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NOVA SCOTIA WILL BE AT BIG NEW YORK SPORT SHOW

Halifax and Southwestern Railway Has Secured a Big Space, And Fine Display Will Be Made.

Nova Scotia is to be represented at the big Sportsman's show at New York next month, and visitors to that show will see for themselves samples of the game which this Province can offer the sportsman. The big show opens early in March and lasts for ten days, during which it will be visited by thousands of people a great many of them hunters and anglers who can well afford to go where game is plenty.

The Halifax and Southwestern Railway has secured about two hundred feet of space, and it is in that space that the Nova Scotia exhibit will be displayed.

Chief Game Warden, J. A. Knight of this city, says the Halifax Chronicle, is interested in getting a display of Provincial game trophies together, and is acting in conjunction with the H. & S. W. Railway officials. While the display will not be such an extensive one, by any means, as the Province can produce, it will contain large moose heads, mounted, fur-bearing animals, dressed skins, game birds, salmon, trout, etc. The display is a sort of experiment, and it is probable that if the interest shown by patrons coming sportsman's fairs in New York and Boston, a special folder, containing information regarding hunting and fishing in Nova Scotia is being prepared for distribution at the show. It is possible some Nova Scotia

Indian work may be shown also. It is possible Dr. Breck, Ph.D., the well-known sportsman and writer, will attend the show as representative of this Province.

The H. & S. W. Railway will have a large display of photos and pictures of scenery and sporting resorts in Nova Scotia and will distribute literature portraying the attractions which this Province offers to sportsmen. Lawrence D. Mitchell, of Mill Village, who is thoroughly well posted on Nova Scotia game, will be in charge of the display and will afford information in that line to all desiring it, while a railway official will be there to give information regarding routes, fares, and other points regarding transportation and accommodation of United States sportsmen. It is possible Mr. P. Mooney, General Freight and Passenger Agent of the H. & S. W. Railway will also be present at the fair.

Chief Game Warden Knight is getting a number of trophies together in the City, and it is probable the display will include the head of the big moose shot by M. McF. Hall, near Mosers River, a year or two ago. The head, which has been mounted, is a beauty with a splendid spread of horns. A couple of wild cats will be included in the display.

The Province of New Brunswick and Intercolonial Railway are to make a display at the show.

Middleton Board of Trade

At a recent meeting of Middleton's Board of Trade the following resolutions were passed:

Whereas the proposal is being made in some quarters that the I.C.R. be handed over to a private corporation, Therefore resolved that this Board of Trade place itself on record as opposed to such proposal believing that the best interests of the Maritime Provinces and Canada generally will be served by retaining the I.C.R. as a people's road, adding to it feeding lines, extending its westward and by bringing the great transcontinental lines into Nova Scotia over the I.C.R. rails on fair terms.

Whereas a bill is being passed in the Federal parliament providing for the adding of feeding lines to the I.C.R. Therefore resolved that this board of trade memorialize the Federal government to acquire the Dominion Atlantic Railway and operate it as a part of the I.C.R. system.

And further resolved that copies of this resolution be sent to the Minister of Railways, the representatives of the counties through which the D.A.R. passes and to the boards of trade of the same territory.

Why Living is High

The Toronto News, after an exhaustive investigation into the present high cost of the ordinary necessities of life, has come to the conclusion, which is undoubtedly correct, that the prodigious increase of recent years is traceable largely to the failure in the production of various agricultural products to keep pace with the nation's growth in population, especially city population. The West is rapidly increasing the size of its wheat crop, and the shortage is not made chiefly in garden stuff, and in live stock, poultry and their products, Market garden "truck", butter, eggs and meat are far too dear.

The obvious remedy is to make the farm, and particularly the market garden and the chicken run yield a larger output. "Back to the land," and "intensive agriculture" are the approved cure. They constitute the gospel constantly preached by the Department of Agriculture and the various agricultural colleges.

Fruit Ware-house for Waterville

At a recent meeting of the Waterville Fruit Co. it was decided to build a large ware-house in the spring. During the present apple season about sixteen thousand barrels of apples have been taken in at their ware-house. It was also decided to increase their stock five thousand dollars. As a number of large apple-growers wish to come into the company, the company pay's wages, rent, etc., about four hundred dollars a month. About fifteen hands are employed for the handling of the fruit. The company intends buying its own fertilizers, and probably seed, thus saving the Middleman's profit.—Advertiser.

WHY BEEF IS HIGH.

A Toronto paper says:—"Canada is building up a reputation for the quality of her flocks and herds. Shorthorns are well to the front, as prices realized at an auction sale of these cattle the other day proved. One cow bred in Ontario was bought by a Manitoba breeder for \$1,485. The high price of beef is thus explained.

D. A. R. TO OPEN NEW STEAMSHIP ROUTE THIS SEASON

Direct Boat Twice a Week Between Boston and Digby Probably Making Port Wade also a Port of Call.

The prophecy made some time ago that another route between Boston and this Province would be inaugurated the coming season, proved to be not without foundation, but it was not expected that the D. A. R. would be the promoters. Such, however, proves to be the case. The opening of the new line will relieve the congested travel of the D. A. R. line from Boston to Yarmouth during the tourist season. The service is to open in July and will be two trips a week. It is rumored, although we have not seen it officially stated, that Port Wade will also be a port of call. This will mean that the D. A. R. and the H. & S. W. R. companies have combined their interests to accommodate the rapidly increasing tourist traffic. It was expected that the H. & S. W. would make some arrangement of an outlet for their railway travel at Port Wade as at present travellers for American ports must change cars at Middleton.

A Digby despatch to the Halifax Chronicle says:—"The announcement made by General-Manager Giffins, of the D.A.R., of service between Boston and this port is what the people of Digby have been asking for for a long

time, and the new line will be much appreciated, not only by our townspeople, but by the thousands of American visitors who come to Digby every summer. It will mean a big boom for Digby, the leading summer resort of the Maritime Provinces. A number of the summer hotel proprietors have already planned to enlarge their houses for next season, but when they learn of this event work will be rushed along at once.

"It is also rumored that a new hotel will be completed in time for the tourist season. Repairs on the Government wharf are being pushed forward as rapidly as possible and ample accommodations for the devised line will be in readiness before the first of July.

A special meeting of the Stockholders of the Eastern Steamship Co. was recently held in Boston and one of Digby's prominent visitors announces in a private letter to the Courier today that he learns on good authority that the Eastern people intended to put a boat on the Boston-Digby route this season. Business is also rushing at Port Wade, just across the harbor getting ready for the shipment of iron ore from Torbrook Mines, via the Halifax and Southwestern Railway."

Former Nova Scotia Newspaper-man Dead

Mr. James A. Halliday, formerly of Berwick, died at his home in Saugus, Mass., on Thursday, Feb. 3rd, aged seventy-three years, one month and six days.

The Saugus Herald, Mr. Halliday's paper, in its obituary notice says:—"For nearly twenty years Mr. Halliday has resided in Saugus, and every year seems to have strengthened the bond of friendship between the people and himself. This fact was fully attested during the present week, when so many have anxiously inquired concerning his condition. The uniform kindly spirit of all and the particular evidence of it in deeds of thoughtfulness, have brought warmth and good cheer to the stricken home. Truly this is a kind world, with more warm hearts than frigid.

The Herald was Mr. Halliday's third newspaper, his first being the Berwick, N. S., Star. Later, he assumed control of the Halifax Watchman, organ of the Sons of Temperance in which order he was elected to the office of Grand Worthy Patriarch. It may be safely stated that in all these years Mr. Halliday has not printed a line that would poison any heart or endanger any community's moral life.

In 1860, Mr. Halliday married Mary A. Gilliatt, of Annapolis N. S. Today (Feb. 5th) was to have been the joyous golden wedding anniversary of this happy union. Seven children were born to them, of whom five are now living. These are: Isaac Newton, general secretary Toledo and Lucas County Sunday School Association, Toledo, Ohio; Mrs. Annie A. Eagles, of Oakland, California; Mrs. Bertha M. Davis, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Ada G. Munro, of Haverhill, and Nina E., of Cliftondale.

Mr. Halliday began the publication of The Star in Berwick in 1866. He continued its publication here for about twelve years. With the exception of the Kings County Gazette, published in Canning in 1865, it was the first newspaper published in Kings County. In 1878 he unwisely removed it to Kentville, where it had to compete with the Western Chronicle, then published by Mr. J. A. Cogswell. He soon sold it out. Its new proprietor absconded, and the Star shone not for some years. In 1885 it was resurrected by Mr. A. J. Pineo, under the name of the New Star.

Mr. Halliday at the time of his death was a member of the Massachusetts legislature.—Berwick Register.

Celebrated Eighty-Sixth Anniversary

A pleasant gathering took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, Clarence, on Jan. 22nd., the occasion being Mr. Miller's eighty-sixth birthday.

The day being fine all the invited guests numbering about thirty were present, some of whom were over eighty years of age.

We found the venerable couple enjoying the best of health, and able as well as the younger members of the party to do justice to the bountiful repast provided by our genial host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller Jr.

After a few hours spent in social intercourse closing with prayer by Rev. N. MacNeill, we bade good-bye to Mr. and Mrs. Miller, wishing them many happy returns of the day.—COM.

You Get What You Put In

The following anecdote was told by President Cutten, in the course of his address during his induction ceremonies last week at Acadia:—

"One of the leading Boston pastors who was summering at a beach near Portland went out on Sunday to preach at a little country church. No collection was taken at the service but as the preacher was coming out of the church he noticed a box marked "free will offering for church purposes" so dropped half a dollar in the box. Just as he was driving away he was called back and informed that the offering was always used to pay for the supply.

"The minister was accompanied by his young daughter. As they drove home the little girl remarked to her father that if he had put more in the box he would have got more out.

"Turning to the students' gallery President Cutten said "Boys, you will get out of your college course just what you put in. Even if you should deceive your professors and obtain a degree without honest effort you really will have nothing."

