all there is to it, dear. You'd better try it."

These three rules are just as good as when they were spoken; they will work always and everywhere, in the country as well as in the city; for women as well as for girls. They will help to make us masters of our lives. They are so plain that everybody can understand them and so practical that everybody can keep them. No matter how lowering and how gray the sky, these rules infallibly will make the sun shine through."

## WHAT TOBACCO DOES TO THE BOY.

It is generally admitted that in the immature the moderate use of tobacco stunts the normal growth of the body and mind, and causes various nervous disturbances, especially of the heart—disturbances which it causes in later life only when smoking has become excessive. That is to say, though a boy's stomach grows tolerant of nicotine to the extent of taking it without protest, the rest of the body keeps on protesting.

Furthermore, all business men will tell you that tobacco damages a boy's usefulness in his work. That is necessarily so, since anything which lowers vitality creates some kind of incompetence. For the same reason the boy who smokes excessively not only is unable to work vigorously, but he does not wish to work at all. This result, apparent during growth, is only less apparent after growth, when other causes may step in to neutralize it.

Tobacco, in bringing about a depreciation of the nerve-cells, fringes, together with physical results like insomnia, lowered vitality, and restlessness, their moral counterparts, like irritability, lack of concentration, desire to avoid responsibility and to travel the road of least resistance.

## AN AUTO LESSON.

The farmer may not venerate the automobile, but he must admit that, although the automobile teaches others extravagance, it has taught him a very valuable lesson in economy.

Everybody knows how plant lice, or aphids, overrun and destroy plants and how the sole protection against plant lice has therefore been patent powders more or less costly.

But of late years farmers have noticed that while all the plants in the field or garden were covered with aphids, all the roadside growths, white with dust from flying automobiles, had not a single aphid on them.

Hence an experiment, turnips, peas, and cabbages were coated with ordinary dust instead of costly powder. Result, disappearance of all insect parasites.

The auto, in a word, has taught the farmer that dust, which costs nothing, will protect his plants from plant lice and other pests just as completely as the most expensive patent powder can.—New York Tribune

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company announces that it is having two hundred and fifty additional locomotives built, to try and catch up with the ever-increasing business of the West. What the Canadian Pacific is doing, the Canadian Northern, the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Hill railway interests are all doing.

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## FOREST WASTE IN CHINA.

(Chicago Tribune.)

"China's life-sapping famine, in which millions are suffering, is largely traceable to the wasting of the forests. One of the most horrible tragedies of the world might have been prevented by the careful use of these resources," said President John T. Proctor of the Baptist College at Shanghai in explaining the causes for the great famine in China.

"China's hills and mountains are deforested. This is particularly true in the hilly country drained by the Yangtze River, whose valley comprises the stricken district. The river brings the soil down with it. That is the reason why we have the Yellow Sea. For three hundred miles out from land the ocean is discolored by the silt brought down by the Yangtze. The hills are washed bare of soil. There is some hunting in these brush. For want of better fuel the natives burn this brush.

"Last August the Yangtze overflowed and flooded about 40,000 acres of densely populated territory. This flood placed a population of 3,000,000 in want. In fifty years there has not been such another flood. Some of the victims have been drowned out for two consecutive years, some three years ago, some four years. They not only have lost food, they have lost hope.

"Much of the land that was inundated is at sea level. It is drained by the most intricate system of canals in the world. I know of one city of 30,000 which is surrounded by canals.

There are no roads to it, because a road could not go half a mile without touching a canal. There are not even footpaths. The people make their way to and from the city in boats. This is their only means of communication.

"Lack of transportation facilities is another cause of the famine. It costs too much to carry food on men's shoulders. I know a province where rice costs twice as much in the West of it as in the East. But the cost of transportation between the two plants made up the difference.

"Chicago can ship food to the famine-stricken district quicker and cheaper than the food can be transported usually nearer the district than a great from Western China. Chicago is actually places in the empire."

## I AM.

I know not whence I come; I know not whither I go; But the fact remains that I am here in this world of pleasure and woe. And out of the mist and murk Another truth shines plain; It is in my power each day and hour To add to its joy and pain.

