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ACADIA INSTITUTIONS RE-OPENED LAST WEEK

Acadia Seminary and Acadia College Academics Both Have Large Registrations—New Teachers

Acadia Ladies' Seminary re-opened on Friday last with great promise for a successful year's work. Already the registration of pupils has been practically completed, the attendance in residence being approximately the same as last year, while the list of non-resident pupils promises to be considerably in excess. Pupils have already been received from all of the Maritime Provinces, from Quebec, Manitoba, Maine and New York.

Several new teachers have been added to the staff. These include Miss Osh Teabenut, a graduate of the Boston School of Expression, who takes the place vacated by Miss Pearl Griffith as teacher of Expression; Miss Frances McIntyre of the Ontario College at Guelph, who assumes the direction of the department of Household Science; Miss Grace Chapman a pupil of Emanuel Fiedler and Charles Martin Miller, who will direct the Department of Violin. Miss Hope Fries, B.A., Manitoba University, becomes assistant teacher in the Collegiate Department and Librarian, and Miss Lott Allen, late of the staff of the Success Business College, Truro, takes charge of the Department of Stenography and Typewriting.

Acadia Collegiate and Business Academy opened its thirty-sixth year last Friday with appropriate exercises. A large gathering of students, faculty and invited guests was present at the opening dinner. Addresses were delivered by President P. W. Patterson; Rev. Dr. A. N. Marshall; Rev. Dr. S. S. Poole, of St. John; Dr. W. F. Roberts, of St. John, Minister of Health for the province of New Brunswick; Mr. E. W. Robinson, M.P.; Dr. W. H. Thompson; Dr. C. E. A. deWitt, Rev. Dr. D. B. Hemmon, Mr. C. R. H. Starr, and Rev. E. L. Curry.

The registration thus far has taxed the full capacity of the residence and Principal W. L. Archibald states that more students are expected, for whom accommodation will have to be provided about town. The following new appointments have been made to the staff: Rev. E. L. Curry, B.A., Housemaster and teacher of English; Harold Troop, B.A., of Granville Ferry, teacher of mathematics and science; Elbert Paul, recently of Canoe High School, History and Junior English subjects; Roy B. Eaton, Latin; B. Elden Short, Mechanical Drawing, Geography, etc. The Commercial Department is in charge of E. C. Pace, chief instructor in commercial subjects.

The students are enthusiastic about the prospects in athletics as they see among the new students many likely additions to the various athletic teams.

"GALLOPING FISH" IS A COMEDY HIT

Thomas H. Ince has discovered a sure-fire way for "putting over" a comedy.

Take a trained seal, three "comics" with an international following, an all-star cast and a fearless director. Set them all in friendly rivalry trying to outdo each other in the number of laughs they can "put over."

Result—"The Galloping Fish" Ince's comedy special released by First National at the Orpheum Theatre this Friday and Saturday.

Most producers are satisfied if they can get one really funny characterization in a picture. Ince has a half dozen in his new production who keep the ball rolling until the audience literally rocks with laughter. Louise Fazenda, Syd Chaplin, Ford Staling and a trained seal are the rivals who put over the clever situations.

The story starts out with a timid little man. He is a timid little bed-room who unexpectedly spunks up at the wrong moment and has a quarrel with his bride who hastens home "to mama." And that is the beginning of twenty-four harrowing hours for "Freddie" who promptly becomes entangled with a "Diving Venus" and her "fish" and winds up floundering about in a spectacular floor.

"Freddie" the seal gets him into even deeper trouble because he bears the same name. Incidentally that seal is about the cleverest character who has made a bow on the silver sheet in many moons. He registers derision and mirth and anger with unmistakable emphasis. Miss Fazenda handles him as if he had been dealing in fish all her life, while the timid little man, played by Syd Chaplin, keeps out of his way with a gusto that seems far from forced.

Stunning theatrical sets, a beautiful "tank" act with a dozen bathing beauties assisting Miss Fazenda and "Freddie" the seal; and spectacular food and underwater shots mingle thrills with the entertainment of laughter and keep the seven reels rolling along to the accompaniment of uproarious hilarity from the audience.

Shippers and merchants generally will be glad to learn the tri-weekly way-freight service on the Dominion Atlantic Railway between Kentville and Yarmouth has been fully restored, beginning the first of the month. These trains leave Annapolis for Kentville and Yarmouth on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and from Yarmouth and Kentville for Annapolis on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week. Effective Tuesday, September 16th, the D.A.R. way-freight service between Halifax and Kentville, and between Kentville and Annapolis will be operated daily, except Sunday.

The Rev. J. Abbott Winfield, of Kentville, is conducting the services at St. John's church during the absence of Rev. R. F. Dixon.

NEW PRESIDENT OF KINGS COLLEGE

Rev. A. H. Moore, M.A., of St. John's, P.Q., is the new president of The University of King's College, and will take up his duties early in October. The new president of King's is one of the outstanding younger men of the Church of England in Canada; a man of broad experience and outlook, a forceful speaker and debater, a writer and journalist of marked ability, a born leader of men, and a strong and magnetic personality; just the kind of man needed by King's at this time. Rev. Mr. Moore has been closely identified with journalism for a number of years. Some ten years ago, he established "The Montreal Churchman," the official organ of the Diocese of Montreal. He has been for the past five years the editor of the St. John's News which he conducts with conspicuous success. His standing in the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association of over five hundred members is evidenced by his election to the responsible position of Director of the Association and chairman of its editorial committee. He accompanied the members of the Association on their recent trip to England, where his forceful utterances on various occasions made a profound impression.

The greatest satisfaction in life is to do good work.

NEW HANDBOOK ON THE MARITIMES

Much Information in Publications of Natural Resources Intelligence Service

When the Scottish editors visited the Maritime Provinces recently they remarked on the lack of knowledge in Scotland of this portion of Canada. This same condition exists elsewhere, unfortunately. To overcome as far as possible this discrepancy the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa has issued two handbooks, one on New Brunswick and the other on Nova Scotia. These reports contain a large amount of information that should be known about these provinces by their own people. It is suggested that those interested should send to the Director of the Natural Resources Intelligence Service for copies, and that they advise those whom they would like to know more about their home province to do the same.

DR. CARL A. SHAW

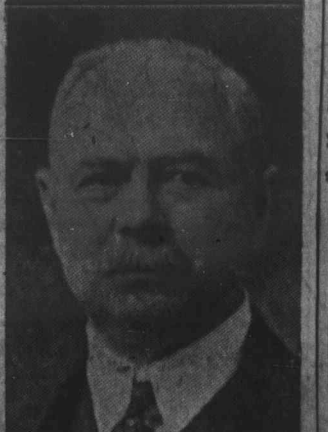
Mrs. C. A. Shaw, 66 South Park street, Halifax, has received particulars concerning the sudden death in St. Kitts, B. W. I., on August 9th, of her husband, Dr. Carl A. Shaw. The death which is attributed to cerebral apoplexy, occurred almost without warning, while Dr. Shaw was in conversation with one of his confidants relative to the benefits of a new drug in which he was interested. The funeral ceremonies conducted by the venerable Archbishop Cairns, assisted by Rev. G. Mandeville of St. John's, were attended by a large concourse of people to whom Dr. Shaw had greatly endeared himself. He was a Master Mason and was buried with full Masonic honours, the service being a very impressive one.

The newspapers of St. Kitts paid warm tributes to Dr. Shaw's memory. We quote the following from "The St. Kitts Daily Bulletin": With the co-operation of the matrons and the colonial authorities he reformed the Canning Hospital into a modern and well kept institution. An indefatigable worker whose soul was in his profession he laboured zealously for the relief of suffering humanity. As physician and surgeon his services were in such demand that he was compelled to have private patients outside of the hospital for private patients that came from the islands of the Residency. As a medical officer and family physician, by his gentleness, kindness and attention he inspired confidence. This was a personality that radiated kindness and drew all towards him.

Besides his widow Dr. Shaw is survived by four children, Mrs. John Paynter of Dartmouth, Ramond of New York, Daisy and Avery at home.

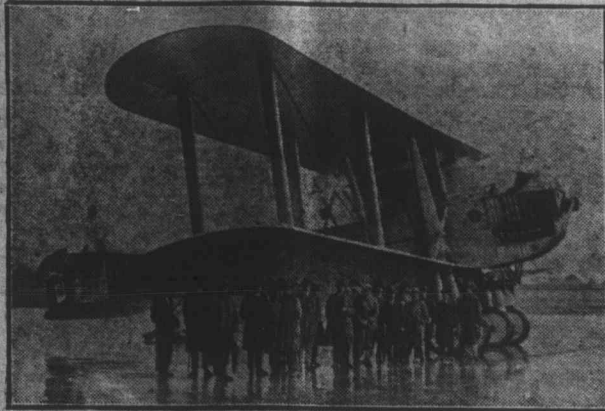
Which is that the more you take from it the more it grows?—A halo.

A. W. CAMPBELL



Dominion Highway Commissioner says that automobile owners are footing the bill for the construction and maintenance of highways to an increasingly large extent. The total revenue to provinces from motor vehicles in Canada will likely exceed \$13,000,000 during 1924. In 1923 the total revenue derived from motors in all the provinces of Canada was \$6,016,028.

A BRITISH DREADNOUGHT OF THE AIR



The world's largest and most powerful aeroplane, Britain's first aerial battleship made its trial flight recently near Hull, England, and proved to be perfect. It is named the "Cubaroo" and is powered with a single engine of 1,000 horsepower. It is capable of travelling 120 miles per hour for 1,000 miles without replenishing its fuel. It weighs nine tons, is 88 feet long, 20 feet high, and 54 feet wide. When equipped for action it will carry three tons of bombs and torpedoes in addition to a crew of three.

THE TOURIST BUSINESS

Canada is enjoying a good season in the tourist business. It has been estimated that this industry now represents an annual financial turnover approaching \$150,000,000. But the fact remains that Canadians are not making the best of their opportunities by any means. Those who have studied the trade possibilities are convinced that it would be easily possible to increase the proportions of the business to \$300,000,000 a year by selling Canada's tourist attractions to the world—and particularly the United States—and by taking advantage of the opportunities of selling goods, service and accommodation to the tourists. And what other industry presents anything like the possibilities for satisfactory profits in relation to the costs involved and the consumption of our raw materials?

Canada should endeavor to double the income from the tourist industry in 1925. The topic is of live interest at the moment. It should be possible to get action. If plans are delayed until interest in the matter again revives in the spring, it will be too late to accomplish anything next year. It is largely a matter of coordinating publicity efforts to the common end of a line Canada as a tourist attraction rather than particular districts or particular services, although these, of course, must be enumerated in the selling campaign. Provincial organizations would perhaps be the most effective, and the practical suggestion is made of the appointment of provincial commissioners, with funds voted by the governments, and co-operating with the various districts in their advertising campaigns to the extent of financial grants where the publicity work does not fit into the general program. To secure the necessary funds, the gasoline tax is suggested. This has worked very successfully in Quebec. The foreign tourist who uses the roads contributes to the provincial treasury, and if desired, the auto owners at home can be given a measure of relief by a reduction in the annual license fee.

The second phase of the tourist business is to sell service and goods to the visitors. They will be found to be free spenders, for the most part, when satisfactory accommodation is given or when they are shown the advantage of making purchases here. This not only applies to Canadian products, but to English and European specialties which come into this country under lower tariffs than those of the United States. The fact that visitors returning to the States are allowed to take in new goods to the value of \$100 as "souvenirs", and articles free of duty, is an important factor in the possibilities of the retail trade.

Now if the time to lay plans to put the tourist industry on a \$300,000,000 basis in 1925. If the railways, the governments, boards of trade, and various business organizations will co-operate, something important can be accomplished.—Financial Post.

PLEASE READ THIS

All citizens of Wolfville can do the V.O.N. a good turn and at the same time give themselves a musical evening long to be remembered by buying a ticket for the Boston Symphony Ensemble. Seventy-five per cent. of the profits will go into the treasury of the V.O.N. One day only—September 24. Park your dollar once in a safety zone and be ready when the V.O.N. girls call with the tickets.

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Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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A Health Order

New Zealand health authorities, particularly in Auckland, are co-operating in the distribution of chocolate, encouraging its wider use as a health giving food.

207 drug stores out of a possible 217 in Montreal ordered Moir's Chocolates (many of them for the first time) some months ago. Since then all have re-ordered and are becoming regular customers.

Have you tried some of the new Moss Marshmallow?

SUDDEN DEATH OF HON. R. M. MACGREGOR

The death occurred suddenly at New Glasgow yesterday morning of Hon. Robert M. MacGregor, member for Pictou in the House of Assembly and for some years member of the government without portfolio. Apparently in his usual health he played a strenuous game of tennis Tuesday afternoon, and was about in the evening with friends, seeming in unusually good spirits. He retired about his usual hour and yesterday morning on rising shortly after seven went to his bathroom and suddenly expired.