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

UNION BANK OF HALIFAX

GENERAL STATEMENT January 31st, 1910 PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

CREDIT		
1909—January 30th. By Balance.	7,209 34	
1910—January 31st. By Net Profits, after providing for bad and doubtful debts.	214,415 39	
		\$221,624 73

DEBIT		
To Dividend No. 111.	\$30,000 00	
112.	30,000 00	
113.	30,000 00	
114.	30,000 00	
1910. Cost of Safes, fittings and alterations at Branches written off.	7,747 50	
Written off Consols and other Securities.	20,000 00	
Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund.	10,000 00	
Transferred to Reserve Fund.	50,000 00	
Balance Carried Forward.	13,877 23	
		\$221,624 73

RESERVE FUND		
1909. January 30th. By Balance.	\$1,200,000 00	
1910. January 31st. Transferred from Profit and Loss Account.	50,000 00	
		\$1,250,000 00

LIABILITIES		
Circulation		\$1,362,565 79
Deposits Payable on Demand.	\$2,047,800 37	
Deposits Payable After Notice.	7,889,911 09	
Add Accrued Interest.	36,047 33	
		\$ 9,973,758 79
Balance Due to Other Banks in Canada.	21,268 17	
Balance Due to Other Banks Elsewhere Than in Canada and the United Kingdom.	10,544 76	
Balance Due to London Agents.	168,089 75	
Balance Due to Dominion Government.	22,498 29	
Outstanding Drafts Between Head Office and Branches.	416,345 33	
		\$11,975,070 88
Capital.	1,500,000 00	
Reserve Fund.	1,250,000 00	
Profit and Loss Account.	13,877 33	
Dividend no. 114, Payable February 28th, 1910.	30,000 00	
Dividends Unclaimed.	284 00	
		\$14,769,232 11

ASSETS		
Specie.	\$ 304,469 43	
Dominion Notes.	1,116,819 00	
Notes and Cheques of Other Banks.	733,823 65	
		\$ 2,160,112 08
Balance Due From Other Banks in Canada.	75,576 35	
Balance Due From Other Banks Elsewhere Than in Canada and the United Kingdom.	459,327 48	
Balance Due From Provincial Government.	35,181 80	
Dominion and Provincial Debentures.	589,190 93	
British Consols, Municipal and Other Bonds.	968,125 63	
		\$4,287,514 27
Call Loans Secured by Bonds, Debentures and Stocks.	586,908 63	
Current Loans.	\$9,726,041 82	
Less Rebate of Interest.	69,290 05	
		\$ 9,659,751 77
Overdue Debts.	940 08	
Bank Circulation Redemption Fund.	75,000 00	
Bank Premises.	145,000 00	
Real Estate Other Than Bank Premises.	6,899 87	
Other Assets.	7,717 49	
		\$14,769,232 11

C. N. S. STRICKLAND, Asst. General Manager

The Valley Telephone Company

Meeting of the Local Managers at the District Headquarters

On Feb. 4th the Valley Telephone Co. held a meeting of its local managers at the Middleton office. Among those present were Superintendent Freeman, Mr. Langille, Windsor, Mr. Car. Wolfville, Mr. Blackburn, Kentville, Mr. Rafuse, Annapolis and other members of the staff. This proved a very instructive and enjoyable time for those interested in the constructive and maintenance side of the Telephone business.

Engineer Dolan was present and added largely to the interest of the meeting by citing many peculiar troubles which have come under his notice both here and in the United States, and also gave a very interesting address along these lines. The boys all hope this meeting will be repeated again next year.

This calls to mind the start of this company sixteen years ago when it consisted of a single line from Margaretsville to Torbrook a distance of about ten miles with two or three telephons. This institution gradually extended until it reached Hantsport fifty miles east and Digby fifty miles west and in this territory there is today about 1150 telephones, with three trunk lines running to Halifax, two via Windsor and one via Bridge-water, as well as two trunk lines to Yarmouth.

The growth of this company is however the result of hard and persistent effort and the expenditure of a large amount of capital. This may be particularly applied to the last three years, when in order to improve the service, by the installation of metallic lines it has been necessary to cable several of the towns, in many cases to almost double the wire mileage in the surrounding country, and also to place new switchboards in every Central Office of the Valley. This has cost the company in the three years approximately \$75,000.00 with practically no extra cost to the subscribers.

That the result of all this expenditure has made a marked improvement in the service can readily be seen. Any person who has the best class of service installed (namely Metallic Line and Long Distance) can sit in his office or residence and talk directly to almost any of the 11,000 subscribers in the province to which he may be connected over this company's and associated companies' lines, besides being able to reach St. John and other points in New Brunswick.

This certainly means something to the business man or farmer and is an important factor in the development of the Annapolis and Cornwallis Valley, as well as to the province at large.—Outlook.

Digby Barrister, Former Clarence Boy, Goes West

Mr. R. G. Munroe left here Monday or Leithbridge, Alta., where he will for a time be engaged in work for the Independent Order of Foresters. He expects, however, to locate permanently in Alberta, with headquarters either in Calgary or Edmonton.

Mr. Munroe is a native of Clarence, near Bridgetown, Annapolis County. He was admitted to the bar in August 1877, and immediately began practice in Digby. Previously to that he served two years clerking with Judge Savary, who was then practicing law in Digby and later he was for a time with T.D. Ruggles, barrister of Bridgetown. He is a conservative in politics, was for a long time secretary of the Digby County Conservative Association and contested the county twice in the interest of that party, but was both times defeated. Mr. Munroe has transacted a large amount of business since coming to Digby and he is well-known throughout the western portion of Nova Scotia.

While he has been successful in various branches of law, Mr. Munroe's greatest achievements have been won as a criminal lawyer and we understand that he intends to devote the greater portion of his time in the West in that direction. The Courier wishes him every success.

Mrs. Munroe and family will reside here until spring and perhaps will spend the summer in Digby. It is Mr. Munroe's present intention to return to Digby for a short time during the early part of the tourist season.—Digby Courier.

Accident at Coldbrook

Mr. Raymond Mitchell, of Coldbrook, met with a very serious accident on Saturday last. While riding from the Harrington woods upon a load of logs he was pulled from his seat by the horses jerking on the reins. He was found by Mr. E. J. Ward and others, unconscious, under the feet of the animals. He was taken to his home and Dr. W. B. Moore being summoned, found Mr. Mitchell very badly injured, the skull being fractured and several ribs broken. At latest reports he had regained consciousness, and hopes are entertained for his recovery.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF.

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS!

In order to reduce stock to make room for Spring Goods we are MARKING DOWN some Fine Cloths.

- \$18.00 Suit Lengths for \$14.00
20.00 " " " 15.00
5.00 Trouser " " 3.50

Overcoatings reduced 15 to 20 per cent

I. M. OTTERSON, Merchant Tailor, Bridgetown

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YOU NEED A NEW CARPET

The old one is worn and shabby and when the fall cleaning is done is the time to replace the old one with one of our New Carpets or Squares.

We have just opened a new department and can show you a fresh new stock of

Carpets, Squares, Rugs, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Also Portieres and Couch Covers in up-to-date designs.

These goods have been marked very low. Get our prices before making your purchases.

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Harness! Harness!

We have just received a shipment of harnesses which for quality of material and workmanship surpass anything we ever carried before.

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HOLIDAY GOODS

AND

EVERYDAY GOODS

NEW DRIED FRUITS

Raisins by the box, half-box, quarter-box, 1 pound package, seeded and seedless; Currants, Figs, Dates, and Candied Peels.

NEW NUTS, shelled or in the shell; Oranges, Grapes, Confectionery, etc.

A large assortment of CANNED GOODS, MINCE MEAT and BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.

FANCY and STAPLE CHINA and CROCKERY.

WANTED:- Any quantity of good Yellow-eye Beans.

C. L. PIGGOTT, QUEEN STREET

ANNAPOLIS SS.

In the Municipal Council ANNUAL SESSION 1910

Table of council proceedings including items like 'WARD NO. 11', 'WARD NO. 12', 'WARD NO. 13', 'WARD NO. 14', 'WARD NO. 15', 'WARD NO. 16', and various financial reports.

Used in Canada for over half a century - used in every corner of the world where people suffer from Constipation and its resulting troubles-

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills,

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Table with 2 columns: Name (Rufus Wentzell, No 15 Jas. Hannam, No 16 A. M. Spinney) and Amount (\$4.50, 6.50, 9.50)

ASSESSORS

Table of assessors including J. P. Morse, Beriah Baker, John I. Phinney, William Bowby, Amon Rumsey, Albert Marshall, Howard Munroe, Bradford Poole, J. Howe Ray, Fenwick Harris, Chas. Burney, Jas. Wauah, Gilbert Shaffner, 2nd, Jas. B. Litch, John D. Spurr, Augustus Purdy, W. D. Lonz, Avard Potter, Geo. Hoyt, Isaac C. Whitman, Lewis Ricketson, Ashby Hutchinson, Wm. H. Oakes, Miner C. Daniels, Harris Oakes, Chas. Marshall, Enos German, Reed Orde, Norman Buckler, J. B. Gillis, Jas. Jefferson, Leslie Armstrong.

REVISORS.

Table of revisors including Revisal Sec. No 1 Reiss Baker, I. F. Coulston, Ezekiel Bar-teaux, C. A. Elliott, Frank Balsor, F. W. Bishop, 3 Judson Fester, Sam'l Mack, David Wade, E. H. Armstrong, Herman Winchester, Darby Cronin, 5 Chas. F. Morton, B. C. Clarke, J. Chitman, Kempton, 6 B. G. Fairn, E. H. Tupper, Guy Todd, 7 Jas. E. Oakes, N. G. Charlton, R. M. Harnish.

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RATHER STALE BREAD.

'What! a loaf of bread over 1,800 years old? Nonsense!' Well, my friend, there is no nonsense about it. You can see several of them in the Royal National Museum, at Naples, burned black like carbon, or charcoal. They were found in the ruins of Pompeii, a city that was buried by an eruption of hot, fiery ashes from Mount Vesuvius in the year 79. No one could eat this bread, although carbon is the element in our food that promotes heat in the body.