I know that the earth exists, It is one of my business why, I cannot find out what it's all about. I would but waste time to try. My life is a brief, brief thing, I am here for a little space, And while I stay I would like, if I may, To brighten and better the place.

The trouble, I think, with us all Is the lack of a high conceit; If each man thought he was sent to this spot

To make it a bit more sweet, How soon he would gladden the world; How easily right all wrong; If nobody shirked and each one worked To help his fellows along.

Cease wondering why you came— (Stop looking for faults and flaws, Rise up today in your pride and say "I am part of the First Great Cause.") However full the world There is room for an honest man; It had need of me or I would not be; I am here to strengthen the plan.

Each age of our lives has its joys. Old people should be happy, and they will be if Chamberlain's Tablets are taken to strengthen the digestion and keep the bowels regular. These tablets are mild and gentle in their action and especially suitable for people of middle age and older. For sale by dealers and druggists.

## Telepathist Puzzles Berlin

(New York Sun)

A Spanish telepathist, who recalls Stuar: Cumberland, a wonder worker of twenty-five years ago, is causing a sensation in Berlin. His name is Jose de Labero. He is twenty-eight and only recently did he develop the talent which is making him famous.

He first came to notice by winning a wager with a Berlin lawyer, Herr Paul Roske, who laid long odds that Labero could not find a ring concealed somewhere in Berlin, and do this solely by the help of telepathic sensitiveness. The trial was made at eleven in the forenoon in the presence of two doctors attached to Berlin hospitals and Count Butza, a representative of the Psychological Institute in Paris.

A committee met in Cafe Bourse and each member wrote a suggestion for the concealment of the ring and put it in a sealed envelope. One of the envelopes was then chosen by lot, and it was found that it suggested that the ring should be hidden in the Cafe Continental buffet, left-hand craver, under a coffee cup.

Shortly after two members of the committee had left to conceal the ring Labero set out in an auto on the hunt, taking his seat beside the chauffeur, while two other members of the committee occupied the inside seats. A thin gold chain attached to Labero's wrist was held at the other end by one of the two committee-men.

The journey was quick, though interrupted at intervals by Labero's apparently losing touch with the thoughts of the committeeman who had instructed him to concentrate his mind as earnestly as he could on the route to be taken and the place where the ring was concealed. After two or three false directions had been taken, presumably owing to Labero's losing contact with the thoughts of the committeeman, the Cafe Continental was reached and passed. Only for a few yards, however, for Labero called out "Wrong" had the auto turned round and stopped it before the cafe.

Here he seemed to have no difficulty at all. He hurried into the cafe, which at this time of day was empty, made straight for the buffet, pulled out the drawer and found the ring under the coffee cup.

A second experiment was made on the return journey to the Cafe Bourse, where Labero's task was to hang the ring on the hook of the telephone receiver. This mental suggestion he carried out with such speed that the two journeys together did not take more than thirty-five minutes.

## TOILET SOAP FOR THE PIG.

Illinois Farmer Hopes Thus to Prevent Hog Cholera.

Bloomington, Ill., June 10th.—Toilet soap, brushes and towels to keep hogs sweet and clean and prevent the ravages of cholera, will soon be in order in Illinois. Not in years has the malady been so prevalent or caused such heavy losses to stockmen. Ordinary remedies appear to be without effect and many of the central Illinois farmers have commenced the bath system. This consists in giving the swine monthly douches of water treated with a solution of carbolic acid and other ingredients which not only removed all dirt from the hide, but also kills germs and creates a healthy condition of the skin.

## NEEDLE IN CHILD'S HEART.

Questioning the mother at a Folkstone (England) inquest on a girl, aged one year and ten months, who had died from a supposed attack of bronchitis, the Coroner said: "Were you darning on Sunday?" The mother, Mrs. Godden, replied: "Yes, sir." "Did you use the needle again?" "No, I was nursing the deceased. I had the needle in my bodice and missed it afterwards." A doctor who held a post-mortem examination produced the child's heart. A large darning-needle was embedded in the centre, the ends showing at either side. A verdict of hemorrhage caused by the accidental insertion of a needle was returned.

## Sallow Complexion

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Sold in Bridgetown by W. A. Warren, druggist.