A prominent business man, Mr. MacGregor occupied many important positions in the financial and industrial life of the province. He was for some years a member of the board of directors of the Bank of Nova Scotia. He succeeded his father, the late Governor MacGregor, as a director of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company Limited. He was also a director of the Eastern Trust Co. For many years he has been interested in lumbering in Nova Scotia and was one of the largest operators, being connected with the firm founded by his father, that of J. D. MacGregor and P. A. MacGregor, Limited. He was also interested in many of the smaller industries throughout the province. His name was a synonym for honesty and integrity in business, public and private life.

PLAN TO EXPLOIT MOUNT ARARAT

Armenians Desire a Tourist Resort Make Efforts to Interest Capitalists.

ERIVAN, Armenia, Sept. 8.—Efforts are being made by a group of Armenians, headed by Leon Fashlian, secretary of the Armenian National Committee at Geneva, to interest capitalists of amusement promoters in a plan to exploit Mount Ararat, upon which Noah's Ark is supposed to have grounded when the flood waters began to recede.

GEORGE R. CHUTE

The death of George R. Chute, at one time a resident of Wolfville and a brother of Rev. A. C. Chute, D.D., of this town, took place last week at the Nova Scotia Sanatorium, at Kentville, where he had been under treatment for more than a year. A native of Upper Stewiacke, Colchester county, the deceased was 63 years of age. In his younger days he lived in Wolfville, his parents having for a time been residents of this town. He also was a student at Acadia University, but was obliged when in his junior year to discontinue his studies on account of the ill health of his parents. He filled the position of town clerk for some time at Stewiacke, where he was held in high esteem as a citizen of sterling integrity and unostentatious usefulness. He is survived by two brothers, Dr. J. R. Chute, of Elderburg, and Rev. A. C. Chute, D.D., of Wolfville. The remains were forwarded to the old home at Upper Stewiacke, where the funeral which was largely attended was held on Thursday afternoon. Rev. Earl Kinley, of Truro, conducted the service and the interment was near the Baptist church where his father preached for many years.

CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shaw, of this town, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding on Saturday last. They were the recipients of congratulations from a host of friends, as well as of more tangible tokens of regard. Among them was a pretty leather case containing five ten dollar gold pieces from their children and a handsomely colored photograph of Mr. Shaw engaged in angling at one of his favorite resorts from Mr. and Mrs. Edson Grahams. Mr. and Mrs. Shaw have been residents of Wolfville during the past thirty-six years and are held in very high esteem. The ACADIAN will be joined by a host of townpeople and friends in wishes for many years of continued prosperity and happy wedded life.

INCREASED SERVICE NORTH MT. BRANCH

Commencing Monday, September 15, trains No. 21, 22, 23 and 24 between Kentville and Weston, will be operated daily, except Sunday.

FAVORS H. B. RAILWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jordan and family, in company with a party of relatives and friends, motored to Mount Hanley, Annapolis county, to attend the wedding of Mr. Verge Card and Miss Adelaide Fritz on September 10th.

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WOLFVILLE WINS VALLEY TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

Defeated Bridgetown Players on Saturday Taking Seven out of Twelve Events

The members of the Wolfville Tennis Club played a tournament with the Bridgetown Club on the local courts last Saturday, to determine the Valley champions, Bridgetown being the winners in the western part of the Valley. Twelve matches were played of which Wolfville won seven. All were well played and closely contested. The ladies of the local club served tea. The summary of results was as follows:

Men's Singles

Dr. L. Eaton, Wolfville, defeated Mr. Fay, Bridgetown, 2-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Dr. deWitt, Wolfville, defeated Mr. Hicks, Bridgetown, 6-1, 6-3.

Men's Doubles

Dr. L. Eaton and Prof. Balcom, Wolfville, defeated Messrs. Donaldson and Lloyd, Bridgetown, 6-4, 7-5.

M. Beardsley and Dr. deWitt, Wolfville, defeated Messrs. Ruggles and Fay, Bridgetown, 7-5, 6-6, 6-0.

Ladies Singles

Miss F. E. Fowler, Bridgetown, defeated Miss D. Holmes, Wolfville, 6-4, 6-2.

Mrs. Flett, Bridgetown, defeated Miss K. McLean, Wolfville, 6-2, 3-6, 6-2.

Ladies Doubles

Misses Holmes and McLean, Wolfville, defeated Mrs. Flett and Miss Fowler, Bridgetown, 6-3, 6-2.

Mrs. Fay and Miss Daniels, Bridgetown, defeated Misses Eaton and Phinney, Wolfville, 6-3, 6-1.

Mixed Doubles

Miss Holmes and M. Beardsley, Wolfville, defeated Mrs. Fay and Mr. Ruggles, Bridgetown, 6-3, 6-3.

Miss Beardsley and Dr. L. Eaton, Wolfville, defeated Miss Daniels and Mr. Hicks, Bridgetown, 6-2, 6-4.

Miss D. Fowler and Mr. Freestone, Bridgetown, defeated Miss McLean and Dr. Ross, Wolfville, 6-2, 6-4.

Miss Griffiths and Mr. Donaldson, Bridgetown, played Miss Johnson and G. Eaton, Wolfville, 6-4, 4-6, 3-1 (unfinished).

BOSTON SYMPHONY ENSEMBLE

What they say of the Orchestra: "It gave an amazingly vivid impression of how modern music written for full orchestra... should sound. It set forth this full-voiced music with ample sonority and an astonishing approximation to the original widely varied color, a feat of genuine skill."—R. R. G., Boston Herald.

"The Ensemble sounded to excellent advantage in the chosen pieces, each of which was well adapted to performance at the hands of a miniature orchestra."—Warren Storey Smith, Boston Post.

"The orchestra showed its remarkable quality by a highly finished performance of the familiar endante of Haydn's 'Surprise' symphony. The players showed what they could do in a different vein with a dazzling performance of the wild Baccarale from the opera 'Samson and Delilah.'"—Springfield Republican.

The tickets may be had at Rand's or from representatives of the V.O.N. Floor \$1.00; Gallery \$1.25.

HART-BLEAKNEY

A wedding of interest to Wolfville people was solemnized at the First Baptist church, Boston, on Friday last, when Miss Stella, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander W. Bleakney, of Wolfville, became the bride of Mr. Reginald Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hart, of Milton, Mass. The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, Rev. Austen K. de Blois, Ph. D., who was assisted by three brothers of the bride, Revs. Edward, Guy and Claren E. Bleakney.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart at the conclusion of the ceremony left by automobile for a wedding trip through New York state, and on their return will reside in Boston. THE ACADIAN will be joined by a host of other friends of the bride in best wishes for the happiness and prosperity of the newly married couple.

MARRIAGE

CARD-FRITZ.—At Mt. Hanley, Annapolis county, on Wednesday, September 10th, Adelaide Isabella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Israel J. Fritz, to Mr. Verge A. Card, of Gasperau.

BORN

BROWN.—At Boston, Mass., on August 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Brown, a son.

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Editorial

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

THEY TOO HAVE RIGHTS

From a recent issue of the Providence (R. I.) Journal we slip the following:

"A pedestrian upholder of the law swung a handbag at the windshield when imperilled by the familiar approach of an automobile. His aim was good. He got safely across the street, but was arrested for 'assault and battery and wanton injury to personal property'." A wise judge found him not guilty of the charge or any of the specifications and intimated that he was guilty of no offence that the statutes provide. After complainant had stated his grievance the judge did not care to have defendant speak for himself. And the latter's counsel rested after asking complainant if he did not know that a pedestrian was not obliged to get out of the way of an automobile. The judge, remarking that a pedestrian has the right of way over an automobile, dismissed the case. Is it not sound law that one is justified in an offensive defence of a threatened right?"

A few evenings ago at a rather dark crossing in a residential part of Wolfville the driver of an automobile stopped his car and dimmed his lights in order that a pedestrian might pass in safety. The motorist must have been a stranger as no such courtesy to those who walk is shown by local drivers. Perhaps he was from a section where those who administer the law recognize the principal that "a pedestrian has the right of way over an automobile". At any rate the act was fully appreciated and remarked upon by the recipients of the courtesy. The novelty of the situation was refreshing.

KEEP TOWN ATTRACTIVE

How much better the new sidewalks look when they are kept neatly washed or swept as they are in some sections! How much better Main street appears on a Saturday morning after its regular weekly clean-up! It should be the constant ambition of citizens that our town should always present its best appearance, so far as is possible.

The suggestion has been made that a town ordinance should be provided which should require every person whose property faces the sidewalk to keep that part of it swept in summer and kept clear of snow in winter, and the idea seems to us a perfectly reasonable one. In order to secure the best results this work should be done in the early morning before the traffic of the day begins. Added advantages always entail corresponding responsibilities.

Given a fair chance Wolfville Main street of today is a most attractive thoroughfare, and it would be a pity if the necessary care to keep it always at its best is denied.

THE ROUND-THE-WORLD FLYERS

The United States flyers have now practically completed their undertaking of circling the earth and at the end of last week were back on their native soil. The event was acclaimed by the press of that country as a great victory for America, which is certainly generous on the part of "our cousins to the south" toward those of us who reside north of the international boundary. Their representatives have also honored us by making Nova Scotia a place of call in their itinerary. While the achievement has unquestionably been a notable one, the "flight" cannot be pronounced a record-breaker so far as speed is concerned. Something like four months have been consumed, with the starting-point as yet a considerable distance away. The incident fully indicates that the conquest of the air has not as yet been accomplished and much is still required to be done before the air ship is made a practical method of travel.

CHEAPER SCHOOL BOOKS

The reduction in the price of school-books this year is very gratifying to those who in the past have found the outfitting of their children at the opening of each successive term burdensome. In many cases the cost is not more than half what it was in former years. The change in conditions not only provides a very much appreciated financial relief to the head of the home but also indicates strongly that in the past these books have cost entirely too much, and that somebody connected with the supply has been for a long time taking too much from the pockets of the people for this commodity. It is said that the price still demanded is considerably in excess of what books may be obtained for in some of the other provinces. One of the good results of the standardizing of the text books in use in the public schools throughout Canada would evidently be to very considerably reduce their cost over even present prices.

FIRE ENGINE TO BE KEPT HOME

At the last meeting of the Council it was decided that in future the operations of the new fire engine should not be available outside the town limits. This matter has been under consideration for some time and the decision was reached only after careful deliberation. While assistance would be gladly rendered if possible at any time to any one in need it was thought that in order to duly protect the property of citizens it was not wise to run the risk of the engine being away when its services were required at home. The engine cost a large sum of money and naturally ratepayers expect it to be available when occasion for its use exists. Further than this the insurance policy only protects the machine while in town and the underwriters have declined to pay anything towards the services of the engine on occasions where it has done effective work in protecting property on which they were holding risks.

CHRISTIANITY

While waiting for a train at the railway station one day recently we could not help overhearing a conversation between a number of delegates to one of the many conventions held here during the present season. That often highly commended organization known as the Y.M.C.A. was under discussion and one of the party suggested that it would be better under present conditions that the third word should be dropped from the title. He expressed the opinion that the organization had become merely a social one and that in many cases the meetings were devoted merely to good, wholesome recreation.

Some simple people today prefer to believe that to be Christian presupposes conformity in all things to the teachings of Christ, and if judged by such standards the claims of many institutions in this regard may be open to serious questioning.

HAVE WE A TOWN WEIGHER?

THE ACADIAN has been asked to explain why Wolfville is not provided with a public weigher as is the case in Halifax and many of the other towns of Nova Scotia. It is claimed the existence of such an institution would be of benefit to dealers in heavy commodities who are obliged to undergo the expense of maintaining high-priced equipment for doing their weighing and at the same time a source of satisfaction to the purchaser. We are unable to furnish any further information concerning the matter other than that several years ago when the needs of the town appeared to require such an official money was appropriated by the Council for the purchase of a set of scales and a weigher was appointed. Those in charge of public affairs of the town will be in a position to give the information required and space will be gladly provided by THE ACADIAN for such an explanation.

UNMUFFLED MOTORS

Practically everywhere properly muffled exhausts are insisted upon on motor vehicles, the motorcycle being the only exception. Recently the chief of police of Vancouver has proclaimed war on the motor cycle pest, in ordering a cessation of the cyclists' cutout racket. The Vancouver exchange says this seems too good to be true.

Frequently THE ACADIAN is asked if there is no measure of relief from the annoyance of the unmuffled motor. It would seem to be about time to take action against this nuisance.

STABLE OR FLOATING

The ownership of homes in Canada is declining. It is an ominous sign. A nation of home owners has a stability which a nation of tenants has not. The load of taxation put upon the homemaker and businessman in the average Nova Scotia town is so heavy that it discourages the owning of property. When men feel that it is more to one's advantage to be property-free than a property owner, then look out for breakers ahead.

CANADA'S DOLLAR

There was general satisfaction throughout the country when the announcement was made from New York that the Canadian dollar had reached a parity in that financial centre. In addition to the satisfaction that that news conveyed, the evidence of substantial development and steady recovery from the depression occasioned by our heavy war expenditure, which the return to par value of our dollar reveals, speaks well for the immediate future.