FERRY'S SEEDS advertisement with logo and text: 'The confidence felt by farmers and gardeners in Ferry's Seeds to-day would have been impossible to feel in any seeds two score of years ago. We have made a science of seed growing.'

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BILL HEADS

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M. K. PIPER
PROPRIETOR AND PUBLISHER.

WEDNESDAY, February 16, 1910

—From now until the first of June
the Department of Agriculture will
have two men, Messrs. H. G. Payne
and H. R. Brown, former college
students, to go carefully over the
most thickly infested areas of Annapolis
and Digby Counties in search of the
Brown Tailed Moth nests. They
will visit every community in these
sections and try to get the people to
co-operate with them in their efforts
to eradicate this pest. These men are
beginning work at Bridgetown. Try
to co-operate with them. Let all prop-
erty owners carefully examine their
orchards and the trees by the road-
side and destroy every nest in sight.
The Brown Tailed Moth must go and
if the citizens will join with these
men who are now at work, the nests
can be reduced to a minimum.

Present reports from G. H. Vroom,
of Middleton, and H. G. Payne, of
Granville Ferry, who have been
prominently identified with the cam-
paign against the Brown Tailed Moth
since its inception in 1907, are to be
effect that nests are less numerous
than at any previous time. However,
the careful search which is now in
progress has revealed the fact that the
nests are quite numerous in our town
gardens. It is highly important that
the citizens, especially in the areas
known to be infested, should do every
thing in their power to if possible,
completely eradicate the pest. Our
province cannot afford to spend the
hundreds of thousands of dollars
which are now being spent in Massa-
chusetts and adjoining States to
eradicate this insect, which should
never have been allowed to become
established.

From information furnished us by
Principal Cummings of the College of
Agriculture we are able to give our
readers the following facts as a guide
in discovering the nests:—
The Moths of last summer laid
their eggs in August and September
and from these, caterpillars hatched
out and built themselves tough,
parchment like nests. These caterpil-
lars are now hibernating in these
nests, which can generally be easily
seen on the younger branches of apple
cherry and other fruit trees and oc-
casionally on oaks and other forest
trees. Now is the time to destroy
these nests. In each nest there will
be segregated from one hundred to three
hundred caterpillars, all waiting un-
til the leaves burst forth, when they
will come out of their nests and con-
sume the tender growth. Look out for
these nests. There should be no diffi-
culty in recognizing them, for the
Brown Tailed Moth caterpillar is the
only caterpillar alive at this season
of the year. The caterpillars are
small, measuring about one-half inch
long and as thick as a stalk of hay.
Cut the nests off and destroy them. If
you are in doubt, send specimens in a
carefully closed package to the Agri-
cultural College, Truro, and you will
be advised immediately.

—Speaking of the British Parliament
situation an exchange says:
The Unionists are quite overjoyed
at the showing they have made in
the elections. As the Liberals are not
dissatisfied, there is general satisfac-
tion all round. Would that all elec-
tions could end in that way.

CORRESPONDENCE.

"THE FARMER'S FRIEND."
Editor of Monitor-Sentinel:—
In looking over an exchange today
I read the following facts which I
would like to pass on to the readers
of your paper. It is entitled "Birds
the Farmers' Friends."
"The insect pests are yearly add-
ing to the cost and labor of farm-
ing, and the increase of these pests
so marked of late years, is largely
due to the senseless destruction of
our birds."
"Birds are becoming scarcer from
three main causes: (1) To gratify
the requirements of fashion. (2)
Through sport. (3) On account of
ignorance. Let us take each of these
causes as briefly as possible:—
"(1) How many of us realize the
fact that 300,000,000 birds of vari-
ous kinds are slaughtered annually
to gratify the whims of fashion.
Think of it! 300,000,000 of "our
little brothers of the air" killed to
adorn a modern holiday or church-
going hat!
"(2) Hawks, owls and woodpeckers
are shot down "just for fun", and
to show how well I can shoot"
These birds with perhaps two ex-
ceptions among the hawks, and one
among the woodpeckers, are useful
to the farmer. Hawks and owls de-
stroy field mice which are as de-
structive as ordinary mice when
they become numerous, woodpeckers
destroy the larvae which bore into
the trees. Besides they destroy
many other insects for food.
"(3) Through ignorance, farmers
and fruit raisers shoot the birds
which they see in their grain-fields
and orchards. If after shooting one
bird the farmer would open his
crop he would find a very much lar-
ger proportion of grubs and burrs
that he would of vegetable food. He
would no doubt find some grain,
but he would also find a large a-
mount of weed seeds. Would he con-
tinue if he did this? The bird was
doing good in two ways, eating the
grubs that destroy the grain, and
eating the weed seeds which will
cause more work for the farmer.
loss of food and water supply to
the growing plants and help smooth-
er the young seedlings next year."
S. C. H.
Lawrencetown, Feb. 8, 1910.

NOTICE!
Here, you Philanthropists, is a
chance for investment,—not a selfish
one that will yield you cash divi-
dends, but one which will provide at
least 100 p. c. of pleasure to the in-
mates of our County Institutions.
Think, while you are enjoying the free-
dom of this life what it must be
to be confined to one particular place
year in and year out, then try and re-
call if you have ever contributed to a
more worthy cause. Ask the people of
Bridgetown. Have they contributed?
Yes, liberally with some to hear from
—and, besides two subscriptions from
Yarmouth and Waterville of twenty-
five dollars each,—good examples to
spulate. Annapolis, Middleton and
the County at large are yet to be
heard from. Please send in that sub-
scription you have been thinking of
we need it badly. Mr. Stephen Ruz-
zles has kindly contributed a piece of
land opposite the Institutions on
which to build the Hall. Thanking all
those who have already subscribed,
and with a kindly appeal to all those
who have not.

I am
Truly yours,
A. F. HILTZ
Subscriptions to building fund.
Recreation Hall, previously
acknowledged \$223.23
J. W. Beckwith 10.00
W. A. Warren 5.00
O. S. Miller 5.00
S. N. Weare 5.00
T. B. Chipman 10.00

A Progressive Institution
On last page of the Monitor-Sen-
tinel today will be found the state-
ment of the Union Bank of Halifax,
for the year ending January 31st,
1910. The net profits amount to
\$214,415.39, compared with \$182,057.11
for the year ending January 30th,
1909. Out of the profits has been set
aside, besides paying a dividend of
eight per cent. per annum, \$10,000
for officers' pension fund, \$7,747.50
has been written off office fittings
and alterations at branches, \$20,000
written off consols and other securi-
ties, and \$50,000 transferred to reserve
fund, making the reserve fund \$1,250,
000 being 88 1/2 p. c. of the capital.
The Union Bank of Halifax has the
province of Nova Scotia thoroughly
covered by a complete system of
branches, and has developed a profit-
able business in the West India Is-
lands. During the year a branch has
been opened in Montreal, which
placed the bank in an excellent po-
sition to carry on the functions of a
growing financial institution increas-
ingly successful from year to year.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES
NEURALGIA.
A valued subscriber remitting sub-
scription for coming year says:—"I
could not get along without your
"paper. It is like a visit from an old
friend every week. It is a very busy
day when I do not take time to
"scan its pages as soon as it arrives."

Father and Son

Rev. G. Osborne Troop Delivers an
Address at the Induction of
His Son.

Rev. George W. H. Troop, son of
Rev. G. Osborne Troop, the well-
known Church of England minister,
was inducted into the charge of the
Unitarian church of Our Father, at
Ottawa on Sunday last. On the even-
ing before, that of Saturday, there
was a reception held by the congre-
gation, which was largely attended. The
Ottawa Citizen reports as among
those present at the reception in Ot-
tawa, Rev. R. J. Hutcheon, former
pastor of the church, but now of Tor-
onto; Rev. F. R. Griffin, minister of
the Church of the Messiah, in Montre-
al; Rev. S. A. Elliot, D. D. of Boston,
son of Ex-president Charles W. Elliot,
D. D., of Harvard University; Rev. G.
H. Badger, secretary of the Unitarian
conference of the Middle West and
Canada, and editor of the Unitarian.
A notable and really pathetic inci-
dent was the presence at this recep-
tion of Rev. G. Osborne Troop, father
of the new minister and well-known
as a Church of England clergyman in
St. John City and in Canada. Called
upon to speak at the reception Rev.
Mr. Troop said:
"It seems to be a providential
thing that I should have been given
this altogether unexpected opportu-
nity. When I accepted Mr. Snowdon's
invitation to preach at St. George's
church tomorrow, I did not realize
that it was the day appointed for my
son's installation here. I rejoice for
many reasons to be with you, and I
am about to speak quite frankly.
First of all I am here as the gray-
haired servant and worshipper of
Jesus Christ my Saviour and my God.
Secondly, I am here as the father of
him you have chosen for your minis-
ter, and of whom so many kind
things have been said in my hearing.
May I venture to say, even in his
presence, that what has been said is
well deserved. He and I have be-
chums all his life together; we know
we love and trust each other. Then,
I have also an opportunity of saying
that a certain sermon of mine, preach-
ed not long after my son was accept-
ed by the Unitarian society, was cruel-
ly—shall I say perverted. I do not
know who was the author of the real-
ly wanton misconception of that ser-
mon. It was sent far and wide, and it
was first shown to me in the columns
of the New York Evening Sun. I can
only say it was absolutely unwarrant-
ed. It contained words attributed to
me which had never fallen from my
lips—made from the whole cloth. The
impression was given that I was in an
excited condition and railed at Uni-
tarians. Far from that being the case
I was careful to say that a convinced
Unitarian was in a totally different
position from one who was preaching
Unitarianism within the Church of
England, or any other church which
did not stand for Unitarianism. It
was veiled Unitarianism I was pro-
testing against, not Unitarianism o-
pen and declared, as yours here to-
night. Surely you will believe me when
I say I have the profoundest respect
for every man's conscience. Every
man stands or falls to his own mas-
ter. Who am I that I should judge an-
other man's servant? All that I desire
is that we should be thoroughly hon-
est and that we should not preach in
a manner contrary to our convictions.
I may say that when a man does take
a stand he must be loyal to the stand-
ard of the communion in which he is
ministering. It was veiled treachery
that I spoke so strongly against. I
honor my son for leaving the church
of England when he could not con-
scientiously remain there. I would far
rather that he should be where he is
today than he should be associated
with me in the ministry, or that he
should be somewhere preaching Uni-
tarianism in violation of his ordina-
tion vows. May I add this much—I
have been dealt with very mercifully
in this matter. It naturally cost me a
great deal of pain, but I have passed
into absolute confidence in God that
the whole matter is perfectly safe
with him—that we are through a via
dolorosa which is bringing us nearer
to God and to each other. My mind
is completely at rest about him." The
company was much affected by Rev.
Mr. Troop's address.
(Rev. G. Osborne Troop is a native
of Bridgetown, a son of the late Wm.
Henry Troop, and lived here during
his boyhood and youth.)

