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Mrs. Guinness' Death Farm a Regular Picnic Ground

Laporte, Ind., May 11.—All roads Sunday led to the farm of Mrs. Belle Guinness, alleged murderer of at least ten persons whose bodies have been unearthed in the bare-sand and now thought to have been buried to death with their three children in a fire that destroyed her farmhouse on April 28.

Places beneath the flowering apple and plum trees of the orchard. Along the road side were several lemonade stands and lunch wagons. At the gates were vendors of souvenir postcards and those bearing a group picture ready sale. During the rush to Laporte in the afternoon, seven farm horses, frightened by automobiles, started to run away. A buggy was upset and Mrs. Benjamin Zimler, of Laporte, suffered a broken arm.

The Trawler in the Fisheries

There is no longer a feeling on this side of the water that the trawler and the fresh fish industry go hand in hand, and that a quick sale and a near market are necessary to dispose of the catch. The trawler gathers in its nets. We are interested, therefore, in the fact that the fisheries of Aberdeen, a few days ago, which stated that sixty per cent. only of the catch was sold, and that the remainder was being sold for salt curing.

Labor Notes

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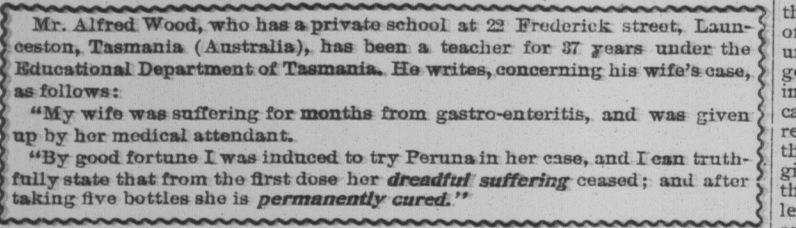
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Mr. Alfred Wood, who has a private school at 22 Frederick street, Lamington, Tasmania (Australia), has been a teacher for 37 years under the Educational Department of Tasmania. He writes, concerning his wife's case as follows: "My wife was suffering for months from gastro-enteritis, and was given up by her medical attendant."

Judge White's White Gloves

Judge White presided for the first time at the circuit court of Charlotte at St. Andrews on Tuesday last. There being no criminal cases Sheriff Stuart presented the judge with the customary pair of white gloves.

Montreal Star Again Gets After Opposition

Ottawa, May 12.—After pointing out that continued obstruction by the Tories may mean that civil servants will, after the 15th, be without their pay, the Montreal Star tonight says: "There will be sound business men in the country who will think that it ought not to be in the power of a small group in parliament to absolutely tie up the financial resources of the country by simply talking against it for a few days."

Provincial Appointments

Charlotte—Allen C. Grant, Hector N. McKenzie, C. Hazen McGee, Bismarck Dick, John Chubb, William Bowden, Frederick E. Murdoch and Samuel Poole, to be Justices of the Peace.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

Campbellton, N. B., May 13.—A sad drowning accident occurred here this afternoon about 5 o'clock, when four men were drowned. Five men in the employ of the Shivers Lumber Company, were engaged in repairing the chain in the mill slip, in a boat about 120 yards from the shore. While attempting to drop anchor, it slipped and knocked a board out of the side of the boat, which immediately filled and sank.

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GRAND JURY'S ADDRESS TO JUDGE

The Grand Jury returned to court a few minutes afterward, and through their foreman, Mr. Armstrong, read the following address: To the Honorable Albert S. White, Judge of Supreme Court, Province of New Brunswick.

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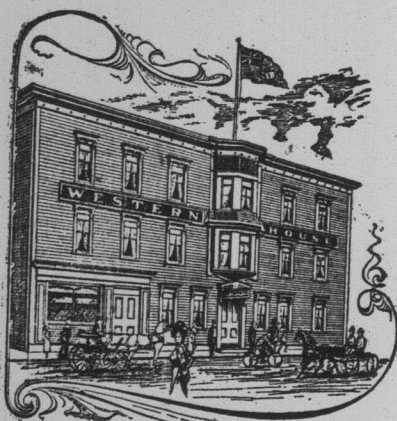
DUTIES.—(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.
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Hon. Mr. McKeown's Speech

In the Legislature Monday afternoon Hon. Mr. McKeown delivered a powerful address.

Discussing roads he said whatever might be said against the highway act passed by the late government it was at any rate an honest and fair attempt to put the roads in a fair condition and it seemed to him that the act which had just been introduced seemed to be only a kind of political engine for the advancement of party purposes. The supervision of the highways used to be under the control of the chief commissioner. Why take them out of his control and put them into the department of the attorney general?

He had heard that the official was the father of the bill. Was it that the sturdy Liberal principles of the chief commissioner revolted from the principles of such a bill as the present? Why turn it over to the attorney general? Why use this political engine as the means of saddling the province with between three and four hundred officials, whose payments must come out of the moneys which should be spent on the roads? What was reiterated over and over again in the recent campaign? Why, that the roads should again be handed over to the people. Instead of this the government had created a board of paid officials and for what reason? He could not understand why the control of these boards should be placed in the hands of a paid appointee, except it be for purposes of political patronage. The leader of the government said that he wanted to take the roads out of politics, but it seemed to him (the speaker) that the bill did very little towards it.

Non members would see that the bill did not contain the first principle of placing the burdens of keeping the roads on the municipalities.

It was the pride of the late government that they, with the assistance of the municipalities, kept the roads. Did not the municipalities find some of the money and the government make up the remainder. In case of any mishap or wash-out or any other damage to the road the government came to the rescue even to the extent of overwriting their bank account. The present bill reserves the whole of this. On the first of the year the government gives to the municipalities a certain sum of money and tells them to find the rest themselves. He hardly thought such a proposition would commend itself to the house as either just or fair.

There are many things not in the speech which he expected to find there. One of these was the question of prohibition. The Hon member for St. John was greatly interested in that subject and he looked upon his presence on the execution council as a guarantee of legislation along that line. He knew that the government was not confined to the legislation outlined in the speech and he would like to have the Hon member's views as presided of the council as to how he proposed legislation on the subject on the promise of which he won his election.

THE CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Another matter on which he would like the opinion of the president of the council was the Central Railway. It was said there was going to be a commission appointed, for the purpose of looking into and investigating the affairs of that railway. He joined most heartily in the idea and the more full that inquiry was the more satisfied would he be and he hoped there would be no delay in commencing business. He was full of faith for the future of that road and there was nothing to shake his belief that the road would in years to come be one of the best paying investments the province had ever had.

The development of the coal fields was a matter of considerable importance, and he would like to know whether the members for Sanbury and Queens Counties shared the views that had been so freely expressed in some quarters on the waste of public money which it was alleged had been caused in taking over the road. In the year 1902 three hundred tons of coal had been brought over that line. In 1906 the output had increased to thirty thousand. The premier had said somewhat exultantly that last year this amount had fallen off by a thousand tons. The fact was not that the coal had not been got, but that they could not get cars. He had no doubt whatever that in years to come honorable

gentlemen opposite would point to that railway as one of the greatest assets in the province, and no one would join more heartily than he in that sentiment. The leader of the government had said that the expenses of the road were so great as to make it not worth the cost of running.

Hon. Mr. Hazen—I did not say that. What I said was that the expenses were out of all proportions to the receipts and to the expenses of any road of a similar nature in the province.

Mr. McKeown—The smaller the road the greater the operating expenses naturally would be, and when the hon gentleman says that the expenses are out of proportion to any other railway he is wrong. Business had been carried on last year under exceptionally difficult circumstances. Many repairs had been necessary and under such circumstances the operating expenses had been higher than in case of a straight run. It had been said too that one of the late commissioners had been paid a sum of \$6,000 for his services. Such was not the fact. He had been paid only \$3,500. The other \$2,500 was of something quite different. When the commission gets down to business he trusted that every person who knew anything about the railway would make a point of attending on the mission and saying what he knew.