PENITENTIARIES AND YOUNG OR MILD OFFENDERS

(Dr. J. G. Shearer, Social Service Council of Canada.)

The writer recently found himself a fellow passenger with two youngsters fifteen and seventeen years of age, who were in handcuffs on their way to a penitentiary under sentences of three years for house-breaking and stealing. Unless paroled meantime these boys must associate more or less closely with a large number of experienced, expert and hardened criminals for three years. Whatever they were on entering the penitentiary there is little room for doubt as to what they will be when they leave, in spite of the influence of excellent guards, Chaplain, Salvation Army and the like.

Is it right, is it socially wise, to expose young fellows (for whom surely there is good hope of restoration to virtue and good citizenship) to such seriously demoralizing influences for so long a period? There can hardly be two answers to this question. Besides, society has a large measure of responsibility for their being law breakers at all. Born of parents weak or worse, allowed to play truant from school, educational curriculum and methods ill adapted to their special needs, no supervised recreational facilities, open pool rooms and consequent companionship with older boys already criminal, make the beginning of crime for lads easy. Is not society under the greater moral obligation to make it possible, as easy as possible, for them to get back to a life of self-respect and social decency? Instead, society compels them to herd for years with worse criminals, where they get a thorough schooling in real crime before they get a second chance to go straight.

There is a better way. For delinquents within the age of juvenility (17 and 18 in some provinces, 16 in most) the Juvenile Delinquents Act should be in force and Juvenile Courts set up. Then the goal is forbidden and if probation fails, the Industrial School with others of their own years and experience opens. For those above the juvenile age and say under twenty-one, Reformatories should be provided where restoration rather than punishment is the ideal and object, and where work, training, recreation, amusement and religious influence

all combine to build up character, make life interesting and put these youngsters beyond the likelihood, if not the possibility, of resorting to crime in the coming days of freedom.

Ontario alone has established such reformatories, though Quebec has decided to do so.

In England, what is called the Borstal System has been in operation for many years. To these reform schools all prisoners from sixteen to twenty-one are sent. They are as little like prisons and as much like schools as they can be made. The result is that only a very small proportion of these young people return to the reformatory or go on to the penitentiary.

It is a social crime of the first magnitude for Canada or any of her Provinces, for lack of reformatory schools whether for false economy or for sheer indifference, to banish young people of either sex to a penitentiary where they can hardly escape demoralization of character and a schooling in crime and vice. And our Government will make provision as soon as they know the serious people make the demand. This constitutes at once a challenge to, and an opportunity of, ministering in His Name, to these little ones whose plight is indeed sorry and whose need is very great.

ONE ON FATHER

A schoolgirl said to her parent not very long ago:

"I've got a sentence I want you to punctuate. You know something about punctuation, don't you, father?"

"Yes, a little," said her parent, as he took the slip of paper she handed him.

This is what he read: A ten dollar bill was blown around the corner.

He studied it carefully, and finally said: "Well, I'd put a full stop at the end."

"I wouldn't," said the girl. "I'd make a dash after it!"

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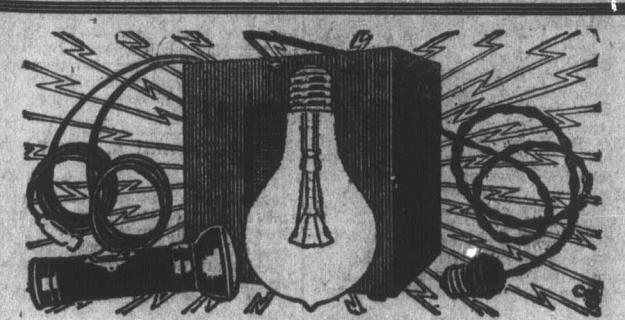
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TARIFF TINKERING

(From the Financial Post.)
Opening his Ontario tour, Premier King said at Markham, in reference to the government's tariff program that "the saddest part of it all for the Tory party is that they will have to sit by and look on for another year or two—because we don't propose to quit—and see just what our tariff changes are worth."

Apart from such political considerations as to what the Tory party may have to do or whether or not there is to be an early election, there is the important point raised by Mr. King's statement, that not only will the Tory party have to wait for a couple of years to see what is the effect of the tariff changes, but that Canadian industry and trade will have to wait likewise. And in the meantime business is hesitating. Col. Arthur Hatch, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association emphasizes this very point when he says that British capital will not come to Canada to finance new ventures until the tariff atmosphere is settled. Capital at home is similarly effected.

Canadian trade and industry are actually more disturbed by tariff changes, as changes, than whether such changes are up or down. It is for this reason that the Financial Post has advocated a permanent tariff commission with members representing the interests of farmers and workers as well as manufacturers to deal with tariff questions. There would then be assurance that the government would have sound advice in making tariff changes affecting any industry and would realize the probable consequences without having to wait several years to note the effects. There should be reasonable assurance that our national tariff policy is economically sound as well as politically expedient.

MIDLAND TRAIN WRECKED WITH 100 PASSENGERS

Narrow Escapes When Engine and Three Baggage Cars Leave Track—Other Cars Safe

KENNETCOOK, Hants Co., Sept. 4.—Over 100 passengers on the Midland railroad had a narrow escape from injury this morning when the engine and three baggage cars of the express from Truro to Windsor left the rails about one mile east of Kennetcook station and plunged into a ditch where they turned over.

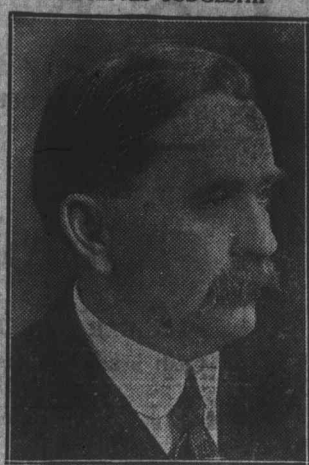
John Marshall, of Truro, fireman, on the express, had a miraculous escape. He was in the cab of the engine when it struck what is believed to have been a defective rail and tore its way along the road bed for a few yards, then hurled from the track and turned on its side in the ditch. Marshall was very slightly cut about the head and face. He got out of the wrecked engine unassisted.

When the engine went off the track it was followed by the three baggage cars, which were also turned over and badly smashed. Fortunately the coupling between the rear baggage car and the first passenger coach broke and the passenger coaches remained on the track. The passengers, badly shaken by the severe jolt, were all more or less frightened but none sustained any injuries.

The accident is believed to be due to a defective rail at the curve which is just a mile east of the Kennetcook station. It rained very hard all morning and the accident occurred in the midst of a heavy downpour. The passengers were removed to the Kennetcook Hotel where they were looked after until the arrival of the special from Kentville.

The line was blocked by the wreck and it took half a day to clear it. The

RECEIVES JUDGESHIP



Hon. J. R. Boyle, K.C., of Edmonton, has been appointed to the Trial Division of the Supreme Court of Alberta as the result of changes caused by the death of Chief Justice D. L. Scott. Mr. Boyle succeeded Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of Interior in the Federal Government, as leader of the Opposition in the Alberta Legislature.

baggage cars were partially wrecked and the baggage itself is believed to have been damaged.

There were some fifty students bound for Wolfville on the express and the remainder of the passengers were bound for Yarmouth for the Boston boat.

A special train left Kentville immediately after the wreck to convey the Yarmouth passengers to their destination. This train went through to Digby and Yarmouth, and the local travellers were taken into Wolfville.

THE COOK ROOM

APPLE FRITTERS
Peel the apples and take out the core. Cut the apples into thick slices, crosswise—this makes a ring. Sprinkle with sugar and let them lie for an hour; then dip each piece in butter and fry until of a light brown color. Sprinkle again with sugar.

MEAT FRITTERS
Take cold meat of any kind, cut it into small pieces, season with pepper and salt, cover with fritter batter and fry in smoking hot fat. Drain on brown paper and serve.

A few drops of lemon juice or vinegar on the meat and a little nutmeg grated on will be an improvement.

CARROT FRITTERS
Take 2 boiled carrots, beat them to a pulp. Add 2 eggs, 3 tablespoons of flour; moisten them with milk or cream. Add 1 teaspoon sugar and beat together thoroughly. Drop by spoonfuls into smoking hot fat. When done squeeze a little orange juice over them and sprinkle on pulverized sugar.

ORANGE FRITTERS
Slice the oranges as thin as paper, the seeds carefully removed, and then cover with batter and fry in hot fat.

APPLE CUSTARD PIE
Take 2 cups sweet milk, 2 cups apple sauce, 3 eggs. Flavor and sweeten and bake with an undercrust only.

This will make two small or one large pie.

PLAIN FRITTER BATTER
Two cups flour and 2 eggs. Beat together. Add enough sweet milk to make a batter of the consistency of griddle cakes, then beat in a level teaspoonful of salt.

This batter is simply made and can be used for any kind of fritters.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION

September sees things "perking up" in every town and hamlet. Summer sings its swan song. Late vacationists are returning. School opens. And many a conversation runs along the lines of—"what we intend to do this fall and winter".

It's the time of year when people naturally are looking ahead and making preparations for the change in seasons. When they bid adieu to summer's leisure and once more give serious thought to their business, their homes, their personal comfort and welfare.

And a good many of those thoughts are about getting things "in shape" for the long fall and winter months ahead. There's the house the roof of which should be repaired. There's the car that needs overhauling. A watch, perhaps, that requires attention. Last year's fall suit or dress that—with a little altering and mending—will be good for another season. But why go on. Everybody has different items that need—REPAIRING!

This page contains announcements from wide-awake business men and mechanics who are prepared to give the service which the season demands. They are awaiting your orders which will receive their best attention.

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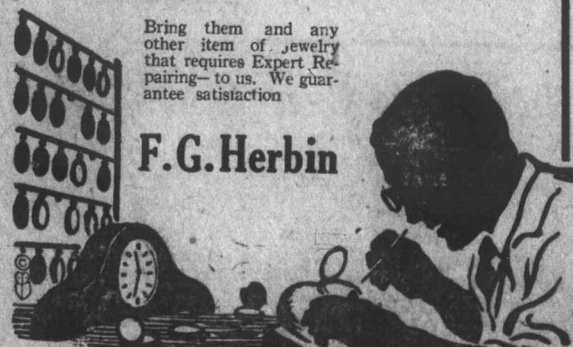


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Bring them and any other item of jewelry that requires Expert Repairing—to us. We guarantee satisfaction.

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Personal and Social

Mr. G. K. Prescott has been spending a week in Albert county, N. B.

Mrs. W. G. Clark, of Fredericton, was a recent guest of Mrs. H. G. Perry.

Mr. Harold Vaughn, Montreal, is visiting at the home of his father, Mr. C. M. Vaughn.

Miss Angela Herbin left last week for Bridgewater, where she is on the staff of the High School.

Mr. Randolph McLeod, who has been in Moncton for a couple of months, has returned home.

Dr. J. H. MacDonald spent the week end in Annapolis, where he preached in the Baptist church.

Miss Betty Love, who has been spending the summer in Wolfville, has returned to Sherbrooke, P. Q.

Miss Marguerite DeWitt, of Wolfville, was the guest of Miss Grace Smith on Monday.

Mrs. Bernasconi and children, of Halifax, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Crawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pick, of Cambridge, Mass., arrived this week to spend two weeks with relatives here.

Miss Maurine Elderkin left last week for Everett, Mass., where she is engaged as a teacher of kindergarten work.

Mr. J. R. Black left last Thursday on a trip to Nantucket, Mass., where he is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. M. Black.

Miss Ella Tweede, of Boston, is spending her vacation in Wolfville, at the home of her sister, Mrs. (Prof.) Sutherland, Locust Avenue.

Miss Grace Coates, of Amherst, arrived last week to continue her studies at Acadia Seminary, and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harold Major.

Miss Hilda A. Tufts left on Tuesday for Pasadena, Cal., via Yellowstone Park, to resume her work as teacher of English in the Orton School for Girls.

Mrs. Stenner Phillips, Jr., who has been spending a month with her mother, Mrs. A. H. Hatfield, left on Monday last to return to her home in New York City.

Mrs. Horace Greenough and little son, of Middleton, were visitors in Wolfville last week, at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shaw, Main street.

Mr. Alan Smith, Acadia, '24, recently arrived from England via Quebec. Mr. Smith who spent the summer with his mother, visited London, Wembley, Chester and other English points.

Mrs. N. B. Borden, of Fernandina, Fla., arrived in Wolfville recently to visit her sister, Mrs. Earl Burgess. Mrs. Borden and Mrs. Burgess left last week by motor for New York.

Mrs. MacLean has been appointed instructor in Elocution in the Theological department of Acadia. Mrs. MacLean was at one time teacher of Elocution in the Ladies College, Halifax.

Miss Helen Archibald left recently for Holland, N. Y., where she will teach Biology in the High School of that town. She went by motor from Portland, Me., with her uncle, Rev. A. C. Archibald, of Youngstown, Ohio.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Edmund Bars and daughter, of Windsor, Conn., who were called to Wolfville by the illness and subsequent death of the former's father, the late Dr. A. deW. Bars, left by motor on Tuesday morning to return home.