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES
NEURALGIA.

ROBBERING RAILWAYS.

Tricks Travelers Try to Ride Free of
Charge.

In these days of corridor-trains and
traveling ticket-examiners, the railway
"bilker," to avoid detection, must be
exceptionally daring and ingenious in
his method of stealing a ride.

The railway companies woke up long
ago to the old-fashioned dodge of the
scamp who faked the date of an an-
tique return "half" when on his trav-
els, or stowed himself away under the
friendly shelter of a railway carriage
seat.

Quite recently, though, on one of the
northern lines, a defrauder of good
position escaped prosecution and ex-
posure only by the contribution of a
large sum of money to one of the rail-
way benevolent societies.

Being intimate with a friend who
was a first-class contract ticket-holder,
he had succeeded in obtaining a sight of
it, carefully noting the number and
other particulars.

He afterwards regularly traveled
first-class, and when asked for his tick-
et he replied "Pass!" or "Contract!"
in matter-of-fact tones that bluffed
the ticket-examiners time after time. His
impressive manner failed in a few in-
stances, and he was gently but firmly
asked to show his mysterious "Pass!"
Of course he could not produce it, and
made some trivial excuse, treating the
matter almost as a joke, usually say-
ing he had forgotten it that morning
when leaving home. When asked for
his name and address, he cheerfully,
and without a moment's hesitation,
gave that of his friend.

Of course, the railway authorities on
referring to their records and finding
that Mr. So-and-so had been issued a
contract-ticket of that number, made
no further noise about it. Ultimately,
however, the reports became so fre-
quent that more stringent inquiries
were made; the rightful owner was
threatened with withdrawal of his
contract. He indignantly denied
any offence, and the railway company
straightway laid a trap into which the
bogus "pass-holder" fell headlong. In-
fluence and good social position saved
him from the police court, but it cost
him a good round sum to square the
job.

Riding under a railway-carriage is
not a safe or luxurious mode of travel,
yet quite a short time ago a man was
dragged out more dead than alive from
under a carriage at Peterborough on
the arrival of a Great Northern ex-
press from London.

Crawling under the carriage, he had
wrapped his jacket round one of the
brake-ropes, then climbed up on the
gearings, entwined his arms firmly
round the ropes, and lain down, rest-
ing on iron bars. Wearing only a thin
cotton shirt and well-ventilated trans-
pers, the poor fellow had stiffened with
the terrible draught sweeping under
the train at express speed, and this
alone had saved his life, for so be-
numbed had his arms and hands be-
come that all power to release his hold
had left him, and only with great dif-
ficulty could he be removed from his
precarious position. Sympathetic
friends paid the fine which resulted
from the railway's prosecution.

Another foolhardy attempt to de-
fraud a railway company was that of
a sailor who got stranded for lack of
cash at Carlisle. Bound to join his
ship at Glasgow, he nimbly mounted
the iron steps at the rear of a corridor
coach on a Caledonian express, and
lay flat down on the roof between the
elevator top and the side ventilators
on the off-side of the train. He was
discovered on arrival at Glasgow in a
semi-conscious condition. He must
have been upon the roof of his hold-
ing to avoid being pitched off to instant
death by the violent oscillation of the
train during its journey.—Answers.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES
NEURALGIA.

New Wall Papers

Manufactured by the old reliable firm of WATSON,
FOSTER Co. Limited, of Montreal who are the acknowl-
edged leading manufacturers in Canada. We are also
stocking a line of the Regular N. BOXER WALL
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We have the finest line of Wall Papers ever shown in town; and
marked at our usual low prices.

Do not get fooled by buying from peddlers—as hundreds have.
In a great number of cases you will either have to order more than you
require and thus have paper on hand which is waste, or order too little
and then find yourself short and unable to get any more; as peddlers
never sell for any manufacturers.

We guarantee to all our customers that they shall not fall short
if notified in a reasonable time.

We control every pattern of the Watson, Foster Co. goods
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AGENT AT ANNAPOLIS:
F. W. HARRIS
OF HALIFAX.

A few nice trimmed Winter Hats at very
Low Prices to clear.

MISS ANNIE CHUTE

Geo. S. Davies
Union Bank Building

LOCAL AND SPECIAL.

Skating Carnival tonight.
Look out for the Brown Tail nests.
The Nictaux granite quarry is being largely drawn upon for shipments to Halifax and St. John.
The statement alleging conspiracy to steal ores from the Cobalt mines has been withdrawn.
Mr. Wm. Dennis, of the Herald and Mail has gone to Cambridge, Mass., for osteopathic treatment.
The Baptist churches of Paradise and Clarence welcomed their new pastor, Rev. L. F. Wallace, during the past week.
The local bye-election takes place in Queens County today. The candidates are A. W. Hendry, Liberal, and W. L. Hall, conservative.
Rev. Wm. Phillips, of Middleton will occupy the pulpit of Providence Methodist church on Sunday next, morning and evening, exchanging pulpits with Rev. G. F. Johnson.
The regular monthly meeting of the town Council, which should have taken place last evening was postponed, owing to the absence of Councillor Dixon, the Monitor is informed.
A party of about twenty young people, taking advantage of the excellent sleighing and a moonlight night, drove to Annapolis last evening, where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McDaniel.
The best sleighing of the season is being enjoyed this week, and conditions are most favorable for the lumbermen. It has snowed intermittently since Saturday and the flakes are again falling as we go to press.
The farmer's associations and individual farmers are now forwarding quantities of apples to the over-seas markets. Buyers are quiet. It is reported that prices are improving but we are unable to quote any figures.
Mr. H. F. Bethel, inspector for the Nova Scotia Fire Insurance Company spent one day last week in Bridgetown, with the company's local agent Mr. F. L. Milner. Mr. Bethel reports that business with the Nova Scotia Fire is increasing and that results are very satisfactory.
The unusual weather conditions following the heavy thaw have left navigation open, and it is not likely that it will be fully closed again this season. The Minas Basin ports are entirely free from ice. This means that coast and river services will commence much earlier than usual this spring.
News has been received of the tragic death of the wife of Owen Eaton, a native of Cornwallis, son of the late Benjamin Eaton, of Sheffield Mills, at Philadelphia. The Hollingsworth hotel, in which they occupied apartments, was burned, and Mrs. Eaton was one of the unfortunate victims who failed to escape and was buried in the ruins.
The Dominion Atlantic Railway Passenger Department are now receiving notices from persons who desire to take Summer Boarders in their Private Homes, such information to be included in a new edition of "Summer Homes in Nova Scotia" now in the course of preparation.
Application for forms to be filled out can be addressed to R. U. PARKER, General Passenger Agent.
The first of a series of English church History Lectures, illustrated with lantern views will be given in St. James' church school-room, next Monday evening commencing at 7.30. The lecturer on this occasion will be the Rev. J. Reeks, Rector of Round-Hill, and his lecture will treat of the period from 600 to 1215 A.D. The public are cordially invited. Silver collection toward defraying the cost of illustrations.
There has been a temporary change in the teaching staff of our public school, owing to the absence of Principal Bustin and Miss Crowe. Miss Crowe's place is filled by Miss Zela Collic, Mr. Bustin's classes were taken yesterday by Miss Bishop of the preparatory department, while Dr. Jost, chairman of the school board, took Miss Bishop's classes. Today Mr. Bustin's room is closed until Monday next, when it is hoped he will be able to resume teaching.
Mr. Wm. O'Brien, President of the Hants, Kings and Annapolis Exhibition Commission, informs the Windsor Tribune that he has interviewed Governor Fraser, who has kindly given his consent to open the Exhibition to be held this year at Windsor on dates to be set by the Committee of Management. The Government Grant is assured, and everything points to the show being successful as it was three years ago. The advisability of having one day devoted to a cattle show will be discussed at the meeting of the Executive in the near future.

PERSONAL

Councillor Dixon left on Saturday on a brief trip to New York.
Mr. Fred Beckwith left a few days since on a trip to Boston.
Miss Effie Bauckman returned from a visit to Boston on Saturday.
Mr. M. L. McLeod is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia.
Mrs. B. M. Williams has been confined to her bed with a severe cold.
Mr. A. B. McKenzie left on a business trip in New Brunswick yesterday.
Miss Agnes McMillan, of Annapolis, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Beckwith.
Mr. W. D. Lockett is out again after being housed for a week with a severe cold.
Mrs. Dennison has gone to Lynn, Mass., for an indefinite stay with her son, Dr. Arch Dennison.
Mrs. J. W. Beckwith returned last Saturday from an extended visit in North Sydney and Halifax.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Ruzles arrived from Halifax yesterday and are the guests of the former's parents.
Mr. H. A. Cosman, bookkeeper for MacKenzie, Crowe and Company, has been quite ill during the past two days.
Hay, formerly of Truro, is practicing with the Crescents, and may play point for them in their next game.—Halifax Chronicle.
Miss Bessie Crowe was summoned to her home in Annapolis last week in consequence of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Jas. Crowe.
Mr. W. I. Troop, after two years spent in the employ of the Transcontinental railway, returned home for a visit to his family on Friday last.
Principal Bustin has been quite ill for a few days, being threatened with an attack of pneumonia. At latest reports, however, his condition is improving.
Mr. L. D. Shaffner left yesterday on a business trip to England. Mrs. Shaffner and children are at the St. James Hotel, where they will remain during Mr. Shaffner's absence.
Mr. Bernard Longmire, who has been spending several months at home for the benefit of his health, left for Winnipeg, where he has joined the staff of the Union Bank of Canada.