The hon. gentlemen who seconded the address made some remarks about the sum of sixty thousand dollars which had gone where it should not. He hoped the hon gentleman would go before the commission and say where he got his information. Another matter he would like cleared up. It had been freely stated that Senator Thompson held a hundred dollars worth of stock in the old company which he had sold to the government for twelve thousand dollars. The hon gentleman should also explain where he got this information. If they could only gather up all of the misstatement which have been made about that railway there is no book in the world would be big enough to hold them.

The government's sole purpose was to develop the interests of the province by opening up the minds of Sanbury and Queens, and he (the speaker) hoped to see the road pushed through to Fredericton.

Hon. Mr. Hazen—The hon member forgets that his leader said last year that there was no occasion to carry this road through to Fredericton.

Hon. Mr. McKeown said he was not here then so he did not know what was said. Bills had been promised for the assistance of agriculture work which would fall to the commissioner of agriculture, and he will have the heartiest support of the members of this side of the house in any measure calculated to benefit that industry. He trusted that agriculture would advance during the tenure of office of that gentleman as well as it did under that of his predecessor.

With reference to the proposed workmen's compensation bill, which he supposed would be left to the fatherly care of the gentleman sitting behind him (Mr. Hatheway), he was glad too the government were following in the footsteps of the last administration, and they might depend on the heartiest support of himself and his colleagues. Turning to the question of school books, the government had been in office such a short time and had so much to do on account of the many dismissals to be made and stalwart Liberals replaced by Conservatives, that they had not had time to fully go into the question. He had hoped the chief commissioner would have better protected his fellow Liberals.

Hon. Mr. Morrissey—"Yes, I ought to be very kind to you people. I thought I was read out of the Liberal party."

If the leader of the government was able to carry out his pre-election promises no one would be more pleased than himself. He was in possession of information that the cost of books in New Brunswick was less than in any other province. The deception of statements to the contrary was so apparent that he wondered when gentlemen considered it worth while to continue to repeat them.

He could not let this matter pass without protesting against the hollowness made by the then opposition when seeking the support of the electors. However, they were in power now and it was for them to make these promises good, and while they, as opposition, would

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The girl with the blue eyes is not always so gentle and loving as he thinks, nor can he be sure of seeing 'right into her soul' and the dark colored optics of her sister often hide, not the deceptive and cruel disposition, but a temperament that will love a man whatever befall him—a temperament that will make her go through fire and water to help him and make him happy. There are good and bad in both these classes, as in every other, but it is not safe to accept blue merely on account of the color and seeming transparency.

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Patriotic Optimism

(From the Knoxville Sentinel.)

The business man who is doing a business equal to that of a year ago is doing a phenomenal in all respects. Business in most lines probably doesn't quite reach the high-water mark, but it is very good and is probably ahead of what was being done two years ago. The recent flurry did not make the deep impression on the business affairs of the country which the panic of 1893 did, because the earlier panic was preceded by many years of bad crops and was, therefore, of a very serious nature. We have for several years had good crops, industries have been active along healthy lines, and outside of a tendency to speculation, which was checked at the proper time, there has been no real ground for a reserve of financial conditions. All that now exists to disturb business is in the minds of the people. As soon as they get over their scare and proceed along normal lines things will readjust themselves. There are already decided evidences that the improvement entered upon will go ahead more rapidly.

Burnt His Toes Badly

But he will never again use a cheap cure containing acids. The only safe and painless cure is Putnam's Corn Extract. It never burns, always cures—buy Putnam's.

Sardines

In sardines, as in other lines of trade, business is reported as quiet, although it should soon pick up. The warm weather say the dealers must bring an improvement. April has gone out with a bad record, but inquiries were latterly more frequent. The former heavy orders, particularly to the West, had been severely cut.

It was said by one house that future goods had been opened up 10c higher than last year on 1-4 oils and 3-4 mustards.
"I think," said the Gazette's informant, "that the general experience is that buyers are not agreeing to contract. They order as they need the goods, and are not damaging themselves in their hurry to get in on future contracts."
Later it was understood that the contract had been withdrawn.
The Maine canning season has opened, and the packers are in readiness for receiving the fish. It is said that no doubt is anticipated on account of the Women's Union, composed principally of the fishermen of the neighboring province of New Brunswick. The day of unduly high prices for herring caught at any time in the season is believed to have gone by.

Criticism has been heard of the Maine Mercantile Company, although much of it is now being disarmed by the explanations of the new so-called "trust." It was said that the packers in the agreement were allowed only a certain number of tins, and that this could not be increased. A denial has been issued, and it is also stated that better terms can be had than with the independents—Fishing Gazette.

WHY DO WOMEN WORRY?

First Sign of Falling Health

Worry is a disease—and its more—it produces other diseases, because it breaks down the nerves and saps the vitality of the body.
What a pity women don't realize that if they were well—if the blood is nutritious—if the nerves were strong—if all the organs were active—then the little things that irritate and prey on the mind wouldn't receive a moment's thought.
The woman who worries has a poor appetite—She sleeps poorly. If it only lasted for a day or two it might be of small consequence—but she grows limp, miserable, unhappy—worse day by day. She needs Ferrozene which cures worry by curing the conditions which render worry possible. For nervous, weak women, no tonic is so good; thousands it has cured just like Mrs. M. E. Rutherford, of Troy, who writes: "I am quite willing to give a public testimonial for Ferrozene, believing it to be a tonic of superior excellence and one that will rapidly build up strength and supply new energy to anyone not feeling well." Last spring I was in a very poor condition of health. I was nervous, felt tired and completely worn out. No doubt it's quite a common complaint with ladies of my age, but I placed great reliance in Ferrozene, and took it for several weeks. It made me quite strong, and in fact I have been in better health ever since. I can heartily recommend Ferrozene."
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"ALL DEALERS"

Taken at his Word

The conditions under which one person may undertake to correct the habits or reform the manners of the public are so varied that it is often a difficult matter to decide what is best to be done. The author of "Other Memories, Old and New," describes an incident which came under his observation in England. A very full train was within a few minutes of starting from Manchester for London. A gentleman had gone the whole length of the train and saw only one vacancy, and this was occupied by a Gladstone bag.

In his difficulty he opened the carriage door and was about to remove the bag when the passenger in the opposite corner told him that it belonged to a friend who had taken the seat.

"Well," said the other, who was evidently a man of experience and who grasped the situation, "the train will start in a minute, and I fear your friend will be too late." At any rate I must go to London by this train, and I will keep this seat till your friend arrives." He sat down and took the bag on his knee. Then he took out his watch and said, "There's only half a minute left. I'm afraid your friend will be too late."

He got up and kept looking out anxiously for the belated friend till the whistle sounded.
"Well," he said, "we're off. Your friend has lost the train, but he must not lose his bag," and with that he threw the bag out on the platform.
"Here! What are you doing?" cried the other man, but too late. "That was my bag!"
"What a pity!" returned the other blandly. "I thought you said it was your friend's. It seemed a pity that he should suffer the loss of his luggage."
"YOUTH'S COMPANION."

A Real Friend

"Red" Wright was a man of quick and efficient temper, while Jim Donovan was as calm and unemotional as his partner was violent, says Caroline Lockhart in Lippincott's.
The two prospectors were cooking breakfast in their mountain camp one morning when the coffee-pot happened to be "Red's" particular charge. The bacon, under Donovan's supervision, was almost done, so "Red" set the coffee-pot on the fire for a final boil. One of the sticks burned in two and the pot upset. "Red" flew into a rage, and jumping for the coffee-pot, he kicked it from one end of the camp to the other, and back again. Donovan watched him with calm interest, and when "Red's" fury had expended itself Donovan pulled his six-shooter and filled the coffee-pot full of holes.
"By gracious, man!" cried "Red," wringing his hands. "What did you do that for? We can't make no more coffee!"
"Do you think I'm going" to stand here and see a son-of-a-gun of a coffee-pot get the best of a friend of mine?" demanded Donovan as he returned to his bacon.
An Uncertain Proposition (From the Washington Star.)
Cyrus Townsend Brady, the author and clergyman, told at a dinner in Toledo a story about charity.
"A millionaire," said Dr. Brady, "lay dying. He had lived a life of which, as he now looked back on it, he felt none too proud. To the minister at his bedside, he muttered weakly:
"If I leave a hundred thousand dollars or so to the church, will my salvation be assured?"
"The minister answered cautiously:
"I wouldn't like to be positive, but it's well worth trying."