Mr. Herbert Stairs agent of the Children's Aid Society, of Kings county, went to Truro yesterday, to attend the meetings of the Provincial Social Service Council and the session of Child Welfare Workers which was held in connection.

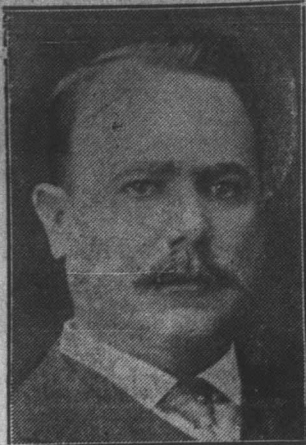
Mr. Clarke McLeod left this week to resume his studies at McGill University. He was accompanied as far as Quebec by his sister, Mrs. Harrison Lewis, who will visit friends in the city for several weeks before meeting Mr. Lewis, who returns from Labrador.

Rev. George A. Logan, of Upper Canada, who some time ago underwent an operation at Westwood Hospital, has so far recovered as to be able to be out again. In company with Mrs. Logan he motored to Canning on Monday, driving his own car. Many friends will wish him a speedy return to health.

Rev. G. W. Miller, who was recently operated upon at the P. M. Hospital, Windsor, has so far recovered as to be able to return to his home at Elderbank. He came from the hospital to Wolfville where he was for a few days a guest at the home of Mr. Herbert Stairs, and on Sunday motored to his home with Miss Annie Stuart, of Grand Pre.

Dr. Walter W. Chipman, of Royal Victoria Hospital, and Lecturer in Gynaecology, McGill University, Montreal, paid a flying visit to Wolfville on Wednesday. He called on many former friends of his college days, and accompanied by his mother, Mrs. W. A. Chipman, of this town, proceeded to Halifax on the afternoon train. He has recently completed a tour of the Canadian West, where he addressed clinics in the larger cities.

ATTACKS BRITISH POLICY



President Obregon, of Mexico, took occasion in Congress to attack the policy of the British Government in connection with the case of its Charges des Archives, H. S. C. Cummins, who was virtually expelled from Mexico because of his attitude toward the Mexican Government.

MARRIED AT GASPEREAU

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Gertrude, GasperEAU, was the scene of a pretty wedding ceremony at 3 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, when their daughter, Alice Leta, was united in marriage to Mr. James Crawford Martini, son of Mrs. J. L. Martin.

The bride received many handsome and costly gifts in cut glass, silver, linen, checkers, etc., that from the groom being a beautiful walnut china cabinet.

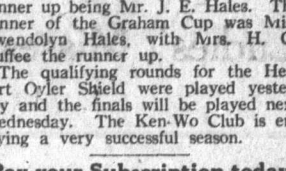
The Acadian extends best wishes to the happy couple.

The final matches for the Sir Robert L. Borden Cup and the George E. Graham Cup were played at the Ken-Wo Country Club last Saturday.

Mr. Henry G. Ruffee won the Borden Cup, the runner up being Mr. J. E. Hales. The winner of the Graham Cup was Miss Gwendolyn Hales, with Mrs. H. G. Ruffee the runner up.

The qualifying rounds for the Herbert Oyer Shield were played yesterday and the finals will be played next Wednesday. The Ken-Wo Club is enjoying a very successful season.

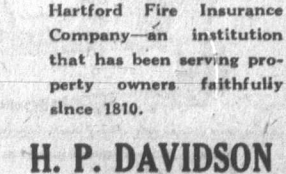
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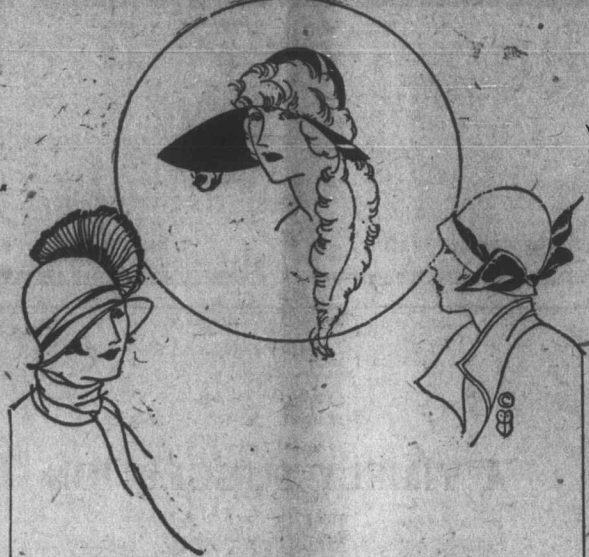
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Items of Local Interest

Blue Bird Tea brings Happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Macpherson and family have returned from their summer cottage at Avonport to their home on Summer street.

Mr. Albert Harris, of Canning and Mrs. Romans, of Melanson, were successfully operated upon at Westwood Hospital yesterday by Dr. MacDougall.

Sunday last was the anniversary of the Battle of the Marne. In France the occasion was fittingly observed, and at Meaux, near Paris, where the invading Germans were turned back in 1914, there was a great celebration.

Beginning with the new year the town manager system of conducting its affairs. As in other towns where this plan has recently been undertaken the office will be combined with that of town clerk.

On Sunday night a "Gray Dart" car, owned by George Hale, of Kentville, and driven by his son Roy, caught fire when near the Hants Border schoolhouse, about a mile from Hantsport, and was completely destroyed.

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Mr. B. A. Bent, who has in charge the construction of the new college building, reports that the work is proceeding very satisfactorily. The entire roof will be completed in a short time and it is expected if favorable weather continues to have the exterior of the building pretty well completed before winter sets in.

Mr. Edson Graham, of this town, who has won an enviable reputation not only as an expert portrait photographer, but also for his artistic landscape work, has been engaged by the Provincial Highway Board to make views in different parts of the province in connection with highway work recently done. Mr. Graham is making an excellent collection samples of which will no doubt be an exhibition in the near future.

Mr. James A. Allen, of North-Grand, underwent a serious operation for gall-stones at Westwood Hospital yesterday. Dr. MacDougall, of Halifax, performed the operation which was quite successful, and at latest report the patient was comfortable and doing as well as could be expected. Mr. Allen is one of the best known and most highly esteemed men in his section, and many friends will hope for his speedy recovery.

The coming weeks will be a busy time for the fruit-growers of this valley. Apple-picking has already begun and the harvesting of the crop will afford employment for a large number of men. So far only the early varieties are in for picking but some quite considerable shipments have already been made. The fruit is growing rapidly and the recent sunny days and cool nights have been favorable for its development.

Dr. Hugh MacKinnon, of Inverness, purchased the home and practice of the late Dr. MacNally, at Berwick, and will begin his professional duties at that place next week. Dr. MacKinnon had four years of service overseas as a surgeon and at the close of the war practiced for a time in Halifax. Since then he has had charge of the county hospital at Inverness. His coming to Berwick should prove a valuable addition to the medical practitioners of Kings county.

THE ACADIAN had a pleasant call on Wednesday from Mr. Justus A. Griffin, of Hamilton, Ont., manager of the printing establishment of Griffin & Richmond Co., Ltd. Fifty-two years ago when the Winnipeg Free Press was established, Mr. Griffin was one of the printers who had the work in hand. At that time Winnipeg had a population of 700 and five newspapers. When the Free Press celebrated its jubilee fifty years later one of the features was a full page of reminiscences from the veteran printer, with his portrait. Mr. Griffin has been at St. John, N. B., attending the Dominion convention of the Canadian Club, and took advantage of the occasion to pay a visit to the Annapolis Valley. He was a guest at the Acadia Villa while here, and expressed himself as highly pleased with Wolfville and its surroundings. Mr. Griffin is a brother of the well known Canadian Journalist, Mr. Watson Griffin, at one time editorial writer of the Montreal Star and later in charge of the federal government's Information Bureau.

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Coming Events

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The Sir Robert Borden Chapter of the I.O.D.E. will hold a Grand Bazaar in the Community Hall on Thursday and Friday, October 9th and 10th. Each citizen of Wolfville is asked to help by donations and attendance in making this annual event a huge success. 45-51

A dance will be conducted by the Ken-Wo Country Club in Community Hall, Wolfville, on Friday, Sept. 26th. Joe Willis' Orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets—Ladies, \$1.00, Gents, \$1.00. Chaperons—Mrs. Herbert Oyer, Mrs. W. Elder Archibald, Mrs. J. Elliot Smith, Mrs. H. Troyte-Bullock.

The annual meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held on Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the home of Mrs. W. G. Taylor, Acadia street. All members are urged to be present. Election of officers, delegates to the Prov. Convention, and other annual business matters will come before the meeting. Supts. of Departments, please bring annual report of work.

GRAND PRE Miss Freda Townsend spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Fred Townsend, returning on Monday to Welton's Corner where she is teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClelland are spending a few weeks in Halifax. Mrs. Fred Clark, of Attleboro, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Tremholm.

Miss Marion Crane is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. W. Shaw, of Falmouth. The school opened here on Tuesday, Sept. 2, with Miss Troop and Miss Young as teachers.

Miss Phyllis Fuller, of Kentville, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Guy P. Fuller.

Miss Stuart has returned home from a trip to Toronto. Mr. Milton Morgan, of Bear River, spent a few days of last week visiting friends here.

Miss Una Magee is spending a few weeks at Elderbank, Halifax county.

REDUCTION IN SERVICE

D.A.R. Bluenose Trains 123 and 124, Boston & Yarmouth Sailings—Sept. 15, 1924. D.A.R. Bluenose trains 123 and 124 will be continued up to and including September 27th, but in view of the four-tup service of the Boston & Yarmouth S.S. Co. between Yarmouth and Boston becoming effective September 15th, leaving Yarmouth at 6.30 p.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, Bluenose trains will not be operated on Mondays and Thursdays after September 15th.

The S.S. "Northland" will leave Yarmouth on Tuesdays and Fridays, and the S.S. "Prince George" on Wednesdays and Saturdays. After the sailing from Yarmouth, on Friday, Sept. 19th, the S.S. "Prince Arthur" will replace the S.S. "Northland". 46-2

THE MENTALLY DEFECTIVE

At the meeting of the Provincial Social Service Council, which has been in session at Yarmouth this week, Dr. J. G. Shearer gave an illustrated address on Diagnosis and Treatment of the mentally handicapped. Dr. Shearer stated that this is the most urgent of all social problems in his opinion, not because mental deficiency means badness, but lends itself to various forms of evil. An eminent authority has stated that 50 per cent. of all crime, two-thirds of all prostitution, two-fifths of all venereal disease cases were due to mental deficiency. The speaker gave a masterly survey of the work being done in the United States, and in some parts of Canada for the segregation of defectives, and for the training of those who are capable of improvement.

St. ANDREWS UNITED CHURCH

Wolfville, N. S. Minister: Rev. Douglas Hermeon, D. D. Sunday, September 14, 1924 Morning Worship at 11 Evening Worship at 7 3 P.M.—Services at Greenwich and Grand Pre.

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TO LET.—Ten-roomed house near University, with garage and small orchard. Furnace heated. Box 34, 46-3-pd.

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TO LET.—Furnished Residence on corner of Prospect street and Highland avenue. Possession Oct. 1st. Apply to Mrs. W. A. Chipman or Phone 285. 47-2

FOR RENT.—House of 7 rooms and bath. Hot and cold water. Main street east. Also three Rooms suitable for light housekeeping. G. W. Baines, Box 221.

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FARM FOR SALE.—Situating on Main street west, Wolfville. Write Box 17, Wolfville, N. S.

FOR SALE.—Second hand heater and cooking stove, with oven in perfect condition. Suitable for light housekeeping. Apply Mrs. C. F. Stewart, Summer street.

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LOST.—Light weight Tan mixture overcoat. Finder please leave at Acadian Office or receive reward.

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EXPOSE EARS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 10.—Exposed ears are to replace bobbed tresses as the zenith of fashionable hair, it was decided today at the annual convention of the National Hairdressers' Association. Naked lobes will nevertheless entail more abundant coiffure, but it is to be arranged more to the front and back. The 1,000 delegates will discuss the best way to use the transformer to conceal the unsightly fringes of the obsolete bob.

GOOD VALUE

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opp. D. A. R. STATION Contents of a whole house to be sold on Thursday, Sept. 11, at the hour of 1.30 p.m. Beds, springs, mattresses, commodes, bureaus, parlour furniture, desk, linoleum, 10 chairs, 3 rockers, china cabinet, brass bed and spring, 1 Stewart phonograph, kitchen cabinet, rugs, wash wringer, kitchen stove, hall stoves, No. 11 Base Burner, pots, pans, dishes, and other useful articles for the house. TERMS CASH. O. D. PORTER AUCTIONEER

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All persons having legal demands against the estate of Andrew deW. Bars, late of Wolfville in the county of Kings, Physician, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned. JOHN EDMUND BARSS EDMUND SIDNEY CRAWLEY Executors. Probate granted August 27th, 1924. Wolfville, Aug. 27th, 1924.