Another Bridgetown Merchant And Prominent Citizen Gone

The death of Martin A. Otterson, merchant tailor, of this town, is deeply regretted by our citizens. Mr. Otterson's illness was quite brief, although his health has been rather frail for some years. He was attacked by pneumonia on Monday, the 31st ult, and though everything possible was done to stay the ravages of the disease, he passed away on Sunday, the 13th inst.
Mr. Otterson was a native of Denmark and came to this country before he was twenty years of age. He was employed for a time with Clayton and Sons, of Halifax, with whom he became proficient in his trade, later, he carried on a business of his own in Middleton, but not meeting with success he came to Bridgetown about eight years ago and had succeeded in working up a very satisfactory business, and had bought a neat home property, formerly the Dr. Dennison homestead. He is survived by his wife a daughter of Albert Phinney, of Lawrencetown. His mother is still living in his native land.
Mr. Otterson had an intelligent active mind and took a keen interest in the topics of the day. Although having the obstacle of a strange language to overcome he was quite a fluent speaker and debater. A few months ago he reached the position of worshipful Master in the Masonic Lodge, which office he filled in the most capable manner. He was also a member of the Oddfellows Lodge. For two years Mr. Otterson was President of the Y.M.C.A. of this town in which he took a deep interest.
The Masons will conduct the funeral ceremonies which will take place at half past one today. A large number of Masons and Oddfellows are expected to be present. Rev. N. A. McNeill, pastor of the Baptist church, of which he was an attendant, will conduct the religious service.

Classified ADVERTISEMENTS

TRANSIENT RATES: 10c. a line; Three consecutive issues will be charged as two. Minimum charge, 25c.
Business Notices
Still those 15c. PRINTS are going for 10c. CASH at J. W. BECKWITH'S.
TWENTY PER CENT DISCOUNT on Boots, Shoes and Rubbers for ten days only. We need the cash. We need the room for Spring Stock.
E. S. FIGGOTT.
The greatest values in DRESS GOODS at J. W. BECKWITH'S.
NOTICE.
We beg to advise the public that we are installing a Rotary Mill in connection with our wood-working factory, and will be ready to saw in the early spring.
We will pay cash for hard and soft wood logs, and are now ready to receive any quantities.
J. H. HICKS & SONS.
The highest price for BUTTER and EGGS always obtained at J. W. BECKWITH'S.
MONEY TO LOAN.—On First-Class Real Estate, security. Apply to O. S. MILLER.
J. W. BECKWITH is now daily opening new and up-to-date goods for the early spring sewing.
MUSICAL NOTICE
Messrs. G. O. Gates & Son, piano and organ tuners will be in Bridgetown soon. Orders entrusted to the care of the Monitor-Sentinel or sent through the mail will be promptly attended to.
Manufacturer's agents for the sale of high-grade pianos and organs. Information gratis to intending purchasers.
For Sale
FOR SALE.—Heavy set of sleds. JOSEPH TAYLOR
FOR SALE.—A barn 18x25 on the premises of Mr. Gasner Hyson, Rectory Street. Owner will sell right.
HOUSE FOR SALE.
The commodious residence recently occupied by the late John E. Sancton on the north side of Granville Street in the town of Bridgetown, is offered for sale, and can be had at a reasonable price. Apply to F. L. MILNER, Agent, July 6th, 1909, tf.
Lost
LOST
A young fox-hound, white and gray answers to name of 'Moose'. Reward for return offered by owner.
JAS. R. DE WITT
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To Let
TO LET
The Hall over Monitor Office, formerly occupied by the Foresters. Audience room with two side rooms. Wired for electric lighting. Heated if desired.
Suitable for business offices.
Apply to M. K. PIPER.
"MY LOSS, YOUR GAIN"
I have four Sleighs and Punks to go less than cost within the next few days. Buy now, and save dollars by so doing.
JOHN HALL,
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Watch Repairing
My watch, clock and jewelry repairs give excellent satisfaction. If your time-piece is out of order bring it to me and have it repaired. Work done at my home on Middle Street. Prices reasonable.
Ross A. Bishop
REPAIRING
Joseph Chitley is opening repairing rooms in his house, Church Street, where he will repair boots and shoes and rubbers; Orders may be left at E. S. FIGGOTT'S Shoe Store.
James W. Buckley, of Truro, is in Amherst, says the Amherst News. Mr. Buckley informed us that the new company with which he is associated has about completed arrangements to take over the property of the Old English Fertilizer Company at Puzwash and that the new company anticipates starting business at an early date.

BARAINS ! BARAINS !

Don't miss seeing what Furs we have on hand, which are now going at a

20 per cent discount.

We are giving 20 per cent discount on all our Dress Goods, Carpets, Rugs, Men's and Boy's Clothing.

Be sure and see our Black Sateen Underskirts Selling at 50c.

We can sell you Ladies' Imported Coats from \$2.00 up.

J. W. BECKWITH

NEW GOODS AT RIGHT PRICES

Nuts, Shelled and in Shell, California Navals, 40 cents doz. Mediterranean Oranges 12 cent doz. Lemons, Grapes, Raisins (in box and package) Currants, Figs, Dates, Dried Apples, Candied Peel and Choice Confectionery.
SPECIAL OFFER
A large assortment of Canned Goods, Peas, Corn, Tomatoes, one dozen each or assorted for \$1.00.
Agency for Moi's Bread, Cake and Pastry.
Mrs. S. C. Turner

Bang! Bang! Bang!

the hammer has fallen, the goods must go, I am through stock-taking and find many lines which I must sell at cost to make room for my big Spring Stock which is now on the road. I need the room and must dispose of the lines as necessity knows no law.

READ CAREFULLY the most profitable reading you have done for years

25 Ladies' Jackets, all this season make, all colours, yours at your own price.
50 Ladies' Skirts, all new goods; your choice from \$1.47. Everyone a leader.
57 Ladies' Wrappers, all this years style; going while they last, from 87c.
5 pieces Ladies' Furs left, going below cost.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

25 Men's Suits, all this season's make; sizes 36 to 42. yours for \$4.79
15 " " " " " " " " 36 to 42. " " 3.27
15 doz. only, Boys' Fleece Underwear, going at cost.
3 " " " " " " " " Sweaters, nicely make, only 37c.
Rubbers have advanced, but I am selling my big stock of Men's, Women's, Boys' and Misses' Rubbers at cost.
BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS BELOW COST.
REMEMBER, NO RESERVE—EVERYTHING AT COST.

The only place in town where you save \$\$\$\$ is at

B. JACOBSON'S,
QUEEN STREET.

BORN

BENT.—At Bentville, Feb. 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Bent, a daughter.

108 Nox a Cold In One Day
The Great Lung and Cough Medicine
GUARANTEED
25c. a bot. at WARREN'S drug store.

Special Optical Offer
To introduce the latest in Eye Glass mountings, also the Large Toric Lenses, will give TWENTY PER CENT OFF FOR THIRTY DAYS. I give the same examination with the latest optical instruments that you pay ten dollars for in cities, free if you buy your Glasses from me.
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Former Prescription Optician with the original Wilson Bros., Boston.

NOTICE
During my absence, Crowe Bros. of Annapolis and Middleton will look after my business. My shop will be open every Monday and Friday, also Wednesday or Thursday. Mr. Harry Chute will have key of shop and all orders left with him will be promptly attended to by Crowe Bros. by phone from shop. All receipts from parties in charge will be acknowledged.
R. ALLEN CROWE

A MATTER OF DOLLARS —AND— CENTS

ADVERTISING should be just a matter of Investment for YOU, Mr. Merchant.
You put money into Stock that you may get More Money.
Put Money into Advertising that you may gain a larger percentage on that Money you put into Stock.
Advertising Does Pay and there's no doubt about it. All the merchants who have won great success have used Printer's Ink extensively.
IT WILL PAY YOU
Watch your Advertising in 1910. Advertising that is Neglected doesn't pay a bit more than the Store that is neglected pays.

34 NEW TYPEWRITERS
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I have more students than ever before and more places to fill than students now competent.
Would you like the 1910 Course of Study?
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PROMISING DAIRY STOCK

In the description of the high bred stock recently imported by A. J. Wheelock in last issue the milk production of the Holstein's dam was erroneously stated. 14,000 lbs. has been her highest production up to the present, her highest mark being 80 lbs. in one day. Mr. Wheelock adds further particulars as follows:—
"She is in the Advanced Registry of Merit, having produced twelve pounds of butter in one week when only two years of age. The granddam was one of a famous class of Holstein shown at the world's fair at Buffalo. His sire, "Artemis Posch" formerly owned and exhibited by Logan Bros. at the principal shows of Canada was a champion at the Seattle fair this year."

Clarence

Mr. Isaac Freeman of Berwick visited Mrs. L. W. Elliot last week.
Miss Eva Leonard is visiting her sister in Palmonth.
The young people enjoyed a sleighing party to Miss Eliza Marshall's Paradise on Wednesday evening.
Miss Edith Chute of Bridgetown and Miss Maggie Gates of Inglesville have been guests of Mrs. A. C. Chute.
Miss Essie Nelly of Brooklyn is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Isaac Banks.
Mr. and Mrs. Pearson of Union Square are at the home of the latter brother, Mr. R. R. Banks.
We are sorry to report Dacon Robert Marshall quite ill.
Miss Aggie Jackson went to Kingston last week to visit her sister Mrs. H. D. Woodbury.
Mrs. B. Bezanon Mrs. A. J. Jackson and Mrs. L. W. Elliot were hostesses to some of their friends last week.
Mr. Emdon Whitman had the misfortune to break his arm last week while hauling wood.
Mrs. Ralph Bent, Paradise has been visiting friends and relatives here.
Rev. L. Wallace preached his first sermon here on Sunday and a reception is to be held at Paradise for Mr. and Mrs. Wallace on Thursday evening.