Robert Shackleton in the July Scribner, tells most sympathetically of the remarkable experiences of an English woman who having been blind for thirty-six years suddenly had her sight restored to her. This revelation of an entirely new world in her maturity has extraordinary psychological interest.

Stomach, Cough, Croup, Fever, and other like troubles of children quickly relieved by

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That very desirable residential property situated at Carleton's Corner, Bridgetown, consisting of modern dwelling house, stable, shop and orchard and garden. Also, one hundred acres of woodland. Possession can be given first of May. For further particulars apply to J. B. WHITMAN, Province Bldg., Halifax, or F. R. FAY, Esq., Bridgetown.

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One-half double house, nine rooms, with barn and garden plot. Also small house and barn with acre of land, containing fifty fruit trees. Also ten acres field, situated on Granville street. Sold separately or combined. Apply to H. M. CHUTE, Bridgetown, May 20th.

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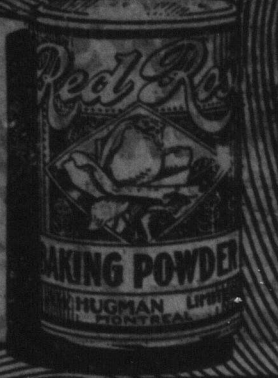
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### Bear River

Bear River, June 17.—On Wednesday evening the young people of the Methodist church will give a musical and literary entertainment in Academy Hall. A nice programme is expected. Miss Hicks of Clementsport, Mrs. Harold Lovett and the Evangelist quartette will assist.

Miss Daisy Milligan is spending a couple of weeks with her mother, Mrs. Frank Jones at the Bear River Hotel.

Frank Jones, Esq., attended Court at Digby last week.

A team from the Civilian Rifle Club went to Round Hill on Thursday last.

Miss Helen Marshall, Halifax is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C.C. Aredbald, I. Nelson Smith, Esq., Lower Coverdale, N.B., was in town last week.

Mr. Harold Crouse and bride spent Friday last in town.

Miss Edith Woodman is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Dunn.

Quite a number of our young men left for Petawawa on Friday, where they will go into camp for artillery drill.

Mr. Chas. Hinckman of Lansdowne, had the misfortune to fracture his ankle last week.

Mr. B. C. Clarke and son, Richard, went to Montreal on Saturday.

Sorry to report Fred Dittmar's is ill.

Result of the 2nd. shooting match at Round Hill on 13th inst. between teams from the Bear River, Granville Ferry and Round Hill Civilian Rifle Associations. The score was as follows:—

Bear River	826 points
Granville Ferry	803 "
Round Hill	766 "

A series of these matches are being held in the first contest. Bear River and Granville were a tie.

Rev. I.W. Porter occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Mr. Earle Phinney spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. West-co Phinney.

Rev. A. and Mrs. Daniel left for Amherst on Monday to attend the session of the Annual Conference of the Methodist church.

Frank Jones, Esq., K.C., went to Bridgetown on Monday to attend the sitting of the Supreme Court.

S.S. Bear River has laid off for a trip for her annual coat of paint.

The Conference of the Adventist church convenes here this week.

### Granville Centre

(From an occasional correspondent).

Granville Centre, June 18th.—The public examination of Granville Centre school, presided over by Miss Ruth E. Gillatt, was held on Friday. The school room which was prettily decorated with peonies, laburnum, snow balls and honey-suckle, was well filled with spectators. After the opening address by Miss Freda Swinn, the pupils of Grades I and XI inclusive were examined in all the branches and acquitted themselves admirably. The blackboards showed very fine examples of mechanical drawing. Grades VI, VII and XI appeared to excel in the writing of essays, the one by Miss Susie Troop being exceptionally good. A spelling match, in which Miss Ardath Gillatt was the winner, proved very interesting. A charming feature of the entertainment was the reciting by little Mary McCormick of "A wittle wovving dir!" (A little loving girl) Two other little tots of the same class, Walter Calnek and Myra Mills, were also very pleasing in their parts and everybody was perfectly delighted with the singing of little Rosina and Otto Calnek. After the valedictory by Miss Hazel Gillatt, Mrs. M. D. Bent, in response to the call for a speech, gave very happy expression to the sentiments of all that excellent work had been done by both teacher and pupils.