TIME TABLES

New Brunswick Southern Railway.

St. John, St. George and St. Stephen
American Express Mail Train.
(Daily, Sunday Excepted.)
On and after Monday, May 11th, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:
Leave St. John East Ferry 7.50 a.m.
Leave St. John West 8.10 a.m.
Arrive St. Stephen 12.30 p.m.
Leave St. Stephen 2.80 p.m.
Arrive St. John West 6.50 a.m.
Atlantic Standard Time.

Railway connections at Calais with the Washington County Railway; at St. John with the Intercolonial and Dominion Atlantic Railways.
Baggage and Freight Office, 58 Water street, (East side), St. John.
Tickets sold and Baggage Checked East and West Side Offices.
Special Ticket Office, 97 Prince Wm. Street.
FRANK J. MCPHERRON,
Superintendent.
St. John, N. B., Jan'y 1st, 1906.

Eastern S't'mship Co

INTERNATIONAL DIVISION.
Reduced Fares
St. John to Boston, \$3.50
St. John to Portland, \$3.00
Steamship "CALVIN AUSTIN"—
Steamer leaves St. John at 8 a. m. on Wednesdays for Eastport, Lunenburg and Boston; also on Saturdays at 7 p. m. for Boston direct.
All freight, except live stock, via the steamers of this company, is insured against fire and marine risk.
W. G. LEE, Agent, St. John, N. B.

Deer Island and Campbell's Service

Stmr. "Viking"

During the month of May, 1908, will sail as follows:
Leave Black's Harbor on Mondays and Wednesdays at 7 a. m., and Saturdays at 8 a. m. for St. Stephen and intermediate points.
Returning leave St. Stephen on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Black's Harbor and intermediate points.
Calling at Lettite, Mondays and Tuesdays.
Calling at Back Bay, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
J. W. RICHARDSON
Manager

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after SUNDAY, Feb. 2nd, 1908, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted) as follows:
TRAINS LEAVE ST. JOHN.
No. 6.—Mixed for Moncton, (leaves Island Yard) 6:30
No. 2, Express for Halifax, Campbellton, Point duChene, Pictou and the Sydneys, - 7:00
No. 26, Express for Point duChene, Halifax and Pictou, - 12:40
No. 4, Mixed for Moncton, - 13:15
No. 8, Express for Sussex, - 17:10
No. 138, Suburban for Hampton, - 18:15
No. 134, Express for Quebec and Montreal, also Pt. du Chene - 19:00
No. 10, Express for Moncton, the Sydneys and Halifax - 23:25
TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN.
No. 9, Express from Halifax, Pictou and the Sydneys, - 6:20
No. 135, Suburban Express from Hampton, - 7:50
No. 7, Express from Sussex, - 9:00
No. 133, Express from Montreal, Quebec, and Pt. du Chene - 13:45
No. 5, Mixed from Moncton, (arrives at Island Yard) - 16:00
No. 25, Express from Halifax, Pictou Point duChene, and Campbellton, - 17:40
No. 3, Express from Moncton - 19:30
No. 1, Express from Moncton and Truro, - 21:20
No. 11, Mixed from Moncton (daily) (Arrives at Island Yard) - 4:00
All trains run by Atlantic Standard Time; 24:00 o'clock is midnight.
City Ticket Office, 3 King Street, St. John, N. B., Telephone 271.
Geo. CARVILLE, C. T. A.,
Moncton, N. B., Feb. 2nd, 1908.

HOTELS

Victoria Hotel,
KING STREET,
St. John, N. B.
AMERICAN PLAN.
Victoria Hotel Co, Ltd, Proprietors.

Boyd's Hotel,
ST. GEORGE, N. B.
First-Class Livery and Sample Rooms in Connection.

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "it 'pears to me like a reformer was one o' dese here people dat has to talk two hours an' a half to 'spress one 'o' de Ten Commandments 'an' dar warn't no dispute 'bout dat in de firs' place."

We would be pleased to have you visit our

Drug Store when in Eastport

We carry everything usually found at a first class pharmacy

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Have your Watch

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It costs something because it is worth something.

W. C. PURVES,

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Fred Hem, First-Class Laundryman.
Work Done Quickly. Laundry finished on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1908

A STRIKE IN JUNE

It is rumored that there is to be a strike among our granite cutters in June. Is this true and is it necessary? With our modern appliances and present day conditions, we think such a thing wholly unnecessary. Can not employer and employee understand and trust each other? They are mutually dependent and each should have an interest in the other. Let not the employee be too arbitrary in his demands nor the employer too exacting. Could not three good men be called upon to consider the points of dispute and settle them. Neither employer nor employee can afford a strike. It can only mean loss to both. It would be well then to stop and consider before the final step is taken.

While there are these local disturbances, and we are glad to record that with us they have been few, there are other movements which are quiet and unobserved, but none the less powerful which show that the two parties, employer and employee, are understanding each other better and each beginning to appreciate the situation of the other, and that honest efforts are being made by employers to promote the welfare of their employees. The need of mutual dependence is felt more than formerly, and the spirit of co-operation is on the increase.

The problem of capital and labor cannot be solved on the principle of class selfishness, but only on the basis of the highest welfare of all. Capital and labor are factors in the well-being of humanity not merely of a faction, and for this reason ought to receive the broadest humane treatment. Let the present local difficulties be treated in this light and we will have no strike.

TRADE OF LAST YEAR

The total trade of Canada for the fiscal year 1907-8 reached the enormous sum of \$638,390,291, as compared with \$612,571,351 in the preceding twelve months, an increase of \$25,818,940.

The total imports for the year were \$358,373,685, as against \$340,364,745 last year, an increase of \$18,008,940. The total exports were \$280,016,606, as against \$272,206,606, an increase over last year of \$7,810,000.

The exports for March total \$18,572,085, as against \$16,130,005 in March of 1907, an increase for this month over the same month last year of \$2,442,080.

The total customs duty collected for the year was \$58,320,737, an increase of \$5,314,281 over the previous twelve months.

Not much "blue ruin" in this report. Canada's trade last year touched top notch figures.

BY THE WAY

"A month ago the Gladiator saw the tragedy of the Tiger and her men helped to save the men of the Tiger," writes the London Star. "On Saturday afternoon the Gladiator met the fate of the Tiger in the waters of the Isle of Wight. The toll of lives paid by the Gladiator is nearly the same as the toll of lives paid by the Tiger. The Tiger was cut down by a cruiser. The Gladiator was cut down by a liner. The men of the Gladiator, like the men of the Tiger, behaved like heroes. What more can we say? Our praise and our gratitude are alike inadequate in the presence of heroic death."

"There are some calamities which seem to be inevitable, and it looks as if no human foresight could have saved the Gladiator from destruction. The snow blizzard had enveloped the St. Paul and the Gladiator in a shroud which blinded the anxious eyes on both ships. It was a toss-up whether the Gladiator would ram the St. Paul, or the St. Paul the Gladiator. In one sense it is a mercy that the great liner stabbed the cruiser to death, for if the Gladiator's ram had crashed into the heart of the liner, the death-roll might have been one of hundreds instead of tens. The fact that the St. Paul could not launch her boats owing to the ropes being frozen in the pulleys enables us to visualize the plight the liner would have found herself in if she had been the

victim instead of being the aggressor.

"There is one glory in the gloom of the catastrophe, the glory of discipline and self-control and high-hearted valour. The men of the Gladiator were not afraid to die. They did not cry like cravens. They did not go mad with panic. They faced death as calmly and as gallantly as the British sailor has always faced it from time immemorial. There is one incident which strikes the imagination. Let us rescue it from the welter of details:

"As the bow of the St. Paul was momentarily locked in the wreckage of the cruiser's hull some of the blue-jackets climbed over on the dock of the liner. One of them, as soon as he had planted his feet on the St. Paul's bow saluted, but he seemed to be temporarily dazed by the episode. Rapidly recovering himself, he saluted again. Then, looking around, he seemed to realize his position, and gasped out, "Oh, my God, what have I done! What will my captain say? Then he jumped back to his own ship."