Executor's Notice!

All persons having legal demands against the Estate of Harriott Pick, late of Wolfville, in the County of Kings, Splitter, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to MARTIN PICK, Sole Executor Dated at Wolfville this 1st day of August, A.D., 1924.

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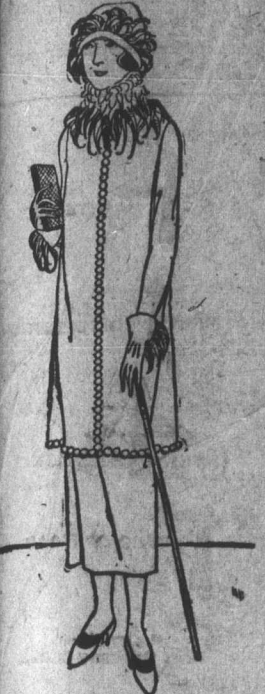
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

SEPTEMBER 12
THOU NOT THOU THY TEN-
MERCIES FROM ME, O LORD:
THY LOVINGKINDNESS AND
TRUTH CONTINUALLY PRE-
ME.—Ps. 40:11
SEPTEMBER 13
FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT is love,
peace, long-suffering, gentleness, good-
will, meekness, temperance; against
there is no law.—Gal. 5: 22, 23
SEPTEMBER 14
THOU NOT; for I am with
be not dismayed; for I am thy
I will strengthen thee; yea, I will
thee, yea, I will uphold thee with
right hand of my righteousness.—
41:10
SEPTEMBER 15
IF IS HE THAT CONDEMN-
NOT HIMSELF IN THAT
WHICH HE ALLOWETH.—
14:22
SEPTEMBER 16
EXCELLENT is thy lovingkind-
O God! therefore the children of
put their trust under the shadow
of thy wings. They shall be abundantly
fed with the fatness of thy house:
thou shalt make them drink of the
flow of thy pleasures.—Psalm 36:7, 8
SEPTEMBER 17
AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH,
THE LIFE.—John 14:6
SEPTEMBER 18
THE BEGINNING WAS THE
Word with God, and the
Word was God. All things
made by him; and without him
not any thing made that was made.
1:1, 3
HINTS ON CARE OF CAR
Average motorist, no matter how
he is in his driving, is habitually
neglectful of his automobile.
neglect to oil frictional parts,
make repairs with pieces of rope
instead of replacing broken
parts, and pay little attention to
machines as long as they run.
Following hints are intended for
proper care of the car:
Wheels should not grind or rattle.
Clutch should never grab or slip.
Keep the car sheltered from the ele-
ment.
Loose or worn parts as soon as
detected.
Understand an automobile before at-
tempting to run it. Clean it up after
it.
Never race the engine, especially
when stopping or starting the car, shift-
gears, or standing idle.
Never let the engine get overheated.
Use a spark, a lean mixture, an ob-
structed cooling system, or an over-
load, cause excessive heating.
Keep the engine running smoothly.
Develops a limp or a gallop, there
is trouble. The ignition may be at fault,
the carburetor, or the engine itself.
This means either the valves or the
pistons and rings.
Check the oil closely. Remember
that anything can be overdone. Too
much oil in the crank case causes oil
dilution, loss of power, smoke and
poor plugs. Too much on the mag-
net may cause failure of ignition. Too
much on the exposed bearings collects
dirt and helps wear out the parts
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THE CHIEF FEATURES OF THE DAWES PLAN

Purpose.—To provide for reparation payments and at the same time to balance the German budget and stabilize German currency.
Method.—This is to be accomplished through cooperation between the Allies and Germany, based on mutual interest.
Foreign Loan.—The plan provides for an international loan of 800,000,000 gold marks (\$200,000,000) to establish a new bank of issue, to stabilize the currency and to meet the first year's reparation payments.
Bank of Issue.—This is to be established with a capital of 400,000,000 gold marks, in shares of 100 marks each, 4,000,000 shares to represent assets of the Reichsbank and 3,000,000 shares to be subscribed in Germany and abroad. The bank will be the fiscal agent and depository of the German Government, but will be free of Government control. It will be administered by a German President and managing board, but will be supervised in matters affecting the creditor nations by a general board of seven Germans and seven foreigners, one of the foreigners being the Bank Commissioner.
Currency Stabilization.—The bank of issue is to have the exclusive right to issue and circulate banknotes in Germany during the period of its charter, which is fifty years. Neither the German Government nor any German State bank is to have the power to issue paper money, with the exception, to a limited extent, of the Banks of Baden, Bavaria, Saxony and Wurttemberg. The Government is not to issue any coins for circulation, except gold coins containing approximately their full value in gold metal. All coins other than gold are to be issued through the bank of issue. The bank may issue notes for circulation against gold coin or bullion. A gold reserve of 33 1/3 per cent. is to be maintained.
Reparation Payments.—All reparation payments are to be made through the bank of issue. The sources of revenue for these payments are: The \$200,000,000 international loan (part of the first year's payment); a mortgage on German railways, a mortgage on German industries; a transport tax, and revenues from the general budget, guaranteed by certain "controlled revenues". The experts estimate the plan will produce for reparation payments 1,000,000,000 marks the first year, 1,200,000,000 the second year, 1,200,000,000 the third year, 1,250,000,000 the fourth year and 2,500,000,000 (the maximum payment to be required from Germany annually) the fifth year.
Thereafter payments are fixed on a sliding scale and subject to addition or reduction in certain contingencies. In order to prevent these payments from affecting Germany's financial stability adversely, an index of prosperity has been fixed.
Transfer of Payments out of Germany.—The plan differentiates between the amount that can be raised in Germany and the amount that can be transferred abroad. It provides that Germany's payments abroad shall not exceed its earnings abroad. All payments for the account of reparations are to be deposited in the bank of issue to the credit of the Agent General for Reparation Payments. The Agent General and five experts in foreign exchange and finance will control the use and withdrawals of these deposits. This committee will regulate deliveries in kind and payments so as to prevent foreign exchange difficulties; will control the transfer of cash to the Allies by purchase of foreign exchange, and in general will try to obtain the maximum transfer without destabilizing the currency. If reparation payments by Germany exceed the sums that can be transferred without causing difficulties, the excess payments will be allowed to accumulate in the bank of issue, but these accumulations are not to exceed 2,000,000,000 gold marks. When they pass this figure they are to be used in bonds and loans in Germany. The total accumulation in Germany is not to exceed 5,000,000,000 gold marks. If this figure is reached, further reparation payments by Germany cease until the transfer of the accumulated fund becomes possible.
Default.—In case of default of payment of interest, sinking fund or principal upon either railroad or industrial bonds, the plan provides for the collection of the deficiency from the German Government through the Commissioner of Controlled Revenues.
Controlled Revenues.—Revenues from customs, alcohol, tobacco, beer and sugar are to be assigned to and put under the control of Germany's creditors, and are to guarantee the reparation payments from the budget

VISITORS APPRECIATE OUR HOSPITALITY

The following letters have been received by Mayor Chambers recently: His Worship Mayor Chambers and members of the Town Council, Wolfville, N. S. Gentlemen: At the recent session of the Grand Lodge of the I.O.O.F. of the Maritime Provinces of Canada, held in your beautiful town, I was instructed to convey to your Honorable Body and the Citizens of Wolfville generally the sincere thanks of the Grand Lodge for the hospitality extended, and the many acts of kindness shown our members during their stay in your town; nothing was left undone that could have been done to make our visit a pleasant one, and I can assure you that it was appreciated very much by all who had the privilege of being present. I have the honor to be Your obedient servant, J. J. McKinnon, Grand Secretary. (A similar letter was received by Mr. Edson Graham, president of the Board of Trade.) Mr. J. D. Chambers, Wolfville, Nova Scotia. My dear Mr. Chambers: On behalf of our Bankers Life Company party, let me thank you again for the courtesies you extended to us on the occasion of our visit to Grand Pre and Wolfville. Our trip



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No. 95 From Halifax arrives 10.10 a.m.
"Bluenose" from Halifax 11.20 a.m.
"Bluenose" from Yarmouth 1.59 p.m.
No. 98 From Yarmouth, arrives 3.12 p.m.
No. 97 From Halifax, arrives 6.12 p.m.
No. 99 From Halifax (Mon., Thurs., Sat.) arrives 11.48 p.m.
No. 100 From Yarmouth (Mon., Wed., Sat.), arrives 4.13 a.m.

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PORT WILLIAMS AND VICINITY

Mrs. Amberman, of Weston, Mass., and Miss Mary Lamb, of Boston, Mass., are guests of their sister, Mrs. Stephen Kingston.

Mr. E. S. Tracy, N. S. Temperance Act Inspector of Halifax, spent Sunday with Edson P. Griffin.

Mrs. Dixon Regan is visiting her mother at Granville Ferry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Beanson and son, with Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. McKinnon, motored from Lowell, Mass., and are the guests of their brother, Mr. Arthur Beanson, Belcher Street.

Miss Geraldine Clarke is visiting her aunt, Mrs. McEwan at Moncton.

Miss Lilian Sutton, R.N., of New York, arrived home on Saturday and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Sutton.

Mrs. Newton Newcombe has returned home from a pleasant visit to Brooklyn, Hants county.

Mrs. Beattie, of Burlington, Hants county, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Newcombe.

Mr. N. H. Newcombe spent last week with friends in Bridgetown and Annapolis Royal.

Miss Clara Wood had as her guests last week her aunt, Mrs. Graham, of Lawrence, Mass., and her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, with Mrs. Silvester, of Providence, R. I., who made the trip by auto.

Mr. Curtis Newcombe, who has been doing agency work in Lunenburg county, was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis and was operated on last Friday in the Riverport Hospital. His mother, Mrs. A. F. Newcombe, motored through with his brother and is still with him.

Mrs. Justin Gates is again studying violin at Acadia Seminary, under Miss Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. David Sutton entertained a large number of friends on Tuesday evening in honor of the birthday of their son Rowland. The evening was pleasantly spent in social conversation and listening to the following program: Instrumental duet, organ and accordion by Mrs. Cogswell and Mr. Curry, of Wolfville; reading—Mrs. Gordon Brown; vocal duet—Miss Muriel Star and Mr. Ibsen. Later the young folk danced on the Monlight on the verandah to victrola music. Ice-cream and confectionery were served at 10:30.

Miss Lucy A. Cogswell has registered at Acadia Seminary for a year of post graduate work on the piano under Prof. Carl Farnsworth.

Mr. Major Forsythe and family, of Boston, Mass., is visiting his uncle, Mr. Vernon Griffin.

Dr. Margaret Chase leaves tomorrow (Friday) for Philadelphia, where she has accepted a position in a hospital.

Mrs. Hardy, of Kentville, has been visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Chase, Church Street.

Miss May Garland has been visiting in Halifax, returning last Saturday.

Mrs. G. C. Ellis has as her guest this week her cousin, Mrs. Rufus Ellis, of Sheffield Mills.

The Port Williams School Exhibition will be held on Friday, Sept. 19th, in Citizens Hall. Ice-cream will be sold and supper served.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE PICNIC

A large number of the members of the local Institute attended the annual Kings county Institute picnic at the Experimental Farm, Kentville, on Friday. Although the weather was not the best to be wished, still every one seemed to have a pleasant time.

After dinner speeches were made by Judge Webster, Prof. Blair, H. K. Stairs, and Prof. Cummings. They were all listened to with much interest. Prof. Blair spoke particularly on the work of the Experimental Farm, urging the farmers to use the opportunities thus afforded for practical research work.

Mrs. Chas. Patrinquin, of Lower Wolfville, President of the County Institute, presided. This was the first year the Farmers Association co-operated with the Institute in the picnic and it is hoped it will henceforth be a permanent arrangement as the aims and interests of both orders are closely interwoven. The vote of thanks to speakers was

HELLO! BACK AGAIN



Britain's greatest ambassador, the Prince of Wales, is back on this continent again on his way to "E. P. Ranch", near Calgary, for a vacation.

Mrs. D. Sutton, representing the Institute, seconded by Mrs. Sanford, Secy. of Farmers Association, and responded to by the large delegation standing.

Then an inspection of the Farm was enjoyed, every department drawing much attention, especially the newly installed mill for the manufacture of fax and hemp. It was a busy day for those in charge of the different departments, but courteous attention to the visitors was in evidence everywhere.

GREENWICH

Mr. Edgar Forsythe, Cambridge, who visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Forsythe, a few days, returned home last Tuesday morning. Mrs. Forsythe and little daughter had visited here the week previous. Old residents and friends are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Banks, whose home is in the Peace River District, Alberta, were guests recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neary, leaving last Tuesday on the return trip.

Mrs. Cutler Forsythe and three little sons, Willis, Lloyd and Donald, returned home last Wednesday afternoon from several days' visit at the home of Mrs. Edgar Forsythe, Cambridge.