Mrs. Clements, en route from Boston to Halifax, made brief visits to her friends, Mrs. McColl and Mrs. John McCormick last week.

Mrs. Margeson and Miss Gerlie Gillatt, Annapolis Royal, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. David Gillatt.

Mrs. Peterson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. P. Gillatt left last week for her home in Fredericton.

Mrs. Clarence Eaton and children are spending a week with her sisters in Tupperville.

Mr. Richard Lang has arrived home after a very pleasant visit with friends in Boston.

Mrs. W. F. Gillatt is enjoying a fortnight's visit with friends in Kings County.

Mr. Ewing, of Troy, N.Y., was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Troop. Mrs. W. Hall of Colorado, and Miss Venie Rice, of Bridgetown were also guests at the same home.

The friends of Mrs. W. B. Mills are glad to have her home again, after an absence of six months spent with her daughter, Mrs. Rogers and other relatives in Massachusetts.

Miss Annie Calnek, accompanied by Miss Phillips and several other friends from Clementsport, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Jacob Calnek.

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On account of the continued cold weather we find ourselves overstocked with several lines of summer goods and propose cleaning them out regardless of cost. **CASH ONLY.**

15 dozen ladies' <b>White Vests</b> Half sleeves made of fine yarn and easily worth 15c Each this sale <b>10c</b>	<b>Corsets</b> D. & A. Corsets price \$1.75. Sizes 24, 25, 26, 27. B. & I. Corsets Price \$1.25. Sizes 23, 25, 26, 27.	25 dozen ladies' fast <b>Black Cotton Hose</b> Considered very special value at 15c. all sizes while they last, 2 pair for <b>25c</b>
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The stone was bought by one of the members of the Lovatt family and brought to Digby Neck, where it remained for a very long period, always faithfully performing the work allotted it. Afterwards it passed into the hands of the Gidney Brothers, who had it removed to Round Hill, where it remained until 1867, up to then being in constant use.

Mr. W. H. Burns expressed a desire in 1867 to purchase it and the negotiations being successful, secured it from its owner, Pearson Gordon, and removed the stone and conveyed it to this town, where it is now to be seen resting at the back of his blacksmith's forge.

The stone is in a most perfect state of preservation, and still has embedded within it the original bolts for setting it up. It is about seven feet in circumference, ten inches in thickness at the rim, and about eighteen inches through the centre.

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### Port Wade

Port Wade, June 19.—Miss Jennie Welton and Mr. Charles Chute of Melvern Square, are making a short visit in this place.

Mrs. Edw. Keans and Mrs. James Snow have been attending as delegates the United Baptist Association held at Chester Basin, Lunenburg Co.

Mr. Harry Reynolds of Annapolis Royal is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. Murray Reed of St. John, spent the week end here with his wife at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Helen Ryder.

Mr. Lorne Connelly is quite ill at this writing.

Mr. Percy McGrath will go to Boston as mate on schooner "Onward," Capt. Johnson, this trip.

Mrs. Wiswall Covert and her guest, Mrs. Copeland, are visiting at Melvern Square this week.

The large ore-steamship was successfully loaded in record time last Friday and Saturday morning and sailed before noon. Her name was "Malmstad," Capt. Paulsen, hailing from Norway. She carried away about 6,000 tons of ore. She had a crew of thirty men. Another ship is expected in about three weeks.

Services will be held in the Baptist church next Sunday evening, 23rd., at 7.30. Social service every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock by Pastor Corwall.

Mr. John Burns, of South Boston, brought here for interment last Wednesday, his mother, widow of the late Samuel Burns, who were former residents and have many friends here, who extend their sympathy to the bereaved ones.

### Clarence

Clarence, June 17th.—Mr. and Mrs. Avard Jackson, Mrs. Agnes Foster and Mrs. Ida M. Witham were delegates to the Association held at Chester Basin.

Prof. J.H. Morse of Nictaux was with us on the 9th inst. and assisted in the music. He also sang a solo.

Malcom Elliott, B. A., who lately graduated from the Harvard Medical School, is spending a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott.

Improvement in road-making is the order of the day just now.

J. H. Hicks and Sons have the contract for painting the Baptist church.

The annual meeting of the Brooklyn Fruit Co. was held on the 25th inst. S. E. Bancroft was re-elected manager for the ensuing year. This company comprises the farmers of Clarence East and Brooklyn West.