"What will my captain say? There is a large nobility in that immortal question. It is the heroic note of Raleigh and Grenville, of Drake and Nelson. What will my captain say? The splendid simplicity of the phrase hall-marks it. No poet could have heaved out of death a more deathless cry. It is sublime in its symbolism, although the lips that uttered it cared for nothing so literary and so sentimental as a symbol. One wishes that Tennyson were alive to set that great cry of a great heart to verbal music. What will my captain say?"

"The Captain of Captains who commands the British Navy is the spirit of Patriotism, Honour Self Sacrifice, Discipline and Courage. As that great Captain looks out over the Solent today, the word he says is, 'Well done!'"

A Popular Pastor Removes

Rev. I. Newton Thorne of Whitehaven takes charge next Sunday of the United Baptist churches of Penfield and Beaver Harbor, Charlotte County.

Mr. Thorne became pastor of Whitehaven-Lyttleton-Halcomb circuit on July 1st, 1903, and remained in charge till Dec. 31, 1907, and has supplied those pulpits part of the time since. His pastorate has been very successful. During his term a fine new parsonage, creditable to the community, has been built at Whitehaven and the church property at Lyttleton much improved. The church at Whitehaven, merely a frame in 1903, has been completed and is now one of the nicest places of worship on the Miramichi.

Mr. Thorne has endeared herself to her people, and the many friends of both will keenly regret their departure.

Mr. Thorne is succeeded by Rev. H. D. Worden, lately stationed at Albert, who comes well recommended.

BREADALBANE

The first picnic of the season was held at Anderson's Beach on May 16th and luncheon was served on the top of Anderson's mountain. It is a very pretty spot that overlooks the Bay of Fundy and the surrounding country. On the return from the mountain they stopped at the Beach and christened Mr. Catherine's summer cottage with a game of bingo. The music was led by Lyman, a very enjoyable time was spent. They returned to their homes in the evening by boat.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. B. Campbell is recovering after her sick attack. There is quite a lot of whooping cough around here now, but all are recovering from it.

The farmer's are busy getting their crops in, and the fishermen are repairing their wires, getting ready for their summer catch of fish.

Stewart McAdam and C. Johnson attended the high court of the O. O. F. which met at St. John last week. The court opposed the raising of the fees of the older members of the order.

The election of officers resulted as follows: G. W. Mersereau, M. A. Doaktown, H. C. R.; Columbus Craig, Perth Centre, H. V. C. R.; F. W. Emmerson, Moncton, High Secretary; J. V. Russell, St. John, High Treasurer; Dr. W. H. Welling, Andover, High Physician; R. A. Borden, Moncton, High Councillor; S. H. Flewelling and Thomas Murray, High Auditors.

Appointments by the H. C. R. were: High Orator, Rev. M. Dunbar; H. J. S., John E. Clerk; H. P. W., Botsford; H. Con., A. F. Barton; H. Treas., Comp. Helen Gagnon.

Frederick was selected as the next place of meeting.

Does the mail-order house advertise? So, says an exchange, may the country merchant, he can advertise as forcibly and persistently and with much more certainty of results than any other business in the world.

In opposition Hon. Mr. Hazen declared again and again that the provincial estimates for printing should not exceed \$8,000. "Before" and "after," however, provide very, very, different conditions with Mr. Hazen. The estimates just tabled by his provincial secretary call for \$12,000 for printing.

Mr. Timothy O'Brien the energetic editor of "The Monitor" at St. John, gave us a pleasant call on Tuesday.

WANTED

Wanted by respectable middle-aged man living in St. George suitable employment; good at accounts, French, light manual labor.

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Apply to
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NOTICE

All persons are warned against trespassing on that lot of land on the east side of the Magaguadavic River and known as the Kitty Ash farm.

DIANA STEVENS
St. George, N. B.
May 15th, A. D. 1908.

Assessors Notice

All persons liable to be rated in the Town of Saint George are hereby requested to hand to the assessors or either of them; within thirty days a detailed statement of their property and income as required by law.

Hector McKenzie
John B. Soper Assessors
R. D. Harvey
St. George, N. B.,
May 18th, 1908.

UP-TO-DATE

Millinery

AT

Mrs. G. Cooper's
Letete, N. B.

PRICES RIGHT

BEAVER HARBOUR

Mrs. Justina Wright received word that she has been one of the successful competitors in the recent name contest and has been awarded a freehold building lot valued at fifty dollars. The lot is situated on the beautiful Lake St. Francis among the Lauritium Mountains and overlooks the lake. Willowgoose was the name submitted by Mrs. Justina Wright who is being warmly congratulated by her friends.

A few days later the same lady was informed that she was one of the successful competitors in a recent Limerick competition and has been awarded by the judges a prize of value, a building lot at Newago one of the most beautiful and enchanting spots in Canada. The last line added by Mrs. Wright was:

Summer time at the seashore for mine,
But that's not in everyone's line,
If good health you would know
To Newago you'll go,
And Beaker brimmed with noble wine.

(From another Correspondent)

In the Easter school examinations of Advanced Department the following in Grade VIII made an average of 70 or upwards: Violet Hawkins, Ethel Paul and Florence Justason. Those who made 60 and upwards: Edith Justason, Lila Hawkins, Martha and Alice Eldridge, Vera Hawkins and Willie Cross.

Grade VII, 70 and upwards, Lottie Justason, Anna Holmes, 60 and upwards Myrtle Holmes, Edna Daken, Egnwick Hawkins.

Grade VI, 70 and upwards, Rula Hawkins, Robert Kelson, Geneva Hawkins, 60 and upwards, Winnie Hawkins.

Grade V, 70 and upwards, Avarad Wadlin.

LEPREAU.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Belyea and daughter who spent a few days last week with Mrs. Belyea's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Reynolds returned to St. John Monday evening last.

Chas. D. Cameron of St. John, made Lepreau a short visit last week.

Alfred McClaskey of Fairbank, Alaska, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Mace's Bay and vicinity lately, left the first of the week to visit connections up the river St. John, prior to returning to his Western home.

We are glad to welcome Mrs. Robert Johnson back to Lepreau for the summer.

Mrs. M. F. Boyne and daughter Edna spent the week end with her mother Mrs. Boyd in Musquash.

George Taylor of St. George, made a flying trip to Lepreau on Wednesday last. Three young boys from Fairville arrived here last week and after spending a couple of days loafing in the neighborhood left for St. John on Thursday last. Before leaving, no men being round, they took advantage and entered J. H. Stafford's store stealing about three dollars in money and some other articles. By means of the telephone they were headed off at Musquash and the planter secured and returned to the owners.

Miss Pauline Johnson and Mr. Walter McRaye gave a fine evening's entertainment in Court's Hall on Monday evening. Miss Johnson was dramatic and sentimental in her rendering of Indian legends. Mr. McRaye handled the picturesque verses of Dr. Drummond in a manner showing him the master of the French Canadian mode of speech. A fair audience greeted the entertainers.

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You'll find nothing on our counters but properly made suits; suits cut from reliable, shape-retaining fabrics.

Then if the suit needs it, or if it will improve it, to make alterations to conform to any little individuality of your figure, our skill as practical tailors is at your command, to make the suit perfect.

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Buy your ready-made clothes here, and be sure of getting something that is satisfactory.

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Suits from \$6.00 to \$15.00

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from every standpoint are right. There's a tone decided elegance to these garments which no other maker seems able to imitate. The fit--the style--the quality of the materials are so far above the average, that comparison is the strongest argument in our favor.

HATS

The variety of shapes we carry in soft and stiff hats affords an opportunity for individual selection not found elsewhere. We don't confine ourselves to one or two shapes, but we carry the largest variety of shapes in town. A hat to suit your face and the hat that looks the best on you. See our stiff hats of the Buckley make.

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The Martin - Senour 100 per cent PURE PAINT

Investigate Before You Buy In these days of sharp competition, it is well to know that you get what you pay for. There are so many brands of house paints on the market, now-a-days, advertised as "pure" (but little better than "dope," that a man ought to investigate what he intends to buy.