DOMINION ATLANTIC RAILWAY

Steamship Lines - St. John via Digby - Boston via Yarmouth - "Land of Evangeline" Route.

On and after October 30th, 1909 the Steamship and Train Service on this Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

Aecom. from Annapolis... 7.20 a. m. Aecom. from Richmond... 5.40 p. m. Express from Yarmouth, 1.46 p. m. Express from Halifax... 12.21 p. m.

Midland Division

Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily, (except Sunday) for Truro at 6.45 a. m., 7.30 a. m., and 5.35 p. m. and from Truro at 6.50 a. m., 12.00 m., and 3.20 p. m.

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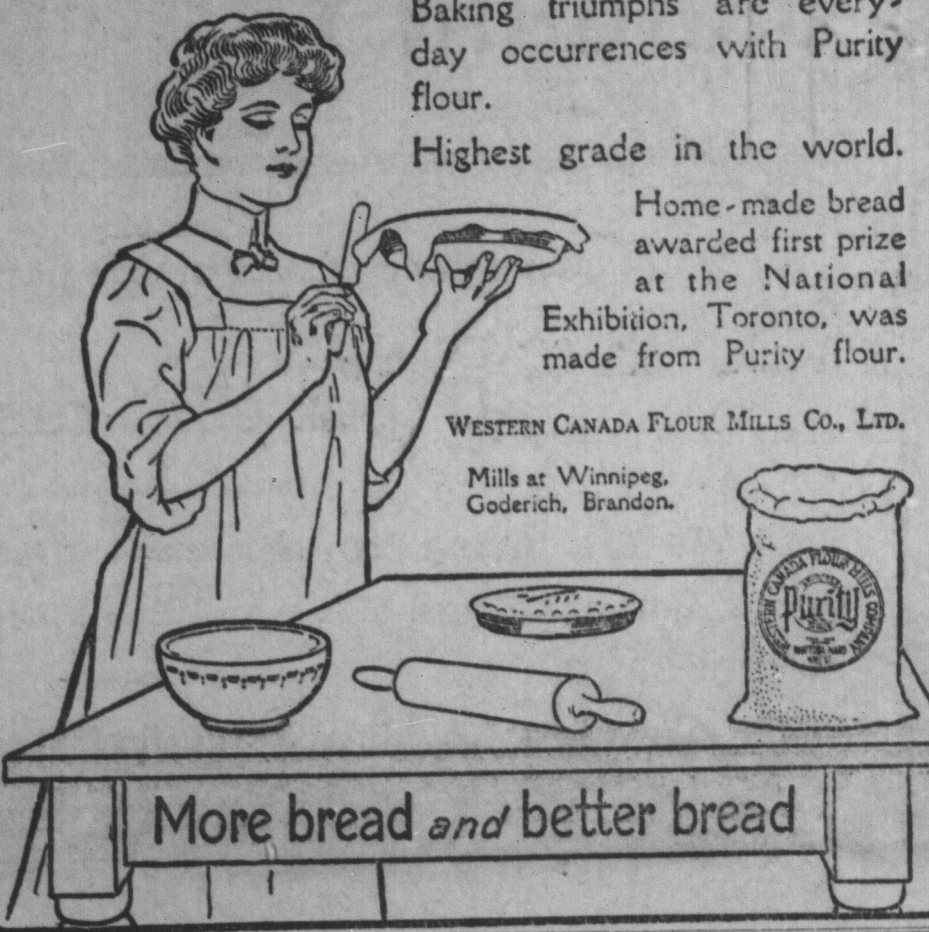
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1910 - New Wall Papers - 1910

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Good bargains in 1909 paper to clear. BUTTER AND EGGS TAKEN.

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Disaster Averted By Wireless

NEW YORK, February 4.—Thanks again to the wireless and the international distress signal, "S. O. S.," Captain Moore and his crew of 46 men are safe on board the Mallory liner Alamo, bound for Key West to-night, while their vessel, the Kentucky, has sunk off Cape Hatteras. It is another case of a disaster averted by wireless and told to the world by the same medium.

The Kentucky, a wooden vessel of 996 gross tonnage and 203 feet long, was bound from New York to the Pacific, to carry passengers between Tacoma and Alaska ports, for the Alaska-Pacific Steamship company. The first news of the Kentucky's plight was received at the United Wireless company's station at Cape Hatteras at 11.30 o'clock this morning. There the operator heard the "S. O. S." quickly followed by this message:—

"WE ARE SINKING. OUR LATITUDE IS 32.10. LONGITUDE 76.30."

Almost simultaneously the operator heard the steamship Alamo respond to the Kentucky's call for help, informing Captain Moore that the Alamo was making all speed to the sinking vessel to render assistance.

Another from the Kentucky said that the water interfered with her telegraph apparatus. The navy department in the meantime flashed wireless messages along the Atlantic coast, dispatching the battleship Louisiana, and two revenue cutters to the scene, but at five o'clock this evening word came from the Alamo that she had arrived first and had taken off all hands in safety. This is the message as received in New York by the United Wireless company from its Cape Hatteras station:—

"Latitude 34.46, longitude 76.28. Steamship Alamo has just taken Captain Moore and crew of forty-six men from sinking steamship Kentucky. Water had already reached fire room and steamer will sink before mid-night."

"The Alamo is now proceeding to Key West."

Bad luck was the Kentucky's lot almost immediately after she left New York for her 14,000 mile voyage on January 23. Good luck was her lot when the wireless instruments were installed before she departed. One hundred and fifty miles off Sandy Hook she began leaking badly, but by working the pumps valiantly, Captain Moore was able to reach Newport News with 16 inches of water in the vessel's hold. There repairs were made and the ship received a certificate from Lloyd's and the United States inspector at the port that she was sound and seaworthy.

Notwithstanding this assurance, T. A. MacLarny, formerly the night operator at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, who had shipped with the vessel when she left this port, refused to continue on the voyage, because his parents at Monticello, N. Y., had a premonition that something would happen. They bombarded him with messages to this effect, and in deference to their wishes, he obtained a substitute operator. W. D. McGinnes who sent out the message that saved the lives of his shipmates. The ship was insured for \$70,000.

While it is often impossible to prevent an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared—it is not beyond any one's purse. Invest 25 cts. in a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and you are prepared for bruises, sprains and like injuries. Sold by all dealers.

"A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE."

Friend of the Family. And what are you learning at school, now, Tommy? Tommy: "Oh, gozinter, chiefly." Friend of the Family: "What's that? A new language?" Tommy (wearily): No, just gozinter one gozinter two, two gozinter four, three gozinter six."

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Your blood has become thin and weak. The drain upon your system the past few months has been very great. You are consequently feeling "all out of sorts" and "run down." Your appetite is bad and you hardly have enough energy left to do your daily duties. You should take PSYCHINE, the greatest of Tonics, without delay. This will put you on your feet at once.

Gentlemen: I have used PSYCHINE and I do think it is the greatest tonic and system builder known. I would advise all who are run-down or physically weak to use PSYCHINE. Yours truly, Mrs. Jas. Bertrand, West Toronto.

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PSYCHINE PRONOUNCED SI-KEEN

Found Big Fortune

Eastern, Pa., Feb 14.—Mr. Jos. D. Unangst, a farmer living near Farmersville, about four miles from this city, has unexpectedly come into possession of \$50,000.

For a number of years Mr. Unangst has had an old iron safe which was given to him by his father. The safe was red with the rust of forty years. It was not opened during all these years, as it was not known to contain anything of special value. The door to it was locked, and no key was known to be around that would unlock it. The safe was pushed around from one corner to another in odd places in an old building.

Mr. Unangst decided to sell the safe to a junk dealer to get it out of the way and realize something on it, but he thought that before he would let it go out of his hands he would open it and see if it contained any valuables. He tried to open it with keys but the old-fashioned lock was rusted and held fast.

Finally Mr. Unangst secured an expert at safe opening and the door was drilled open. It was then found that the few compartments in the safe were filled with money. Mr. Unangst found that the pile contained \$50,000, all in gold.

The money is supposed to have been put into the safe by Mr. Unangst's grandfather, who had been dead forty years.

Grandfather Unangst was a farmer thrifty and economical, and his sudden death is taken as the reason for him not revealing the contents of the safe.

An English Chemist Has Discovered How to Grow Hair

In England the ladies have entirely abandoned wearing hats, which is due entirely to this new discovery.

It has been proven that Henna leaves contain the ingredients that will positively grow hair. That they contain this long-sought for article is proven every day.

The Americans are now placing on the market a preparation containing the extract from Henna leaves, which is having a phenomenal sale.

This preparation is called SALVIA and is being sold with a guarantee to cure Dandruff and to grow hair in abundance. Being daintily perfumed SALVIA makes a most pleasant hair dressing. Mr. Warren, your druggist, is the first to import this preparation into Bridgetown, and a large number of bottles can be purchased for 50c.

BOYCOTT COST A QUARTER OF A MILLION

HAT. JR.D. C. AN., February 4.—"A new declaration of independence" is what Attorney Daniel Devenport of Bridgetown called the verdict of \$222,000 rendered today in the United States court by the jury in the suit of D. E. Leowe of Danbury against 200 hat makers in this state. After being out a little over two hours the jury ordered actual damages of \$47,000 to the plaintiff, but as the suit was brought under the Sherman anti-trust law, triple damages could be recovered.

The costs will amount to at least \$10,000, and those with the counsel fees may bring the bill against the United Hatters of North America to fully a quarter of a million dollars.

A bill of exception will be filed by the defense, and the case will be carried to the Federal Court of Appeals, and the United States supreme court.

Shiloh's Cure

Quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

NOVELIST SUED FOR LIBEL

TORONTO, February 4.—Henshaw Maddock, of this city, has launched an action against W. A. Fraser, the novelist, to recover \$5,000 for alleged defamation and libel. A similar action for the same amount has been entered against Saturday Night, and an injunction is asked to restrain that paper from circulating any publication "reflecting upon the honesty of the plaintiff or his methods of carrying on his business, or intimating that he is a swindler or a faker, or is carrying on a business which attempts to defraud the public."