W. K. Beals of Wilnot who is foreman on the new residence of A. J. Wilson is rapidly pushing the work on to completion.

E. K. Leonard and O.E. Crisp have lately put in telephone instruments.

Mrs. Ella Pollard of Lawrenceport, is visiting her niece, Mrs. A. L. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messinger have lately visited her brother, Dr. S. W. Miller and his wife of Middleton.

A large number of our town people attended the service of song, on Sunday evening, given by Prof. J.H. Morse and his class at Paradise.

### Paradise

Paradise, June 18th.—Mr. Luther Goodspeed of New Brunswick, visited his brother, Dr. Goodspeed, last week. Mrs. (Rev.) McNinch attended the Baptist Association at Chester.

Mrs. McGregor, of California, Mrs. Stocking, of Lynn, and Mrs. Durbin, Maine, are visiting their father, Mr. Charles Covert, Senior.

P. St.C. Elliott, of Watrous, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Elliott.

The service of song conducted by Prof. Morse on Sunday evening, was much enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Alonzo Daniels recently presided the church with neat and attractive psalm and hymn boards.

Miss Hilda Longley has been suffering from blood poisoning of the hand caused by an accident while experimenting with chemicals at school.

Miss Muriel Elliott entertained a large number of young friends on Saturday afternoon at a birthday party.

### Nictaux

Nictaux, June 17.—Miss Eva Armstrong has returned from Florenceville, N.B.

Mrs. Amos Hiltz, Mrs. Sproule and Mrs. Hoffman are attending the Baptist Convention at Chester.

Miss Campbell and Miss Parker of Berwick, Mr. Handley Chipman of Tupperville and Mrs. George King of Annapolis Royal, have been recent guests at the home of Mr. F.M. Chipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Parker of Berwick spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Whitman Ruggles.

At a special school meeting called several days ago, it was decided to withdraw the school from Middleton and have it in our own section this year.

At the annual business meeting of the Middleton Fruit Co., the same officers were re-elected.

### Inglisville

Inglisville, June 17.—Mrs. T. Armstrong has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. L. Banks.

Miss Mildred Beale recently visited friends at West Inglisville.

Mr. Munroe and daughter have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Jarvis.

Mrs. Leonard Banks and daughter, also Miss Sadie Banks are visiting relatives at Kingston.

Miss Lelah Layte spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Grace Durling.

Services for Sunday, Rev. J. A. Hart, East Inglisville, 3 p.m.; Rev. H. G. Mellev West Inglisville 7 p.m.

### Upper Granville

Upper Granville, June 17.—Mrs. Crowe and daughter, Rhoda, who have spent several months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaius Eisnor, returned to their home, Pleasant River, Lunenburg Co., last week. Mr. Eisnor accompanied them thither.

Mrs. Sears (nee Miss Louise Fisher) sister of Mrs. R.H. Parker, and at one time teacher in Chesley Section and well known to friends in this vicinity, has recently been bereaved of her husband at Woods Harbor, Shelburne Co. The sympathy of many old friends here is extended.

Miss Chute of Berwick is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Adam Clarke.

Mrs. Horton is visiting her old home in P. E. Island.

Cold wet days in June have greatly impeded planting operations with farm owners of heavy land, and it is feared there may be a shortage of root crops in consequence.

### Clementsville

Clementsville, June 18th.—Mr. Geo. Long spent a part of last week visiting friends in the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Dukeshire leave today on a driving trip through Queens Co.

Miss Munroe is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ralph McLaughlin.

Mr. Hunt of Bridgewater spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Banks of Kingston, who has been spending the past few months at the home of her nephew, L. C. Sproule, returned home on Thursday.

Miss Burbridge of Aylesford is visiting at Mr. Chas. Long's.

Rev. O. P. Brown and family arrived last week and will occupy the Baptist parsonage.

Mrs. Jones of Bear River recently spent a few days with relatives here.

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In addition to this being divided into classes, so as to give small users of cement an equal chance with those who use more; the Contest is also divided into nine divisions, one for each province. So you see you need only to compete with the other farmers of your own province, and not with those all over Canada.

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