We suggest to those about to paint to make a practical test and convince themselves. Buy a small can of the Martin-Senour 100 per cent. Pure Paint and one of any other brand with which you may have been favorably impressed, selecting about the same colors, and paint a few feet. Carefully measure the paint, so that you use no more of one than the other. Thus with the conditions the same, you can determine for yourself which paint has the better body or covering capacity; which is the easier brushing out and has the better finish. If you do not decide in favor of the Martin-Senour 100 per cent. Pure Paint, our agent will return the money you paid for the can of Martin-Senour 100 per cent. Pure Paint used in the experiment, and we will credit the same to him.

For Sale by **H. McGRATTAN & SONS, St. George**

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THE GRANITE TOWN GREETINGS

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

A scow load of black granite for H. McGrattan & Sons arrived on Saturday last.

James McKay landed a scow load of black stone from Chamcook at the public wharf on Wednesday last.

The masons who have been working on the church wall left on Thursday for their homes, their work being finished.

A number of young people gathered at Drageorian Hall on Friday evening and enjoyed themselves with music and dancing.

The residence of James O'Neill is being painted. The work is under the supervision of Mr. E. Nesbitt and is being done by painters from St. Stephen.

An N. B. S. Railway engine, drawing four flat cars left the track near Carleton on Friday last. The wreck caused a delay to the regular train, Friday's mail arrived early Saturday morning.

The streets about the centre of the town are receiving some attention. The stones and dirt are being raked up into piles and carted away. The result is clean streets at all times pleasing to the eye.

Mr. Fred Smith has probably beaten all records in the fishing line this season at Utopia. In two days fishing he shows a string weighing 92 lbs. The smelt had left the brooks before Mr. Smith's arrival and his catch is a record breaker at this season of the year.

Miss Breed, of the Boston school staff, (formerly a resident of St. George) will spend this summer in Germany taking a course in advanced geography. Miss Breed is one of a committee chosen to prepare a new geography for the Boston schools.--Beacon.

The Street Committee has entered into a contract with Mr. Wm. Hannigan of Oak Bay, to operate the road machine in the town. He will bring a six-horse team. Mr. Hannigan is a thoroughly competent man. The local government is being asked through Mr. Hartt for assistance on behalf of the rural roads.--Beacon.

A road machine on some of the roads near St. George would benefit the traveling public. No doubt Dr. Taylor would willingly ask the assistance of the government on behalf of our rural roads.

Captain Pratt, late master of the government cruiser, Curlew, is now in Dr. Henry O'Marey's hospital, Cambridge, Mass., undergoing surgical treatment for an injured knee. Capt. Pratt is second officer in the United Fruit Company's steamer San Jose running South from Boston, and on a recent trip met with an injury to his knee. He expects to rejoin the steamer on her next trip.

Arthur Brown is placing a four horse power Fairbanks & Morse engine in his new gasoline yacht. The boat is a beauty and will be ready for the water in a few days. The "Teaser" owned by Messrs. Chas. McClanaghan, A. Callaghan, E. Jackson and Wm. Austin is in the water. She is a beautiful model and gives every indication of speed and sea going qualities. Mr. Cecil Chaffey, the gasoline boat builder of Indian Island was here on Saturday assisting the boys in starting their engine. Mayor Lawrence successfully launched his trim looking flier last week. She came off the stocks out of the upstairs window and down over the staging built by Messrs. Spears and Harvey with ease. The boat with enough power should give a good account of herself. In appearance she is long and narrow and will no doubt be very fast.

George M. Byron, who contested Charlotte County in the Robinson interests at the recent elections, said last night that the spring school of herring in the Grand Manan waters had not struck in yet.

Mr. Byron is in the city attending the session of the high court and is at the Royal "Conditions," he said, "point to a very successful season in the sardine factories. Sardines are in great demand. Lobsters have never been so cheap in many years as they are now, and dealers are securing them at ten cents a piece. A few haddock are being caught now."

Mr. Byron said that a large number of tourists are expected at Campbellton this summer. The Campbellton corporation had leased the Owen Hotel from J. J. Alexander, and it would be run this year by that corporation. Owing to the fact that the corporation were unable, with the limited time they have had to prepare the Tyny-Coel and the Tyny-Mack they were compelled to lease the other hotel for a season. New roads were being built on the property and the surroundings were being beautified for the summer's business.--Sun.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Manola the best summer drink at A. G. Browns'.

Films from the local political tree continue to fall.

Government regulations forbid the export of clams from May 1 to Sept. 30.

The ceiling over the galleries in the Catholic church is being covered with steel. The work is being done by St. John men.

Monday was Loyalist day. Flags were flying from nearly all the flag staffs in town. Apart from this, there was no special celebration of the day.

Provincial Secretary Flemming brought down his budget at Fredericton last week. He promises a surplus of 20,000 and an expenditure \$104,000 more than last year.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Cooper of Letete will celebrate the twenty fifth anniversary of their marriage on May 31. Their many friends will assist them in celebrating the event.

The Stone cutters held their regular meeting last night. The settlement with the employers appears as far off as ever, present indications are that the men will strike in June.

A deadlock that promises interesting developments exists at Ottawa. The opposition are holding up all supplies. The fight is over the election lists in Manitoba and British Columbia.

PERSONAL

Medley Kennedy is at home.

Sheriff Stuart of St. Andrews is in town.

Mrs. Alexander Milne, was seriously ill on Saturday last.

Miss May Stewart is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Goss.

Miss Branscombe of Fredericton, is visiting Mrs. Thos. Kent.

Judge Cockburn drove over Monday and spent the day fishing.

Miss Florence McLaughlin spent a few days last week visiting in Letete.

Miss Mary Magowan left on Monday for Amherst after a brief visit at home.

Hazen P. Magowan and B. H. Gillmor were at St. Andrews last week on the jury.

Mr. L. W. Cameron and son, Lepreau, were passengers on Thursday's train to Leppreau.

Wm. Boyd and wife were passengers on train to St. John Thursday. They returned on Saturday.

Miss Eva McIntyre arrived home on Saturday. Miss McIntyre spent the past year in Denver.

Miss Laura Connors and Miss Sadie North, teacher at Black's Harbor, were in town on Friday.

J. B. Belyea, Pres. of Weirowners and Weirfishermen's Union, returned to St. John on Thursday.

Friends of Capt. Mahoney will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his residence, St. John west.

Moses Murphy and Louis McGrattan attended court at St. Andrews last week. They were on the Grand Jury.

Amer Justison and wife of Beaver Harbor, were in town last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Justison.

Miss Vida Maxwell entertained a number of her friends last evening. Games and music made the evening pass most pleasantly.

J. D. Bassen spent Sunday at home. Mr. Bassen has been on the road for the past week he reports business good, and the roads improving.

James Brine of Boston, was here last week looking after his property at Lake Utopia. His family will arrive for the summer on the 22nd.

H. V. Dewar and W. S. Harding of St. John, spent a couple of days at Utopia fishing last week. They succeeded in landing a number of good ones.

Mrs. S. L. Lynott and daughter Helen went through on Saturday's train to St. John. Miss Kathleen took the train here and accompanied them to St. John.

Mrs. Hazen Grimmer returned from Fredericton last Thursday and is confined to her home in St. Stephen very ill. Mr. Grimmer arrived home on Saturday.

Wm. Gray of Boston, was in town last week. Mr. Gray in the good old lumber days was a resident of St. George and is well known to many of our older citizens.

A boy, big and healthy, arrived at the Carleton House on Wednesday morning last. He did not register, but Mr. and Mrs. George Brown are receiving congratulations.

N. Marks Mills and his wife returned to St. Stephen on Thursday last, after a few days at Utopia. They had fair luck fishing and took quite a string of "speckled beauties" home with them.

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and you should insist on full value for your money. Absolutely the fullest value in good clothes for men are the



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Made-to-Measure Suits, \$12.50 to \$25.00

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These prices will suggest, but a visit will demonstrate beyond a doubt where to come for up-to-date clothing.