Misses Marion and Jessie Bishop spent the day last Wednesday in Woodville, guests of their aunts, Mrs. Burgess and Mrs. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fenwick entertained a large number of the young people at their home last Wednesday evening, progressive crokinole being enjoyed all the evening.

Mrs. MacKay, our teacher, and Miss Bessie Fraser, treasurer of the school's Exhibition, attended a committee meeting at Port Williams one evening last week. We understand the Exhibition will be held at Port Williams, Sept. 19.

Mrs. Connell and daughter, of Massachusetts, who have been visiting the former's brother, Mr. T. J. Borden, and other relatives, left last Thursday on their return, going over to Parrsboro en route.

Mrs. T. A. Pearson and daughters entertained a number of young people at a dance last Thursday evening.

Dr. Clarence Davis, Boston, who visited his step-father, Rev. Raleigh Bishop over a week, started on his return trip home last Friday, going to Halifax, Truro, etc., en route. He is travelling in his large Cleveland sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Bishop left early Saturday morning in their auto mobile for Sackville, N. B., accompanied by their daughters Marion and Jessie, also the twins, Lorna and Lovitt. There they left Marion and Jessie, who have entered the Ladies College, the former to take a course in Domestic Science, the latter in Piano. Success is the wish of their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fenwick spent the week end with relatives of the latter in Rawdon, Hants county.

Miss Millie and Mr. Kenneth Fraser, who have been visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Fraser, during their three weeks vacation, left on Saturday morning to return to Boston, to resume their good positions there.

Mrs. Sojell, of Lexington, Mass., who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Forsythe, and near relatives for several weeks, left on Saturday morning to return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schfield and children motored to Centerville Saturday morning, where they were guests of Mrs. Schfield's sister, whose husband is station agent at Centerville. They returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bishop motored to Avonport on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Miss Lillian Bishop returned home on Sunday from a stay of several days at Beungline Beach with friends from Wolfville, who had a cottage there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Fraser and family of Scotts Bay, visited here Sunday, at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. Dexter Forsythe started work in his ample evaporator on Monday morning, again giving employment to a good many boys and girls.

Mrs. Harriet Ridd, of Wolfville, visited at the home of her friend, Mrs. Lila Forsythe on Monday.

Mr. John Orr, who has spent the past two years with his brother here, was very recently married in Halifax to a young lady who came from England, accompanied by her mother and sister. Congratulations! The "newly-weds" are now located on a farm purchased by Mr. Orr near Bridgetown.

The watering trough—not in use for a few years—which was put at the top of station bill several years ago by an energetic resident, the late Mr. Gustavus Bishop, at his own expense, was recently removed by the road commissioners.

Miss Lillian Bishop is having shingling and repairing done on her buildings.

Mr. George Bishop recently had his south barn shingled and repaired.

Mr. Lorne Pudsey, we are sorry to learn, is still in the hospital in Massachusetts, where he has been suffering from effects of a badly broken leg for several weeks, the break being near the hip.

Much sympathy is felt for both him and his family.

Mr. Albert Cahill, who recently died at his home in Needham, Mass., was born in Greenwich 69 years ago, being a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cahill, leaving here for the States when eighteen years old. Mr. Cahill who recently died—his father still living, aged over 91 years—was a nephew of the late Mrs. Eliza Welmer, who spent most of her life here and in the vicinity.

Rev. A. J. Frosser, a former pastor of Baptist church at Canard and Port Williams, now living in Bridgetown, Annapolis county, has recently been appointed agent for Digby county of the Children's Aid Society. He has now Yarmouth, Digby and Annapolis counties to look after in the Child's Welfare work.

Do People Read Ads. in The Acadian? What are you doing now?

BAND CONCERT AT CANNING

On Friday evening last the Canning band gave a very enjoyable concert at the Armouries, which was attended by a good audience. An appropriate and interesting address was given by Rev. Mr. Heisler, pastor of the Baptist church, who spoke of the excellent service rendered by the band during the past season. A cornet solo rendered by Harold Blenkhorn, the youngest member of the organization, was heard with surprise and pleasure by the audience.

The performance of the fife and drum band was generally applauded, and the soloists, Mrs. Bowser and Miss Irene Rand, were as usual heard with genuine pleasure. Although on account of the weather a number were prevented from being present nearly fifty-eight dollars were added to the band funds as a result of the evening's entertainment.

Under the direction of Prof. Gordon the band has made excellent progress, and is a very decided credit to the town.

HISTORY OF LIFE OF CHRIST FOUND IN NAPLES LIBRARY

Story of The Saviour's Martyrdom Written in 58 A.D. is Discovered

NAPLES, Sept. 8.—A history of the life of Christ, reporting the Saviour's martyrdom, written in 58 A.D., has been discovered by Commander Della Superintendent of the government libraries here, according to a report to the Ministry of Education.

The discovery is expected to create a sensation throughout the world as the new book, antedating any previously known history of Christ's life is said to contain accounts of many hitherto unknown incidents.

"The authenticity of the books (Della also found some new works of Livy) cannot be doubted," the commander said.

"The government is investigating and will fully confirm my summary of the findings. At any rate the books are surely here and nobody will take them away."

Discovery of the Livy parchments is credited to Professor Di Maggino, an Italian who was engaged by the state administrator of the small local archives to reorganize its work.

They are considerable in number, covering a square kilometre of ground. Many previous searchers had overlooked them.

The parchments were not damaged by moths, but moisture had caused the characters to fade here and there.

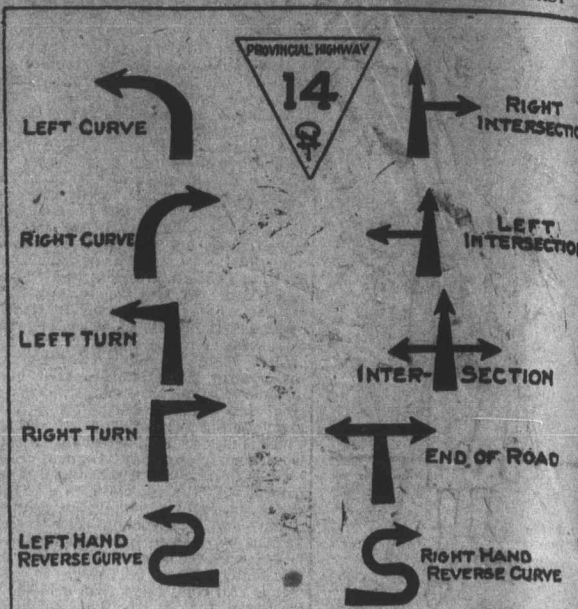
It is understood that Professor Di Maggino found that existing texts correspond almost exactly with these discovered.

Both end at practically the same place, where Livy's narrative leaves off with an account of the death of Drusus, nine years after the birth of Christ.

"RICHARD, THE LION-HEARTED" TITLE CHOSEN FOR SCREEN VERSION OF "THE TALISMAN"

"Richard, the Lion-Hearted is the title chosen for the Associated Authors' screen version of Sir Walter Scott's famous novel, "The Talisman", an

ROAD SIGNS FOR TOURISTS FROM COAST TO COAST



These signs have recently been adopted as standard throughout the Dominion of Canada, and will be erected at every turn, intersection, and on the Provincial Highway System. The triangle is a sign for indicating Provincial Highways and will be erected at all strategic points and also at Provincial Highway intersections. These signs will be numbered.

Allied Producers and Distributors Corporation release coming to the Orpheum theatre next Wednesday and Thursday. The bluff and hearty monarch who is the outstanding figure in the celebrated Scott classic won such tremendous popularity through Wallace Berry's portrayal of him in "Douglas Fairbanks in Robin Hood" that the Authors' trio re-named their initial production for him.

Richard, the Crusader, is the first historic hero to win the signal honor of being the featured character in two successive photoplays. In the Frank E. Woods production the thread of his story is picked up to fill the gap in "Rob-

in Hood" from the time that he fled England until his return. All the scenes of the new picture are laid in and Joppa, Palestine, where his dramatic battles with the Saracen hordes staged.

Wallace Berry, who scored new success with his characterization of Richard in the Douglas Fairbanks production, portrays the same role in "Richard, the Lion-Hearted". Chet W. is the director.

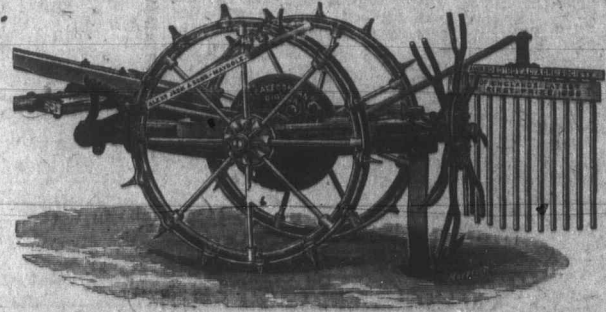
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SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT



Life imprisonment was the punishment finally served, at Chicago by Judge John R. Caverly upon Nathan Le pold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, of New York, and nurse, and 14-year-old Robert Francis. Youth was the controlling factor in Judge Caverly's decision. He said no minor and ever been sentenced to death in Illinois on a plea of guilty. The above picture shows the court room with Judge Caverly on the bench. The lower left seat is occupied by Richard Loeb, and on the right is Nathan Le pold. The upper inset shows the defence counsel, James Campbell, who put up a strong and winning fight to save the boys from the fatal noose.

HANTSPORT

Mr. and Mrs. had for their week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. Corbin, of Halifax, and Miss Vera, of Halifax for the Flower Show.

Rev. Mr. Hutsplid the pulpit on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Crockett guest of Outerbridge, Hants county.

Mrs. P. Beal, guest of Rev. H. The Parsonage in Morristown.

Miss Claire M. organist of the plying a well-earned vacation.

Dr. Shankel is short course of University.

Mrs. Bessie McKenzie, of visiting friends in port.

Mrs. A. L. C. guest of Mrs. Wilton.

Prof. and Mrs. been the guests of Burgess, left for ham, Mass., on Monday in Halifax.

Dr. Connor, Hantsport, was guest of Dr. and her home in New.

Mrs. A. McD. daughter Bertha from a visit with town. Alton Mc.

Mona arrived on Monday, and will visit in Milford, Hants county.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon and Co. were also in Hantsport.

Miss Grace Y. in Digby.

Mrs. Wilda L. is enjoying a visit with her friend, Miss Mr. and Mrs. port, Maine, are vacation with re.

Miss Gladys F. home for the week.

Much sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. and Mrs. George F. visiting his brother's street.

Capt. Young, Wack, spent the family here.

Engineer Fler Daniel Munroe, on Monday.

Mr. Fred Kent, Kentville, where the young friends Mr. Shannon M. get to learn of hope soon to be.

FROM A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT

Editor of the Hantsport Acadian:

Dear Sir,—In of your valuable few lines from California. I think

I came in 1888 the good ship "Sole" from Batavia were one hundred on the trip from

ciaco. Then I ship dollars per month than paying California. I think

hours ride over the took half a day easy in a machine Bear River, rat

Ridge, where fat precious mother, Maggie, Eva, in overjoyed to meet

When they all was one more, John Burdette, before I arrived, a push while playing

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HANTSPORT HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Blois, Sunnyside, had for their week end guest Mrs. E. A. Corbin, of Halifax. Mr. and Mrs. Blois and Miss Verna Blois left on Tuesday for Halifax for the official opening of the Flower Show.

Rev. Mr. Hutchins, of Wolfville, supplied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Crowdis, of Boston, was a recent guest of his uncle, Rev. Mr. Outerbridge, Hants Border.

Mrs. P. Beals, who has been the guest of Rev. F. H. and Mrs. Beals, "The Parsonage", returned to her home in Morrystown on Monday.

Miss Claire McDonald, the efficient organist of the Baptist church, is enjoying a well earned vacation. Mrs. Pope will preside at the organ during her vacation. Ellsworth Morris was the organist on Sunday.

The Shankel is in Halifax taking the short course conducted by Dalhousie University.

Mrs. Bessie Richmond and Mrs. McKenzie, of Portland, Oregon, are visiting friends in Windsor and Hantsport.

Mrs. A. L. O. Phillips has for her guest Mrs. Wiley, of Seattle, Washington.

Prof. and Mrs. P. Bosch, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Burgess, left for their home in Stoneham, Mass., on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Bigney and Mrs. Rice spent Monday in Halifax.

Dr. Connor, a former resident of Hantsport, was in town on Monday.

Miss Julia Brown, who was a recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. Dickie, left for her home in New York last week.

Mrs. A. McDonald and little granddaughter Bertha returned on Monday from a visit with relatives in Bridgeport.

Alton McDonald and little sister Mona arrived on Monday from Boston and will visit Capt. and Mrs. McDonald.

Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. Palley, of Milford, Hants Co., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon and son, of Milton, Queens Co., who are also recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hart.

Miss Grace Young is visiting friends in Digby.