Maddock, who is agent for stock of the California-Alberta Oil company, was fined two hundred dollars in the police court this afternoon for offering stock for sale without giving information required by the companies act.

MISS CUNARD'S ENGAGEMENT TO HARCOURT, M.P., BROKEN

LONDON, February 2.—It is announced that the engagement of Robert V. Harcourt member of parliament for Montrose, and Miss Margery Cunard, grand-daughter of the founder of the Cunard line, has been broken off.

Plain Talks to Women.

Children's Skin Troubles, Cuts, Etc.

Every healthy child gets them, and every mother has to "put something on." What do YOU put on? When you put an ointment on to a child's skin it gets into the blood through the pores just as surely as if you put it into the child's stomach. Did you ever think of that? How important, therefore, that the salve or balm should be pure!

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Joker's Corner

BRIDGET'S EXPLANATION

Bridget, who had administered the culinary affairs of the Morse household for many years, was sometimes torn between her devotion to her mistress and loyalty to the small son of the house.

"Bridget," said Mrs. Morse, in a tone of wonder after an inspection of the storeroom, "where have those splendid red apples gone that the man brought yesterday—those four big ones?"

"Well, now, ma'am," said poor Bridget, "I couldn't rightly say, but I'm thinking if you were to find out where my loaf o' hot gingerbread is likely then four red apples would be livin' right on top of it, an' I'm on my hopin' his little inside can stand the strain."

ONE MORE UNFORTUNATE.

"Pshaw!" exclaimed Miss Kerner, impatiently, "I'm sure we'll miss the opening number. We've waited a good many minutes for that mother of mine."

"Hours, I should say," Mr. Sloan retorted rather crossly.

"Ours? O George!" she cried, and laid her blushing cheek upon his shirt front.

MISTRESS OF THE SITUATION

Father (left in charge)—"No, you can not have any more cake." (Very seriously) "Do you know what I shall have to do if you go on making that dreadful noise?"

Little Girl (sobbing)—"Yes!" Father—"Well, what is it?" Little Girl—"Give me some more cake!"

WISDOM IN UNIFORM.

To a guard at a gate of the Board street station, Philadelphia, there recently rushed an excited individual with this query: "Have I time to say good bye to my wife, who is leaving on this New York train?"

"That, sir," responded the guard, with a polite smile, "depends on how long you have been married."

An attack of the grip is often followed by a persistent cough, which to many proves a great annoyance. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been extensively used and with good success for the relief and cure of this cough. Many cases have been cured after all other remedies had failed. Sold by all dealers.

"THE OTHER FELLER"

"How pleasant it must be to sit before a blazing fire while the wind vainly rages outside."

"Yes," answered Farmer Cornstossel, "I s'pose it would be right pleasant."

"Why, you ought to know. You live in the country."

"Yes, but I ain't the feller that sits by the fire, I'm the feller that fetches in the wood."

STEAMER'S CARGO AFIRE.

GALVESTON, Texas, February 3.—The steamer Eldorado, of the Morgan line, arrived at Galveston last evening after a troublous voyage from New York, during which a portion of the cargo was on fire. The fire was discovered in some charcoal shortly after the ship sailed Saturday. Steam was poured into the hold, and it was thought that the blaze had been extinguished, Monday, however, the fire reappeared and was still burning when the vessel docked last night.

LETTER FROM A FORTY-NINER

Here is a simple, interesting and sincere letter from a rugged pioneer of '49, who braved the dangers and hardships of the overland trail to California. It should appeal to all catarrh victims.

Santa Rosa, Cal., May 5, '08. Booth's Hyomei Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dear Sirs:—I was afflicted with catarrh and tried a number of remedies but received no relief. I purchased an outfit of Hyomei, and before I had used the bottle I noted a marked relief. I used it for a month or so, and thought I was cured, and stopped using it for a year or so. Thought I was getting catarrh again, and started using it again. I use it every morning and keep myself clear of catarrh. I consider it the best catarrh medicine that is used. I have often recommended it to my friends. I am eighty-one years old. I came to California in 1849, and of course am not as vigorous as I was fifty-eight years ago. My address is 841 4th Street. Yours truly, W. Mock.

INSURGENTS AT NICARAGUA

MANAGUA, February 4.—All indications point to the imminence of a decisive battle for supremacy in Nicaragua between the government forces and the revolutionists, under the leadership of General Estrada, the provisional president of the republic.

The insurgents are spreading the conflict over a wide area in the mountainous districts to the eastward of Managua and also are gathering in considerable numbers about Greytown. But everywhere they are confronted by the troops of President Madrid, who are disputing their every advance.

Fighting is of almost daily occurrence. Yesterday the insurgents captured Boxea, sixty miles east of Managua, forcing back the government troops to their main army at Teopte to the northward of the north shore of Lake Managua. On Thursday, however, the vanguard of the government army at Las Garitas, in the mountainous district between Le Liberta and Acopyan, engaged and defeated a band of insurgents, numbering six hundred.

James J. Hill's epigram is worth considering: "It is not the high cost of living that is bothering the country, but the cost of high living."

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UNION BLEND TEA the tea that satisfies. YOU know the kind of tea you like—will you let Union Blend prove its own case? That's all I ask. Simply go to your grocer, order a pound packet—or a half pound if you prefer—and see for yourself if it doesn't make half as many cups again as the kind you are using. Just count the cups. A tea at 40c that goes half as far again as a 80c. tea is economy, isn't it? Your own tatecup can be the judge—I'll stand by the decision it makes. Try it.

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BOSTON, February 7.—Max Fleisher, conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra for the past two seasons, was re-engaged today for the seasons of 1910 and 1911.

GERMAN CONCESSION TO EXPORTERS OF APPLES

WASHINGTON, February 3.—The German government has issued a decree which, in effect, permits American apples, packed in barrels in the head of which excelsior paper is placed to prevent damage in shipping, to enter that country without the payment of tariff rate provided. Hitherto, apples so packed have paid the increased duty, applicable to "fruit doubly wrapped."

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Some time ago I had a bad attack of quinsy that laid me up for two weeks, and cost a lot of money.

Finding the lump again forming in my throat, I bathed it freely with MINARD'S LINIMENT, and saturating a cloth with the liniment left it on all night.

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G. F. WORDEN, St. John.

MACKENZIE & MANN AFTER HUDSON BAY RAILWAY

OTTAWA, February 3.—William MacKenzie will be here tomorrow and will interview the government in regard to the building of the Hudson Bay railway by Mackenzie and Mann. The Canadian Northern at present owns the line to Pas Mission, from which point the new road will run north and it is reported that this firm will be given the word to start work at once on the long anticipated railway.

A few minutes delay in treating some cases of croup, even the length of time it takes to go for a doctor often proves dangerous. The safest way is to keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and at the first indication of croup give the child a dose. Pleasant to take and always cures. Sold by all dealers.

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UNABLE TO DETERMINE CAUSE OF WRECK

SUBSBURY, February 4.—After hearing evidence for many days and probing the matter as thoroughly as they could, the coroner's jury which has been investigating the terrible Webwood wreck of two weeks ago, brought in a verdict to-night. They found the passengers met death as a result of a derailment of the portion of the train on which they were travelling.

Recommendations were added that the railway commission of Canada investigate the following: (1) Are three sectionmen sufficient to keep an eight mile section in proper condition during the winter time in the vigorous climate of Northern Ontario? (2) Should openings be placed in the roofs of cars capable of being opened from either inside or outside of the car, suitable for the escape of passengers in case of overturned cars. (3) Should emergency tools be carried at convenient places outside of car as well as inside?

Cabinet Changes in British Government

LONDON, February 5.—Premier Asquith will meet David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer, at Nice today and it is expected that he will return to London Monday. The premier is keeping his own counsel and tho there is plenty of speculation concerning what the government's policy will be in the new parliament, nothing definite as yet is known of the ministerial plans. The new cabinet changes, which are expected to be made early next week, probably will include the resignation of Viscount Wolverhampton, lord president of the council, and the transfer of Lord Carrington, president of the board of agriculture, to the governor-generalship of Canada, R. McKenna succeeding Viscount Wolverhampton and Mr. Haldane, the home secretary, becoming first lord of the admiralty in place of Mr. McKenna.

An interesting rumor is published in effect that the cabinet will consider the amalgamation of the admiralty and the war office under a single minister, to be styled the minister of defense, with a view to ensuring greater co-ordination between the two services. But looking at the serious nature of the political problems, Mr. Asquith has to face, it may be doubted whether he will undertake such a far-reaching change at the present moment. Tho it is presumed that the budget will be the first business submitted to the new parliament, there is a large section of the liberals which is urging the government to deal with the veto of the house of lords before anything else. Joseph Chamberlain left Birmingham today for a prolonged stay at Cannes.

To-Night

If your back aches or you feel stitches, or have smarting or frequent urination, or any bladder trouble take a dose of 'Fig Pills' and you will feel fine in the morning. If you don't your money back. 25c. a box, or five boxes for \$1.00. For sale at WARREN'S.