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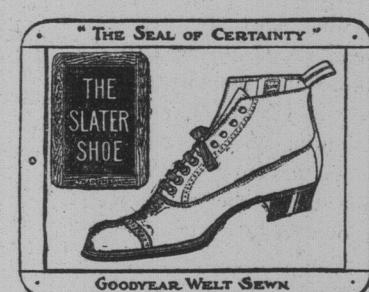
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New Highway Act

Fredericton, May 6.—In the legislature today the new Highway Act and the new Audit Act were represented and explained by Mr. Hazen and Mr. Fleming respectively.

The House met at 4 p. m. Hon. Mr. Grimmer, after routine, addressing the speaker, made the following statement:

"I may say that an independent auditor will be placed upon the books of the late Mr. Flewelling at the earliest moment. Auditor W. M. Dunlop of Ottawa, who is carrying on a general audit of the books of the province, will not undertake the work, but will recommend another auditor who will be employed. The audit of the books of the crown land department has been proceeding since the tragedy, and last evening A. G. Boyne arrived from St. John with a statement from the office of the Chief Game Commissioner, showing the expenditures for game protection since the close of the fiscal year on October 31st, 1907. In the account, which the deputy surveyor general kept at the Bank of the British North America, and on which an overdraft of \$25,000 was allowable. Mr. Flewelling kept his own personal moneys and all the checks that he issued whether for personal or public business all bore the signature, 'W. P. Flewelling, D. S. G.'"

Hon. Mr. Hazen moved the second reading of the Highway Act. He had, he said, promised the House a full explanation of the act at this time, but as the act had been distributed and no doubt carefully considered by hon. members any lengthy remarks were perhaps unnecessary. He took it that every one on both sides of the House as well as the people of the province generally, agree that a new highway law was a public necessity. He hoped the House would consider the act when it came before the committee, probably tomorrow, irrespective of party and in the interests of the country. This act was entirely in accord with the promises made by him during the recent campaign. He had always held that a better expenditure of money and better supervision of the work could be obtained by leaving it largely in the hands of the county council than in any other way. It was extremely desirable in all domestic legislation to get down as close as possible to the people, and he believed that municipal councillors who had to go back for election every two years and whose acts were closely watched were closer to the people than any other authority and much more likely to give good and economical supervision and expenditure on the roads than the Commissioner of Public Works.

THE HIGHWAY ACT

The principle of the act is that the highways shall be placed as directly under the control of the people as possible and shall be made and repaired by local boards for each parish and that the people shall have the right to perform statute labor where they desire to do so.

When any parish is represented by two councillors they together with the chairman, to be appointed by the government, constitute a board to be known as the highway board for such parish. Three of the parishes in the city and county of Saint John are represented by three councillors (Lancaster, Simonds and St. Martins) and the portion of the parish of Saint Stephen outside of incorporated towns is similarly represented. In such cases provision is made so that two of their number may be chosen by the councillors themselves.

Section 3 and Sec. 4, Sub-section 1. The parish elections take place in September in Northumberland and in April in St. John. In all other counties they are held during the months of September or October.

It would be advisable to proclaim this act when the elections are completed and within a short time thereafter, probably in ten days, a meeting of the board for each parish will be held.

Section 4, Sub-section 2. Provision has been made to prevent failure to organize the boards either through neglect or failure of the councillors to agree, when there are three, to choose two of their number. In such cases the warden of the county must make the choice and should be fail to do so the government must make the selection.

(Section 4, Sub-section 2) In future years the boards will hold a meeting within ten days after the annual meeting of the council, when they will appoint one of their number to act as secretary and make their own regulations for the transaction of business. In the present year they will be organized by the chairman calling them together as soon as the membership is determined, as before provided. It may be well to add a section to the bill fixing a common day for meeting throughout the province. This will depend upon the convenience of the localities interested and can be best arranged when the bill is in committee.

(Section 4, Sub-section 4) Two members of each board shall constitute a quorum and the chairman has the right to vote on all questions. The question of remuneration has been dealt with in a manner similar to that of the revisors of electoral lists. The county council will fix the remuneration of the councillors who are members of the board and this will be payable out of the funds of the board. The government will pay their appointees out of provincial moneys a sum not greater than that paid by the parish to any other member.

(Section 4, Sub-sections 5 and 6)

It has been thought advisable to adopt the school districts as convenient divisions for the supervision work and a commissioner will be appointed for each such district. The board will have power to sub-divide these districts whenever they think it necessary to do so and in districts where statute labor is permitted a surveyor must be appointed for each sub-district. Where statute labor is not allowed the appointment of a surveyor will be in the discretion of the board.

(Sec. 5) Before the last of November in each year each board will make up and deliver to the county secretary a detailed estimate in duplicate of the requirements of the parish highways for the next calendar year. The county secretary sends one copy of this estimate to the chief commissioner of public works, who will notify the county secretary before the first meeting of the council in the ensuing year what amount he will recommend to be granted for the parish.

(Sec. 6) The amount available for the government being known the highway board makes a requisition for an assessment which is presented to the County Council and ordered by that body. They are not bound to assess for the full drainage between the government grant and their estimated requirements but may recommend such amount as they may deem advisable. In order that a fair amount shall be provided locally for the repair of the highways a minimum assessment must be levied. The rate of percentage and the amount of poll tax will be a matter for discussion in committee. The assessment will be levied in the same way as rates and taxes are levied for county purposes.

(Sec. 7 and 8) The moneys received by each board both from government grant and from local taxation are to be placed to their credit and only withdrawn upon the order of the board.

(Sec. 9) The provisions of the Audit Act, which will also be introduced, will make it impossible for the government to pay out any money until after work has been performed and certified. The government grant will therefore only be paid in amounts from time to time as may be justified by vouchers produced. In the meantime and before the assessment is received the work of the board will be carried on by resorting to a provision which has been found to work exceedingly well in St. John county. The County Council is authorized to lend moneys to boards out of any funds in the hands of the county treasurer, not being county school funds or government moneys specially appropriated. If necessary the county may borrow money temporarily for these purposes. These provisions insure that there will always be on hand sufficient funds to do the work of the board and also that the department of public works will not be hampered by incomplete returns and vexatious delays.

(Section 10) The substitution of labor for a money payment will be at the discretion of each highway board. The rate to be allowed for the labor of men and teams will be a matter for careful consideration by the committee. (Refer to Section 10.) Where the tax is to be paid in money the assessors proceed through the collectors just as they would for ordinary rates and taxes.

(Section 14) When statute labor is allowed they deliver a list to the commissioner of that district showing the amount assessed against each ratepayer. The commissioner sends to each surveyor the persons on the list for his sub-district and the surveyor thereupon gives public notice fixing the time and place for performing road work. If labor is not performed by a day to be fixed the collector proceeds against those who have failed to do so and collects from them in money.

(Sections 15 to 23) Each commissioner must submit a return under oath every fortnight of the moneys expended by him.

(Section 26.) Members of the board and commissioners are forbidden under penalties to have any pecuniary interest in any contract.

(Section 28.) The provisions for laying out and discontinuing highways are substantially a reproduction of the present law.

(Sec. 31 to 40.) Section 41 contains a new provision for the purpose of preventing the total or partial inclosure of a highway. No length of occupation will hereafter deprive the soil of its highway character, which can only be divested by a regular proceeding for closing it. The remaining provisions for the demarcation of highways and the laying out of winter roads follow existing legislation.

(Sec. 42 to 53.) Breaking roads in winter is dealt with in sections 52 and 53. It is provided that so far as possible inhabitants should be summoned to turn out for this purpose in rotation. It is also suggested that the pay should be one-half that allowed for statute labor. As this work is of common benefit to all and the season of the year is not a busy one it seems that the rate of pay need not be as great as during the summer.

Ice roads, drainage and obstructions are dealt with in sections 54 and 60. Section 61 is a new provision which by preventing any disturbance of the soil within four feet of a road ditch is intended to prevent the filling up which often occurs at present, with the consequent destruction of the road by water.

Sections 62 to 65 are existing provisions. It will be noticed that by the latter section the commissioner must haul snow on a covered bridge within his district though the bridge may be over twenty feet span and therefore not within his supervision for the purposes of repair.