Miss Wilda Long, of Troy, New York, is enjoying a vacation at the home of her friend, Miss Annie Beazley.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brewer, of Southport, Maine, are spending their annual vacation with relatives here.

Miss Gladys Frizale, of Wolfville, was home for the week end.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. J. McDonald (nee Dotti, Starratt), formerly of Hantsport, for the great loss she has sustained through the sudden death of her husband at Toronto recently.

Mrs. F. Jefferson, of Halifax, spent several days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Veinot.

Capt. Lake, who has been spending a holiday with his family here, left for Florida on Monday to rejoin his ship.

Mr. George Folker, of New York, is visiting his brother, Ted Folker, Avon street.

Capt. Young, Master of the Otis Wack, spent the week end with his family here.

Engineer Flemming, of the barge Daniel Munroe, visited his family here on Monday.

Mr. Fred Kennedy left last week for Kentville, where he has a position.

The many friends in Hantsport of Mr. Shannon Morse, Mt. Denison, regret to learn of his serious illness and hope soon to hear of his recovery.

FROM A FORMER HANTSPORT RESIDENT

Editor of the Hantsport Acadian

Dear Sir,—In my recent mail a copy of your valuable paper turned up. A few lines from my brother, Geo. A. Frost, were in the Hantsport news. George preceded me a few years to California. I think he came in 1876, by rail.

I came in 1880 before the mast in the good ship Tam O'Shanter, Capt. Soule from Bath in command. We were one hundred and thirty seven days on the trip from New York to San Francisco. Then I shipped in my first steamboat, the Humboldt, for Eureka. Fifty dollars per month looked better to me than paying fifteen dollars for a 24 hours ride over the Pacific Ocean. From Eureka to Ferndale by stage, 20 miles, took half a day then; now one hour easy in a machine. From Ferndale to Bear River, rather Cape Mendocino Ridge, where father, J. H. Fox, my precious mother, brother George, Sarah, Maggie, Eva, my three sisters, were overjoyed to meet their sailor brother. When they all left Hantsport there was one more, a dear little brother, John Burdette Fox, who died a year before I arrived, scalded by an accidental push while playing with a milker. Poor child, 30 miles from a doctor, he lived 18 days. Mother never changed her clothes in 21 days, the caring for the poor scalded child was so strenuous. Close to his last hours Burdette said, "I wish I could see Brother Bennie before I go, but I will meet him in Heaven. When I read over dear Margaret McCullough's diary in your valuable paper, how quickly I went back to childhood days, when I saw my first experience of Miss McCullough at the

Telegraph instrument with the dots and dashes recorded up on a strip of paper. God bless all such mothers as Margaret McCullough.

Yesterday J. E. Shields, wife daughter Bertha Baldwin, granddaughter Eilda Baldwin; B. A. Frost's wife (nee Flora Marsters), daughter Minnie Taylor, husband Stanley, Elta Dorman and husband Edwin, and Fredric Marsters drove up to Korbek where the three gentlemen mentioned are employed, along with many hundred more. The get together was occasioned by it being Jackie Taylor's natal day number one. With a good dinner administered by Mrs. Taylor, Dorman and Shields, then a few snap shots of year-old Jackie Taylor, who no doubt will soon be thinking of a trip to Churchill's wharf to catch tomcods.

An article in your valuable paper, issue Aug. 14, 1924, editorial, Government Old Age Pension, was nicely read by J. E. Shields, Mr. Shields being a Reader in the Episcopal church. He is a former graduate from Acadia College, Wolfville, the same school his father Augustus Patrick Shields, graduated from. No doubt a few are still in the flesh in Hantsport that heard Rev. Shields preach in Hantsport Baptist church over half a century ago.

B. A. FROST,
Ascata, Humboldt Co., Cal.
Sept. 2, 1924.

LET'S WORK TOGETHER

If this editorial were headed "co-operation" the reader might glance at the heading and pass it on, because "co-operation" is an overworked word. But community co-operation cannot be overdone. Without it we might as well—like the Arab—fold our tents and silently steal away, so far as getting things done for Hantsport.

Co-operation has built nations and kept governments going. No battle was ever won without it. No home can hold family ties together without it. No store or business institution can thrive in its absence. No church can expect to grow without it. The question is, why can we not apply this principle of working together for the general welfare and civic advancement of Hantsport? The answer is, we CAN.

Hantsport has had many things to be proud of in the past. Let us forget the regrettable things and build upon a solid foundation for the future.

We must certainly have worked together in the past or we would not have any town now. Our churches, schools, civic and other organizations are living monuments to the fact that we and those who came before us knew the mighty potency of co-operation.

What we want now is more of it. Let us not say the time is not ripe. The time always is right to do good, to boost, to work in harmony—to cooperate. Let this be our civic salvation.

WILLIAM SUTHERLAND

The death of William Sutherland, a highly respected resident of Mount Denison, took place on Friday night. The late Mr. Sutherland had been in poor health for some time, and during the last few weeks came to Hantsport, where he passed away at the American House, at the age of 82 years. Of the immediate family there are four daughters living: (Minnie) Mrs. Parsons, (Annie) Mrs. Burns, (Maggie) Mrs. Stoddard, (Lola) Mrs. Wallace, and Sadie. His wife predeceased him a year ago.

The funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon from the Baptist church at Mount Denison, conducted by Rev. Dr. Dickie, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a staunch member, and was largely attended. The remains were laid away at the Mount Denison Cemetery.

INSTITUTE MEMBERS WERE HONOR GUESTS

Hantsport Women's Institute were guests of honor of the Falmouth Institute at a mass picnic held at Aberdeen Beach, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 3. Martock and Windsor Forks were also invited, but owing to unavoidable circumstances were unable to be present.

Aberdeen Beach is a private picnic resort, being fitted up with all conveniences for visitors. There is a large space for baseball and tennis, also a building filled with long tables capable of seating three hundred people. The afternoon was spent in talking over institute work, and different methods of carrying on the work in general. At 5.30 supper was announced, and it was a supper indeed. Everything was there

PRIME MINISTER'S SON OFF FOR WORLD TOUR



Ramsay MacDonald bidding farewell to his son Malcolm when he left London for his world tour. He is in Canada now, having arrived at Quebec a few days ago.

to please the appetite, and the tables fairly groaned with delicious viands, which had been prepared by the Falmouth Institute.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the hostesses.

ROBBERING AND HOW TO PREVENT IT

Pees, like some people, if given the opportunity will steal from one another rather than work. This, however, happens usually only in times of scarcity.

A robber bee is characterized by its nervous actions. It will fly cautiously up to the entrance of a hive, and when it sees a bee coming towards it, it will quickly dodge back; or it will search the walls of a hive in the hope of finding some unguarded crack through which it can crawl. An old offender has a shiny appearance, the result of crawling through cracks or being roughly handled by the guards. On leaving the robbed hive, it has a plump look and unlike the inmates which come out leisurely, it is in a hurry and takes wing with difficulty owing to its load.

It is the beekeeper's duty, therefore, to prevent his bees acquiring such dishonest habits by seeing that no sweetens are left exposed at any time; that all cracks and openings in the walls of the hive are closed with mud or clay; that when hives are opened the work be done speedily; that feeding, if any, be done in the evening; and that entrances be consistent in size with the strength of the colony. Should disease be present, these measures are doubly necessary to prevent not only robbing and its disastrous results, but also what is infinitely worse, the spreading of the disease.

Should robbing start, prompt action is necessary. Contract the entrance so that but two or three bees can enter abreast; then, strew a handful of coarse grass over it and sprinkle with a dipperful of water. This puts the robbers at a disadvantage, as the bees of the colony will attack them as they crawl through the wet grass.

Should the robbed colony, however, stand in danger of being overcome carry it down into the cellar and leave it there until the uproar subsides. Coal oil wiped over all junctions of the hives acts as an excellent repellent.

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Here are but a few names of famous men—Judge Haliburton (Sam Slick), famous author; Samuel Cunard, founder of the famous steamship line; Sir John Thompson, Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Robert Borden, Premiers of Canada; Provo Wallis, who brought the Shannon into Halifax after her famous fight and rose to be admiral of the fleet; Wellesford and Parker, two soldier heroes of the Russian war in 1855.

OVERWORK

When Uncle Zeke was forty-eight
The neighbors used to say,
"He's lookin' pretty bad, of late,
He ought to learn to play.
A man toward fifty's past his prime,
He oughtn't to forget
If he keeps at it all the time
Hard work will kill him yet."

When Uncle Zeke was sixty-two
The parson shook his head,
"Ezekiel has too much to do;
He's all worn out," he said.
"A man of family has no right
His health to disregard;
I fear he'll pass away some night,
He's working far too hard."

When Uncle Zeke was eighty-four,
Still toiling on his farm,
The boys around the country store
Were moved to grave alarm.
Said they: "He ought to drop the plow
An' spend his time in bed;
He's worked too long already now,
Next year 'll see him dead!"

Now Uncle Zeke is ninety-three
And works from rise of sun
Till dusk, then stays around to see
The evening milking done,
He's strong of limb and clear of eye,
No job he'll ever shirk,
And still the neighbors prophesy
He'll die of overwork!

James J. Montague
I BELIEVE—

STRIKING FACTS ABOUT PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA

Nova Scotia has an area of 21,428 miles, of which 360 square miles are lakes or water.

Nova Scotia's population is 525,000 making us the sixth province in Canada for population; one person in 17 in Canada is ours.

We have large colleges, and support a larger proportion of educational institutions than any other province in Canada. We have 2,800 public schools, over 3,200 teachers, over 115,000 pupils, and spend over \$1,250,000 on education.

There are published 12 daily newspapers, 8 semi-weekly, and 44 weekly, besides a number of trade and other journals each month.

Our fisheries rank among the most valuable in the world and we gather over \$7,500,000 from the sea.

In the famous Annapolis Valley we verily have a Garden of Eden, with over 2,000,000 apple trees, yielding 700,000 to 2,000,000 barrels of apples a year, with an average of 900,000 barrels. Experts say we can and will yet produce ten million barrels a year.

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CHAPTER XVI

From a folding chair on the after deck of the Haida Rod looked back at Hawk's Nest. The cruiser's screw churned up bubbles and foam astern. Dent Island and the gray stone house with its red roof, the pale green of grass and the dusky hue of the woods behind were receding fast. They vanished altogether as they rounded the Gildard light and stood away south.

"I was born here," Rod said simply. "I never went home but I was glad to be there. I never left it before without being sorry to go."

"Aren't you sorry now?" Mary asked.

"No. Are you?"

"No," she said frankly. "It was lovely—it is lovely. Everybody was good to me. I was quite happy there until—"

"Precisely. It's Grove's bailiwick when it comes to a show-down. That being so, it's no place for us. I'm glad to be on the water. I'd rather paddle my own canoe than be a guest on somebody's ship. It won't perhaps seem so pleasant for you, old thing."

"The only unpleasantness I dread," Mary rejoined, "is your beginning to wonder if it was worth while, after all. A lot of people aren't going to be able to see me with a microscope, Rod. You don't seem to get that, yet. I can't play the game the way they do. They're so chesty and cocksure. All their lives they've lived well, dressed well, gone where they chose with perfect assurance, accepted by their equals and deferred to by their inferiors. They have me at a disadvantage. I don't speak their favorite shibboleths, or see life from the same angle. I'm not sure," she hesitated wistfully, "that I will ever want to. But it would be dreadful if you found that you were being severely penalized for marrying out of your class, as they probably put it. That's the only thing I have any reason to dread. All the other possibilities," she made a quick inclusive gesture, "being poor; making the most of a little, longing for the unattainable, a great effort for a few simple pleasures—I know them all. They aren't so very terrible. They don't frighten me. But for you, because of me, to cut loose from everything and every one that has made up your life and then begin to chafe under it—that does."

Rod glanced over his shoulder. The deck was empty. He put one arm around her, shook her gently.

"I'll pull some saveman stuff on you," he threatened tenderly. "I never hear you talk like that again. In the first place, you mean more to me than anything or anybody. In the second place, nobody is going to penalize me. They won't try. There's no real reason for my being annoyed. While the governor is horribly annoyed about what he calls a disgraceful quarrel, he doesn't even dream of blaming you. He lays it to his sons' fiery tempers and shameful lack of self-control. He'll cool off. And having known you, he'd never dream of following Grove's lead. I know him. He's fair. If we should happen to live in Vancouver this winter, and we are to go out, you'll see that most of these high-flying friends of Grove's will conveniently forget, and be very nice to us—because we are what we are. There are enough people of some consequence to accept us as such and the rest will follow suit. Oh, I know them. They're just like sheep. That's a side issue. It can't make any difference to us.

Mary smuggled her hand in his.

"I hope not," she murmured.