STRAUSS' NEW OPERA CREATES SENSATION

Richard Strauss' new opera "Elektra" received its first American production at the Manhattan Opera House on Tuesday evening and scored a great success. The New York Herald says: For the first time in America Richard Strauss' music drama "Elektra" was produced in the Manhattan Opera House last night. All was bustle and excitement in the lobby. It was like a meeting of the Richard Strauss clans. And the question uppermost was: "Is 'Elektra' going to be another 'Salome'?" An endless line of automobiles, taxicabs and carriages were emptying their eager passengers at both entrances and once inside the crowd seemed eager to get settled in their seats. The air was charged with expectancy. Nothing occurred to mar the smoothness of the performance until the very close. Hardly had the curtains closed after the final crashing chord, when applause and shouting began. Out came the principals, headed by Mme. Mazarin, who had sung the title role wonderfully. Then, with each appearance of the singers the chain lengthened. Jacques Colli, stage manager, was applauded when he appeared; so was Mr. De la Fuente, the conductor. He shared his honors with the orchestra, for he advanced to the footlights and pointed to the men who had labored faithfully under his baton. Oscar Hammerstein was brought out next, and the audience sent up a cheer. Mme. Mazarin flung her arms about Mr. De la Fuente, and kissed him to show her appreciation, and then to the amusement of everyone, and amid gasps of sympathy, she fainted and fell heavily on the stage. Mons. Huberdeau and Mons. Duffait—the Drestes and Aegisthus of the cast—caught her up and carried her to her dressing room. Three physicians from the audience rushed to the stage—Drs. Elze, Baruch and Rambaud. The audience waited and suppressed further enthusiasm. For a last time some of the other principals came out reassuringly and bowed. Then the asbestos curtain slowly descended as a signal that the performance was over. In a depressed, hushed mood, the audience trooped out. Mme. Mazarin collapsed as a result of the strain of the evening and of previous rehearsal. Once before, a few days ago, she fainted and the rehearsal had to be stopped. Last night she had exhausted her nervous forces. She was quickly restored and was said to be suffering no serious consequences.

HAD HIS MEASURE.

Cholly Nitwit: "D'ye, Miss Cutter, though I've only just met you, there seems to be a—er—sort of intellectual sympathy between us. You know just how to appeal to my tastes, you know. Are you a literary woman?" Dolly Cutter: "No, I'm a kindergarten teacher."



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All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the defendants and of all persons claiming or entitled by from or under them or either of them, in, to, or out of. All that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate and being in Centreville aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a post on the north side of the Post Road, at a point where the east line of Wallace Bruce's farm touches it, thence running in a northwesterly direction and following the said Wallace Bruce's line until it comes to the centre of the Bruce Creek, so called, thence turning and following the centre of the said Bruce Creek eight rods, thence turning and running in a south-easterly direction parallel with the said Wallace Bruce's line—east line—thirty rods to the said Post Road, thence turning and following said Post Road to the place of beginning, containing one and one-half acres, more or less, together with the easements, tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in otherwise appertaining.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DYPHTHERIA.



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On and after Oct. 25th, all kinds of repairs for Frost and Wood's Machinery will be at Edward Craig's Blacksmith Shop, persons wishing to purchase any plows or any kind of Machinery made by Frost and Wood can buy of Mr. Craig or the undersigned. ISAAC C. WHITMAN, Agent. Round Hill Oct. 25th 1909.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA. IMPORTANT BILLS WERE THROWN OUT.

OTTAWA, February 4.—The marine committee this morning threw out two bills introduced by Mr. Lewis, (West Huron). One provided for the Pilm-sall line, and the other for the equipment of vessels on the great lakes with wireless telegraph apparatus.

"A Kingly Gift"

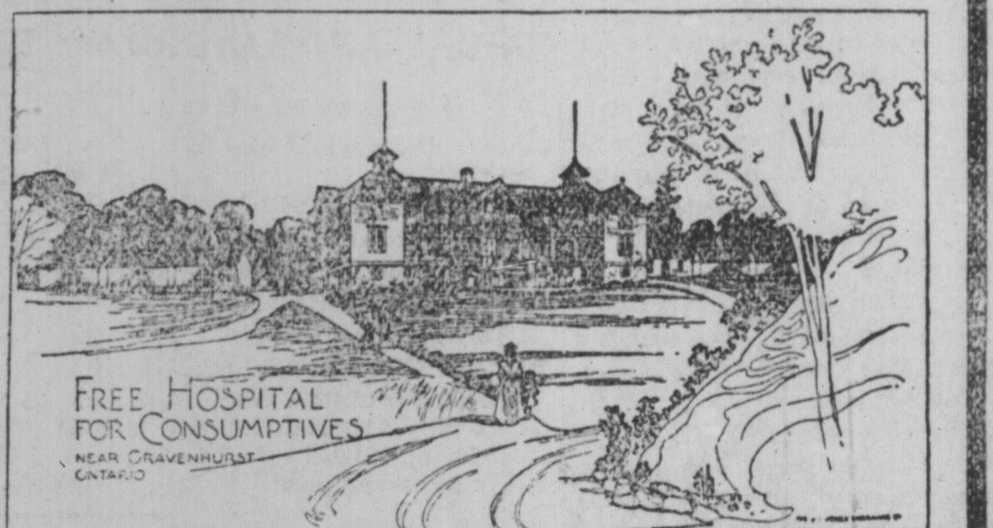
EARL GREY'S APPEAL On behalf of Needy Consumptives Strong words of Canada's Governor-General

At the official opening of the King Edward Sanatorium for Consumptives, near Toronto, His Excellency delivered an address that must have an important bearing on the future of the sanatorium movement in Canada. We quote:—

"The proceedings this afternoon commenced with a beautiful and reverent prayer from your old friend, Dr. Potts. He prayed that the light of the Lord might shine upon us. That prayer is abundantly answered. He also prayed that the White Plague might be removed. Well, whether that prayer will be answered or not depends upon yourselves."

"Is it not a standing shame and reproach to the governments and individuals that there is not more care taken by the people of Canada to protect themselves against the curse of consumption?"

On his way out to the King Edward Sanatorium,—so named by permission of His Majesty King Edward VII—the Governor-General's car was stopped in its progress outside the Canada Cycle & Motor Co. by a large crowd of its employees. A contribution of one hundred dollars was handed the Governor-General, a donation to the Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives.



"Twas a kingly gift," said His Excellency in making acknowledgment. "I will tell the King."

Addressing the large audience that attended these opening exercises, referring to this event, Earl Grey said: "Ladies and gentlemen, when the workmen of Canada are setting an example of this character, I hope you will not be slow to follow, and I trust that the example of the Canada Cycle & Motor Co. may be followed, so I am sure it will, in every factory and manufacturing industry throughout the land."

Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives

An institution that has never refused a single applicant admission, because of his or her inability to pay. Seventy-five patients can be cared for to-day. Accommodation could be provided for three hundred if the required money were forthcoming. To make this possible, our appeal is for \$50,000, to be used in extension of buildings and maintenance of patients.

Where will your money do more good? Every community and every individual is interested.

His Excellency Earl Grey has shown his interest and sympathy in the work at Muskoka for needy consumptives, by accepting the position of Honorary President of the National Sanitarium Association.

Contributions may be sent to Sir Wm. R. Meredith, Kt., Chief Justice, Osgoode Hall, Toronto; W. J. Gage, Esq., 34 Spadina Ave., or J. S. Robertson, Sec'y-Treas., National Sanitarium Association, 347 King Street West, Toronto, Canada.

Lawrencetown.

Mrs. Dodge, who has been quite ill, is improving. If what we hear is true, there is going to be a lively debate next Monday evening in the Hall at Williamston.

Clarence.

The farmers are making good use of the fine sledding, getting out firewood and logs. The sleighing also gets well improved. Parties seem to be the order of the day at present.

Bear River.

Miss Blanche Ruzgles, who has been visiting friends in the Valley, returned home on Saturday. S. S. Bear River arrived from St. John on Saturday, sailing again on Monday.

Smith Cove

Messrs. T. O. Morgan and Captain Austin are executors under the will of the late Mrs. D. H. Spragg to carry out the provisions of the same.

IN THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

(Continued from page 3.) Ordered that Byard Marshall be revisor in place of C. A. Elliott in Revisal Section, No. 2, Ward 2.

FIG PILLS ARE WORTH THEIR WEIGHT IN GOLD

What is wealth without health? You may have all the gold possible, but without you have your health you are the most miserable person living.

Albany.

Fred L. Fair spent a few days at his home last week. E. J. Whitman began teaching the North Albany school Feb. 7th.

METEOR SHAKES A TOWN.

Quincy, Feb. 4—A meteor supposed to have struck here at 1.30 this morning aroused the whole city and caused buildings to tremble.

Halifax.

Mrs. Egan came from Halifax one day last week and got the little girl that a few of the Nictaux women have been caring for for the past several weeks.

Clementsvalle

Rumors of a wedding soon. Miss Alma Danielson left last week for Boston to visit friends and relatives there.

Port Wade

The schooner, Lottie W. Sabean, discharged a cargo of brick here last week. The ladies of the M. E. church held a social in the Division Hall Thursday evening.

HAYWARD CLOTH'G STORE

JOINT SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNTS. A joint deposit account may be opened in the names of two persons either one of whom may deposit and withdraw money.

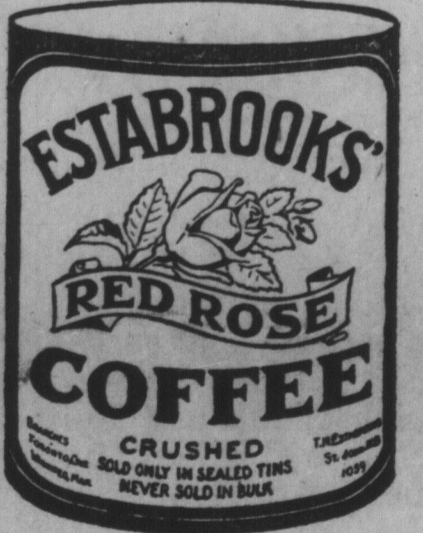
YOU CAN SAVE MONEY

Table listing various goods and their prices, including sugar, raisins, molasses, and flour.

T. G. BISHOP and SON LAWRENCETOWN

FEBRUARY DISCOUNT. We will give 20 per cent off our Iron Beds for the month of February.

Crushed Coffee— what is it? By a new process of crushing between steel rollers, instead of grinding, the skin, which remains in the eye of the bean after roasting, is separated from the kernel and removed by air suction.



Mr. Dolan, manager of the new Ferry steamer, John Hancock, reports that during the year just ended the steamer made 3268 return trips.

Arrow Points (By Pastor J. Clark) To-morrow has no history. In many instances filial love does not seem to be fully awake until father or mother, or both parents, sleep the last long sleep.

Headquarters of Canada's Navy OTTAWA, Ont. Feb. 13.—The new naval college which is to be built in connection with the Government naval scheme at the cost of \$150,000 will, it is understood, be located at Halifax.