Sections 66 and 67 relate to sleigh bells and wide tires and are a reproduction of the present law.

Section 68 deals with road machinery. The present law only refers to that for winter use. It seems advisable to encourage the boards to procure machinery for their districts by allowing an expenditure to the extent of ten per cent. or their funds.

Sections 69 and 70 deal with the protection of bridges and do not involve any material change in the law. Section 80 is new and is intended to apply to some roads where for miles there is no settlement and where it would not be convenient to have the expenditure made by the local authority owing to the extent to be covered and its remoteness from the local authority.

Section 81 provides for an inspector of highways. Section 82 is taken from the present act providing for the structural inspectors.

Sections 83 and 86 are miscellaneous provisions taken from the present act. Section 87 requires the audit of the accounts of a highway board and their publication with other county accounts.

Sections 88 and 89 are taken from the St. John act and are valuable auxiliaries to the assessors and collectors.

Sections 90 and 91 are taken from the present act and relate to actions against the protection of officials, offenses and penalties.

Section 98 provides for the bringing of this act into force by proclamation.

Section 99 repeals the present act and the Saint John County act.

He said with regard to the taxation to be imposed the blanks were not filled in. The bill provided for statute labor and it would be optional whether or not a man worked. It would be nothing less than absurd to ask a man to work on roads for 50 cents a day. A man should get not less than \$1 for an eight hour day and he thought no man would complain if he could pay his poll tax by two days work on the roads. From his observation and conversation with people throughout the country he believed that they were willing to pay more money for their

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roads if it was expended so as to give them good roads. The property tax now stood at twelve cents on the hundred dollars. Having in view the fact that it was optional to work on the roads he did not think anyone would object to increasing this to eighteen or twenty cents.

On these and other questions the members of the house would have every opportunity of discussion. He hoped and believed that the result of the act would be greatly in the interests of good roads. Since the act had been distributed he had already received letters from experienced gentlemen commending its main features.

He did not claim the act would be perfect, but he submitted it with the sincere and absolute desire that some thing should be done to improve the roads throughout the province. He would ask all the members of the house and the people throughout the country to closely study the act and at the next session of the legislature if amendments were found necessary they would be made.

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A "Good Old Times" Poem

Times are different, I warrant, than they were when youth was mine. When a rosy, red-checked youngster I play on a baseball nine; Things have changed from then completely and that boy of mine today Has everything he asks that is needful to his play. He has gloves and masks and baseballs, he has uniforms and spikes. He has hats that cost a dollar, he has everything he likes. And we keep him dressed in fashion, from his shoes to his crown, Oh, he never has to wear a suit of father's clothes cut down.

I remember with what pleasure I was decked in father's things, How I revelled in the pockets that I had filled with strings. I remember how my mother used to fuss and toil at night Making over father's garments so that they would fit all right. For times were hard and money was a treasure in those days That was guarded, yes, and hoarded, in a hundred different ways. I was mighty glad to get them—yes, the proudest boy in town, When I'd get another suit of father's cast-off clothes cut down.

There were six of us to wear them, and that meant a lot of work, Poor mother had to struggle all the time—she couldn't shirk, And until we grew to manhood she was toiling night and day To clothe us and to guide us in the right and proper way. We were happy, too, I tell you, and we didn't care a bit That richer sons than we were had on clothes of perfect fit; Oh, the boys who wore the garments, made by tailors of renown

Were not prouder boys than we were, dressed in father's suits cut down. Times are different, I warrant, even families are less; There are not so many children for the pas and mas to dress; All the boys today have comforts that we grown-ups never had, Times are easier for the mothers of each growing, healthy lad: Some there are that have to struggle, and so maybe I am wrong, But it seems the road is smoother than it was when I was young. Yet, somehow, while I am writing, there's a thought I cannot down, Oh, how happy were the youngsters dressed in father's clothes cut down!

—Detroit Free Press.

Inventing for the Inventor

In a certain New York State factory given over to the manufacturing of electrical appliances, visitors are of daily occurrence, and guides a necessity. A guide named Steve took such pride in the works that it surprised and enthralled did not always respond to his personally conducted tours he would promptly imagine various things, to awaken what he believed to be the proper emotions. One day, with an unusually undermanned man in tow—a man seemingly not even interested in the "features" shown him, while he paid close attention to details of apparent significance—Steve began on the subject of the incandescent light.

"It was discovered purely by accident" said he. "Mr. Edison says himself that he would never have thought of the thing if he hadn't seen some lightning playing around a fork that had been left in an empty pickle bottle."

The visitor looked up rather oddly at this information, but still so quietly that Steve, to cap his climax, added: "And so was born that boon to all mankind, the incandescent light." At that instant a passing employee caught sight of the visitor, and, coming up to him with hand outstretched, exclaimed: "If it isn't my old boss! How are you, Mr. Edison?" Steve sat down on the first object handy, and, with his head in his hands, tried to recall what he had said, and think quickly of some way out. When he looked up, the "Wizard of Menlo Park" had departed, undoubtedly wiser than when he began his tour round the factory, but also undoubtedly considerate of Steve. And a fortnight later that gentleman received from West Orange a book on electrical science, "written down" to juvenile readers, and on the fly-leaf, beneath a sketch of a fork in an empty bottle, were written these words: "And so was born that boon to all mankind, the incandescent light."—Lippincott's Magazine.

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There are many who will agree with a well-known doctor who declares that half of the ailments of children in the metropolis arise from insufficient sleep. He recognizes that the same difficulty exists in the case of adults, and in a recent conversation upon the subject, said: "It is not only children, but adults, that are falling into nervous insanity from this cause. They live too fast, and it effects people of all ages. St. Vitus's dance, which is one of the most wearing of diseases, is the consequence of lack of sleep, although it is often wrongly ascribed to lack of proper nourishment. Children live in such a rush that they are worn out before they arrive at maturity." "What would you do to remedy this state of things?"

"I would keep them in bed, and give them plenty of sleep and tonics, I would make the youngsters go to bed with the chickens and get up with them. In addition, I would see that they get a two-hours' nap in the afternoon. Plenty of sleep is the panacea for most of the ills of childhood, particularly those of a nervous nature."

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Sunshine After Rain

I met a little gipsy maid
Alone in the woodlands green,
When the April days grow fair and long,
And the young spring weeps between,
And all alone to the waking flowers
She sang with might and main,
With voice as sweet as a golden bell,
"The sunshine follows the rain."
And oft again down the veil of years
I can hear that joyous song,
When autumn's skies hang low and gray
And life's path seems so long,
But above the sound of world's great din
Comes the echo of that refrain,
And I whisper to a careworn soul,
"The sunshine follows the rain."

7,000,000 Acres Seeded To Wheat

Winnipeg, May 12 Reports received from Western points indicate that the increase in wheat acreage this year will be tremendous. Local grain men are already making their estimates of what the Western wheat crop will be, and conservative men have stated that in their opinion 125,000,000 bushels of wheat alone will be threshed out in 1908.

An estimate regarding wheat acreage made by W. H. McWilliams, an American prominent in the Winnipeg grain trade, and president of the Canadian Elevator Company, makes very interesting reading. He has reports from every section of the West, and says that 7,000,000 acres will be seeded to wheat alone, or an increase in coarse grains is also expected to be very large, farmers seeding more and more acreage of oats and barley.

A Calgary despatch states that the winter wheat crop in the country south of the C. P. R. will be by far the largest in the history of that branch of farming in the West, conditions for its early growth having been ideal.

Settlers from the United States continue to pour into the country. A great many of the better class of settlers from Iowa, Indianapolis and Illinois are purchasing land in the country tributary to Winnipeg, and one firm which makes a specialty of bringing into farms from the first-named State disposed of 1,500 acres the other day.

In the Kitchen

When choosing fish see that the eyes are bright and the gills are clear, bright red; the body should feel stiff and the flesh firm. Very large fish of their kind should be avoided.

In hanging clothes to dry, first hang up the thickest part, waist or neck bands etc., because, if hung by the thinner part, the water would run into the thick part, lodge there, and take longer to dry. Second, hang up everything wrong side

out, so that any accidental soil will not do so much damage as if it appeared on the right side.