"It can't," he declared. "It wouldn't make much difference if it worked out the other way. No," he grew reflective. "I'm like you. I don't see things from the same angle as most of the sleek, comfortably insulated people I know, nor do I want to. I want to know where I'm going, and why. It isn't just enough to eat, drink and be merry. I'm lucky in a material way, perhaps. I happened to be well-born, and I've had security wrapped about me like a blanket. Still, I doubt the value and permanence of a lot of things that many people—my own people included—take for granted. I'm true to form, just as Grove does. Only I think his form is rotten. That's why we don't hitch. I know we should have come to an open break sometime, if you had never been a factor. I despise him because he is what he is and does what he does. And he hates me because he's impressionable enough to feel that contempt. Anybody or anything that Grove can't dominate he dislikes. You know, I have a fancy that he sometimes feels he's shoddy, and tries to bolster himself up with the high-and-mighty pose. But after all that doesn't matter, either. I'm what I am and I shouldn't be cocky about it, I suppose."

Rod sat silent, recalling that scene in the library. All the hot anger had evaporated long ago. He was not sorry. No. But he was sobered. It had given him food for thought. His mind was so made that it fed upon, digested for good or evil, every crisis, each outstanding event, the significance of whatever stirred him deeply. Certain phases of a conversation with his father kept recurring to him. Certain things had been said—some calmly enough—some with a touch of passion. Rod thought again with impatience that his father had a blind spot where Grove was concerned. But it didn't matter much now. He had taken the only reasonable course open to him after that encounter with Grove, the simplest, most dignified solution. He could not remain at Hawk's Nest and preserve peace and dignity. He recognized that there lurked in him an eagerness to clash with Grove on almost any provocation. They were fundamentally antagonistic; they had always been. The gulf between them grew wider as they matured; the deep-rooted distrust and dislike of motive and action became more profound.

"It's as well the break came," he said aloud. "It was bound to come over something. I've simply been marking time. Now I can do—whatever I can do. Both of us. We don't have to

follow copy any more. We can make our own copy. I rather like the idea."

"It listens good to me," Mary said gayly. And they smiled in understanding.

"For the first time in my life I feel like a free man," Rod said abruptly. "Isn't that queer? Free in the sense that I am absolutely at liberty to work out my own destiny, in so far as any man can do that."

Phil came up from below. He sat on the low cabin roof, dangling his long legs.

"Well, children," he said cheerfully, "what's your program? Going to stay in town awhile?"

"Not long," Rod answered. "We're going to resume our interrupted honeymoon. For a month or so. After that—well, I'm not making any cast-iron plans."

"When you get ready to do something, let me know," Phil remarked. "This blow-up has sort of opened my eyes. It made me realize that our family solidarity is badly shot. Grove feels his oats more and more. If I weren't more or less passive, and if I didn't get a certain amount of satisfaction out of carrying on the show—and there's the governor to consider; he is a good sort—I'd quit. I may have to by and by. I won't stand interference. If I have to drop the reins, I'd like to take a whirl at something that might grow. We could make a go of it in timber, I think. We both know our ground there. I've got some money put aside. Think it over, Rod."

"I surely will. Only, as I said, I've no cast-iron plan. If you want to make money, why not try finance? A la Grove. That seems to be gorgeously productive."

"Finance. Huh!" Phil snorted. "I'd rather play poker. I don't want so much to get something as to do something."

"Andy Hall said to me once that the fundamental principle of modern business is to do everybody and do 'em first," Rod drawled. "That ought to give you scope enough."

They laughed. It was a quaint notion. As such it amused them.

Rod's expressed intention of resuming their honeymoon was based on an impulse with which, when he defined it, he found Mary in complete accord. She was no echo. So that with her interest assured he proceeded to act.

A week later they embarked from a coastwise steamer on a float landing before a logging camp halfway up Bute Inlet. They had doubled on their course and come back to a point within thirty miles of Hawk's Nest, to go on a voyage of exploration and discovery, as Rod whimsically defined their object. It was indeed a whim, based soundly on appreciation of natural beauty, of dusky still forests, of the sound of running water, the indefinable charm of wooded lowlands in which they could move untrammelled together, that had brought them here with a sturdy rowboat, a tent and bedding, fishing tackle and a supply of food. Camp fires and wood smoke at twilight amid these cathedral stillnesses that filled the untouched forest. This was what they desired, for the time.

A fisherman's motor boat carried them across the inlet for a sun, towing their loaded skiff astern.

"That's the place," Rod pointed.

"Let us off here."

The fisherman chugged away. They sat in the boat, oars in hand, gazing up at cliffy slopes where the forest opened about mossy knolls, where ledges of bare rock barred the hillside, rising up and up from a short reach of gravelly shore where tiny wavelets broke at spaced intervals. The inlet ran north-west, curved away among high mountains. Far above and on either side of this great arm of the sea low hills rose to cliffs, cliffs ran up to precipices, and a jumble of cliff, gorge, precipice and virgin forest lifted far above to high, aloof peaks, domed with snow and studded with glaciers. The afternoon wind was but a sigh. All that sweep of sea and mountain range brooded in the sun as voiceless and changeless as when the first Norquay sailed the Hermes to Dent Island more than a century before.

"This is something like, eh?" Rod murmured.

Mary nodded.

"It makes me feel," she said. "I can't quite express it. I might if I had wings."

"I have a feeling too," Rod confessed. "But it's mostly one of emptiness in my tummy. Let's get ashore and make a pot of tea. The Hiding Place is just around the corner. Give way, men! I'll show you a sight."

They turned a jutting point and met a slow outsetting current. Against it Rod made his way straight for a cliff which, as they drew near, opened like a great window chiselled in solid granite. Through this the stream flowed, sluggish, deep, a pale-green transience between high, damp walls. Somewhere within rose the monotony of a waterfall. The square framed broad-leaved maple tops. Higher up the pointed crests of cedar and the tufted plumes of fir stood sharp against the sky.

They rowed into the cleft, worked upstream between high, flood-scoured walls 'n that chasm the sun touched only for an hour at noon. It was dark and cool. Mosses and maidenhair fern lightened black crevices with streaks and clusters of green. There was a beauty about this gloomy cleft flooded with liquid emerald, but it was not a beauty one wished to embrace or linger with too long—too cavernous, a little grim. Mary drew closer to Rod in that hundred-yard passage. But she slipped her hands when the boat drew clear. They came out into sunlight. They had passed through the canyon as if it were a door which led to a tiny flat cupped in the hills, all fear of dense forest, almost free from thickets, clothed with bracken. The creek wimpled between low, gravelly banks. Between two maples on one side stood a small cabin of split cedar. Fireweed lifted blazing heads in a mass on one bank. A small grassy plot surrounded the cabin and the two trees. Rod sidled the boat in to the bank.

"Isn't this some little retreat?" he asked. "I came in here once long ago when we were cruising up the Inlet. Only had half an hour or so to spare. The crowd was in a hurry. I've always wanted to come back and camp awhile. This creek comes out of a lake in the woods about two miles inland. They say it's a gem. A trapper built the blazed line to the lake."

"Lovely, lovely," his wife murmured. "And this country of ours has so many of these beauty spots. Sometimes I think we were so fortunate to be born here, Rod. If one could paint this. If one were a combination of Corot and Turner."

"Maybe one is," Rod commented genially. "How do we know what we can do? We've never had a chance to try. But you'd have to splash this on a seven-league canvas with brushes of comet's hair. There are some things man can't reduce to his own dimensions; can't reproduce in miniature. How could you get the effect of this? Lofty heights. Sweeping distances. Big forests of big trees. It's all too—too superlative. Nature was in the mood for a grand gesture when she fashioned this part of the world, Mary mine."

They made camp under the maples after a look at the moldy cabin interior. The stars came out to speckle a cloudless sky as they sat over their evening fires. They turned into blankets spread on a layer of fern and hemlock boughs, a moon sailed up from behind the Coast range. It touched all the hills with a silver glow, filled every hollow with ebony shade. They fell asleep to the lullaby of falling water and wakened with the sun on their faces.

They had no definite object beyond an impulse to be alone, to live awhile in those peaceful solitudes, to fish or loaf or climb as the spirit moved them. But that eagerness of spirit which has sent men alike to the Poles and into equatorial jungles to look on the face of new lands touched them both. They spent a day setting their camp to rights, after the fashion of the trapper's blazed line. It led them by dim marks through dense thickets, across lowlands where cedars stood like brown columns supporting the sky itself, their feet planted in thick mosses and sunless shade, over fir-clad ridges where a west wind made a faint sighing among branches a hundred feet above their heads, and brought them at last out on the shore of the lake.

The numerous lakes bordering close to the heavily wooded, mountainous coast of British Columbia have two characteristic features. They lie in granite pockets with steep-to, rocky shores. Or they spread in low basins shrouded in dense forest, and the margins of such lakes are a marshy jungle. In either case they are difficult of approach. One must clamber over jagged rocks or work up through crabbable, devil's club, and sedgy grass, and the Granite Pool on Valdez was one exception. This nameless lake proved another. Rod and Mary came to it through a heavy stand of cedar, massive old trees which had killed all the lesser growth in their centuries of possession. No sapling grew there, or bush or fern or vine. The level ground was carpeted with moss, which alone could thrive in that sunless place. Over this soft footing Rod and his wife walked by the little creek, flowing with faint murmurs in its bed of worn pebbles, till they stepped suddenly out of that semi-gloom into the brightness of open water rippling in the sun.

A low, gravelly beach at their feet; wooded point jutting into the lake; an island lifting a green mound of trees a little distance offshore; the lake itself bending away out of sight behind the base of a great mountain five miles distant,—this they saw.

"You never know what you're going to find back in these hills," Rod sat down on the gravel. "Let's sit and look. It's worth a look."

"If we just had a boat up here," Mary observed, after a little.

"We'll have one, Rod," answered promptly. "I have an ax. There are plenty of cedars. I can make a dugout of some sort in three or four days. Let's move camp up here. There'll be trout umpty-inches long in here, and I would like to see what's behind that mountain. We'll certainly explore this."

He made good his word, in sweat and strain. It was not a light task to shoulder-pack their food, bedding and tent over that pathless two miles. Nor was the shaping of a rude canoe from a cedar log so easy and simple as it seemed. But they accomplished these things. And having done so, they viewed their works with sinful pride, blessing the wilderness for what it bestowed upon them.

They meant to stay two or three weeks. Their food was reckoned on that basis. But they had been liberal in their estimate of supplies. There were trout in lake and stream. The blue grouse hooted on every hillside, and when they wanted meat they hunted these toothsome birds. Three weeks lengthened to four, to five—six. It became an amiable contest, a matter of achievement, to see how long they could live off the wilderness. They were completely happy there. It was as if some invisible barrier stood between them and the world of their fellows, where griefs and pains and irritations, hopes and fears and joys and ambitions ran their course. They did not know what went on beyond the rampart of their seclusion. And they did not care. They were too absorbed in what each day might bring forth as it passed. They experienced deep, ecstatic satisfactions in the simplest things. Rod began to work on his book again, in the intervals of hunting, fishing, exploring. He would lift his head, stirred out of concentration on imaginary things, at the sound of Mary singing as she moved about certain tasks. And he would smile. It was good; it was what he wanted. Peace to dream, to catch and transfix incident, character, a colorful background for heroic undertakings, as they mysteriously took form in his brain. To love and be loved to get something more out of life than just a leisurely existence; to create something of worth above the measure of money. He was aware that this was just an interlude. They would have to go back to the business of living along more conventional lines. They were both too much the normal product of society even to wish complete withdrawal from their kind. That would only be an evasion. But it was an experience they

found to their liking. They promised themselves to repeat it often.

"We're barbarians at heart," Mary said once. "Our so-called culture is only skin-deep. Otherwise we couldn't sit over a camp fire and be content. Nor lie in the sun on a mossy rock and feel that blissful sense of complete well-being. People with instincts like those should survive more or less complicitly, almost anything but loss of freedom. What do shops and streets, cities and frontiers mean to us here?" She waved a hand at the ring of mountains, the enclosing forest. "People handicap themselves when they grow too civilized."

"I wonder if they do?" Rod mused. "Perhaps. I know people who would be very uncomfortable here—where we have been quite at our ease. It seems to be instinctive with us. We get quite a kick out of it too. Maybe we're throw backs. Why shouldn't hereditary impressions crop out?"

"Maybe," Mary said reflectively. "By all accounts Roderick the first was a man who didn't mind long journeys or isolation. He must have felt at home here, or he wouldn't have made his home in a savage country. Certainly it wasn't compulsory with him. You don't have to throw back very far, Rod, to the self-sufficient type."

"And my people," she continued presently. "They were originally New York—upstate, not Manhattan—before the Boston Tea Party. Then they went across the Alleghenies. They went to Illinois. Both my grandfathers fought in the Civil War. When they came back from that Minnesota was too crowded for them. With half a dozen other families they trekked across the plains—in '67. They drove their stakes in southern Idaho on the banks of the Snake. Al-

ways restless. Always striking out into new territory. Wanting elbow room. Determined to have it. Never taking root or home in one generation. They went into virgin country with their cattle and horses, their tools and rifles, and made their lives there. They were always independent, always competent to fend for themselves. Why shouldn't we have an instinct for this, Rod? It's in our blood."

"Well, we'll do it again," Rod phoned. "This is a good retreat. We'll come back."

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