Moths in Carpet.--When once moths have got into a carpet, neither camphor nor tobacco will stop them; the only way is to take a damp towel, spread it out upon the carpet, and iron it dry with a hot iron. Most ironing should be done in those portions of the carpet that do not take the chief wear of the room. The heat and steam will be found to destroy the worms and eggs.

To clean currants and raisins, roll in flour and then pick off all stalks, etc. If currants are washed, they must be dried before being added to cakes.

When frying cold potatoes they should first be sliced and then well dredged with flour. This not only causes the potatoes to brown more quickly, but also improves their flavor.

Chairs and sofas upholstered in leather last much longer if the leather is regularly revived with the following mixture. This not only cleans the leather, but at the same time softens it and prevents its cracking: Take one part of best vinegar and two parts of boiled linseed oil and shake well together. Apply a very little on a soft rag, and afterward polish with a silk duster. The leather of chairs requires to be as regularly polished as the woodwork.

Hints to Pie-Making

Do not roll the paste out too thin, for if it has not sufficient substance it will, when baked, be dry and tasteless.

Preserves should not be put into covered pies; strips of paste may be laid over the top, but a top crust is never satisfactory over preserved fruit.

Remember to flour well both the board and the rolling-pin when rolling out the paste.

If the fruit for the pie is not ripe, it should be stewed with sugar and then allowed to get cold before being put in the crust. If put in warm, it will make the pie heavy.

Butter the tin well before putting in the under crust; burned or lardy crusts are most distasteful and unwholesome.

In cold weather the pie should be placed on the mantel of the range or in the oven for a minute before being served.

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Then he crawled back into bed again.

Perfectly Obvious

Brown--Here's a nice letter for a man to receive! The scoundrel who wrote it calls me a blithering idiot! Smith--What's his name? "That's just what I'd like to find out: there's no signature." "Don't you recognize the writing? It must be somebody who knows you."

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WILSON'S BEACH

Mrs. Clarence Leighton who has been visiting her parents in this place returned to her home in Boston last week.

Judson Small of Brockton, arrived by Friday's boat to spend the summer with friends here.

Schooner Edward Morse, Capt. Sandy Calder, arrived home from Grand Manan on Friday with 2000 weight of halibut and 8000 weight of cod.

A freighter from St. John discharged 300 sacks of salt last week for J. W. Matthews.

The stock visited the homes of Herbert Calder and Simon Newman last week, leaving each a girl.

Mrs. Stephen Tinker still continues to be in very poor health.

A party from Lubec visited friends here on Sunday, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and son Leslie, Mrs. May Outhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Blanche and Miss Olive Mitchell.

Chas. McKay of Boabec has been here this week having a six-horsepower Toronto engine installed in his pleasure boat "Thelma."

Walter Henderson of Gloucester, Mass. is spending a few days at "The Willows" the guest of Alva Brown.

PENNFIELD.

Rev. I. Newton Thorne enters upon his duties as pastor of Pennfield and Beaver Harbor churches on Sabbath, May 17th.

A young daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Young on Wednesday.

J. B. Ganong, General Secretary N. B. and P. E. I. Sunday School Association visited Pennfield on Wednesday.

Reuben Justison has been quite ill for two weeks. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Jennie Hanson was the guest of Mrs. K. M. Murray on Sunday.

SEELYE'S COVE

Mrs. Thomas Bright and Mrs. R. Casey visited St. George recently.

Messrs. David and Randall Spears sailed with their vessel "The Alert" out of the winter port. Their many friends wish them a successful season.

Mrs. Thomas Carter visited her mother Mrs. Casey last week.

John Bright has returned to Black River after spending a week with his mother at Seelye's Cove.

John Lovitt returned from St. John on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Boyd visited their daughter Mrs. John Carter recently.

Annie Bright has returned home from Massachusetts where she has been visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Butler.

The men here are all through clam digging for the season.

MASCARENE

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. Allen Stewart Wednesday evening May 13, when Mable Gertrude became the bride of Frank Wesley Leland. The house was filled with invited guests who watched with eager eyes while the wedding march was being played by Mrs. Andrew Stewart, when the officiating minister appeared, being followed by the bride and groom. They took their places beneath an arch of evergreen, while the Rev. Mr. Buchanan said the solemn words which made them man and wife. The bride looked handsome in a cream cashmere suit trimmed with lace and ribbon wearing a veil and a wreath of orange blossoms. After the ceremony and congratulations being offered the guests sat down to a dainty supper prepared for them, being served by Miss Daisy Hoyt and Mr. Earnest Stewart. The remainder of the evening was spent with music and games. The young couple received a goodly number of pretty and useful presents.

Messrs. Kinsman and Percy Stewart visited their homes one day last week, driving from Blacks Harbor.

Miss Maggie Leland, is confined to her bed with a heavy cold.

Mr. Benny Penny who has been working through the winter for Mr. John McKenzie has built himself a small camp. Benny is going to make his home at this place and try his luck in the weir business.

We have been looking for better roads under the new road master, but they never were much rougher than just now in this place.

Miss Delia McVicar, called on Mrs. A. Henderson Monday last.

BACK BAY

The new steps on the school house adds much to its appearance. Principal Wathen deserves credit for having this done. He has made many improvements on the buildings and grounds since he has been here.

Miss Rachael Skein has returned home from St. George, where she has been working for some time.

Mr. Albion French, is building an ell on his house.

At a meeting of the Weir Owners and Weir Fishermen's Union held here a few days ago it was decided to maintain the set price of \$6 per 100 lb. for the season.

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Mrs. Edwin Cook, who has been seriously ill is improving.

Misses Lelia and Treva Dick is on the sick list.

Lieutenant Little of the Salvation Army arrived here a few days ago. She will assist Capt. Bleur.

W. W. Clerke, Birmingham, and F. W. Munroe called on the trade recently.

Linden Orange, which has been leased for the summer by Mrs. Housner of Montreal. While here Lady Tilly was the guest of Mrs. Fred Andrews, The Anchorage.

Mr. and Mrs. Brehm of New Foundland are the guests of Mrs. Charles M. Gove.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods who have been visiting Mrs. Gove for the past six weeks left for their home in Manitoba on Thursday 15th.

Mrs. W. C. M. Grimmer, spent the latter part of the week in St. Andrews.

Mr. G. D. Grimmer, has recently returned from St. John and St. Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dyer, have been guests of Judge and Mrs. Cockburn for a few days.

Miss Katie Sheehan is at home to attend the funeral obsequies of her father, Mr. Wm. Sheehan, to whose wife and family the sympathy of very many friends is expressed.

Judge White is in St. Andrews for the first time since his appointment of the Bench. The Judge is accompanied by Mrs. White.

Mrs. F. P. McColl, is spending a few weeks in New York.

Mrs. Smith of New York is to spend the summer at Ainslee Villa, Mr. McColl's St. Andrews home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monahan of Blimsville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rigby.

Miss Nellie Breed intends going to Germany in June. Miss Breed has been honored by being appointed one of a committee chosen to prepare a new Geography for the schools of Boston.

Chas. O. Wallace of Providence R. I. is the guest of Mrs. Bradley.

T. A. Hartt, M. P. P. spent Sunday with his family in St. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, are at the home of Mr. Richardson's parents.

Among this week's visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sheehan, Lubec, Mr. Roy Sheehan of Montreal, Mrs. Marshall of St. George, Mr. Henry Todd of St. Stephen, Mrs. Edward Davis and Miss Marie Davis of Woodstock.

Rev. Mr. Collishaw, has gone to his home in Nova Scotia, prior to taking a church (Baptist) in Albert County.

WILLOW HILL

John Hall, Blacks Harbor called on his friends Saturday last.

Miss Hattie Cawley, Mrs. T. McGrattan Miss R. Cawley and Miss H. Craig called on Mr. and Mrs. S. Spofford Thursday.

Mr. Isaac Dick, got a very bad kick from P. Spinney's horse last week.

Frederick Spinney is working on the roads, he thinks he can fix them up this summer.

Duncan McKae, is hard to work farming. He is putting in a large crop.

Charles McPeters, caught a large string of trout yesterday.

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