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OTTAWA LETTER

Mr. Editor:

It has been some time since I have written you a line, so I think I will send you a letter, trusting you may find it of sufficient interest to insert in your valuable paper which I receive regularly every week and which I prize very highly for the pith of news from the various places of interest in the county, and the province generally.

I notice that the war element is as equally strong down there as it is here, and per capita are sending as many recruits as the more populous portions of our Dominion. The City of Ottawa alone has sent over 3000, and they are still enlisting. Our city has been quite a headquarters for the mustering and drilling of troops, and all the Western contingents have passed through here and reviewed by General Hughes and the Governor General.

And what splendid bodies of men they are! The pick of our young manhood, the very class of men our young country so much needs. It really has seemed sad to me to see the cream of our land marched away to be slaughtered by those whom we have come to believe have no mercy, no pity, but cruel and blood-thirsty as the old Huns and Vandals from whom they have descended. It is hard to conceive of a more barbarous war carried on even among savage nations. Surely Germany has shown all the ferocity of the Huns and Vandals under Attila of old displayed when they overran the Roman Empire, and the dark ages followed.

And when we think of the command that the Kaiser gave to his troops when they marched out of Berlin to begin their treaty-breaking carnage against innocent, law-abiding Belgium, we can fully understand the terrible revelling in mutilation and cruelty that has been carried on by those cruel Germans. These were the words: "Go forth and conquer as Attila of old conquered." This alone was sufficient to show the civilized world that no mercy or justice could be expected at their hands.

I think it well that we all should be educated in the difference between the Kaiser and the Emperor. We must remember that from Southern Germany came the Mendelssohns, Beethovens, Handels and Haydens, and men not only skilled in music and letters, but in science and arts. But if we follow closely the pages of history we will find that Prussia produced but few if any great men of letters. The old war-like spirit, the spirit of the ancient Huns, from whom they descended, was paramount, and it is a well known fact that up to the 14th century they had not been christianized, still pagan in their be-

liefs. How easy for us to see as Prussia grew strong in military training, and as she gradually overran the more peaceful but weaker portions, they compelled them too to embrace militarism; hence the awful condition in which the world is witnessing today—the iron fist of Bismark, who launched the insane doctrine that Germany must rule the world.

Surely the Kaiser and the war-lords are fitting examples of the class, "Whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad." For surely theirs is a madness, highly personified; but we feel like quoting the old Latin quotation, "Fiat justitia ruat coelum." And we all, and indeed the whole civilized world feels that justice will take place and eventually this modern Nero will be crushed to powder, and the world will be able to settle down in peaceful and quiet avocations once more; and let us hope military despotism will be crushed out forever.

I am pleased to note that crop prospect in this part of Canada is excellent. For some time it was quite dry, but the recent warm rains have made all nature to rejoice, and the prospects are now for an abundant crop. How much every pound of foodstuffs will be needed to feed the millions on the fighting line in Europe. It is to be hoped that all parts of our mighty Empire may produce an abundance of all products required for the sustenance of the human race—I feel like excepting the Kaiser's domain.

Feeling I may be trespassing upon your valuable space, and trusting you will find this of sufficient interest to publish,

I remain ever,

H. W. M.

DEATH OF MRS. FRANK RITCHIE

(Morning Chronicle)

Annapolis, June 21.—The death of Mrs. Frank Ritchie, wife of Frank Ritchie of this town, occurred here this morning after a brief illness, aged about forty years. The deceased was well known and highly respected. A husband and two children survive her, also father and mother, three sisters, Mrs. Hibbard of Truro; Mrs. A. B. Crowe of Annapolis, and Mrs. Stella at home, and three brothers, Archie and Ernie in the United States, and Edward at home.

The town of Kentville was visited by two fires last week. Early Wednesday morning the new skating Arena and the D. A. R. storehouse nearby were destroyed. The loss is in the vicinity of \$30,000, insurance on the Arena was \$5,000. Thursday night the mill and woodworking factory of Charles Reiden was burned. Loss estimated at from \$6,000 to \$8,000, with no insurance.

WESTERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AT WESTPORT

Fifty-one Churches Represented at The Annual Convention

(Morning Chronicle)

Westport, June 19.—Forty-one churches of the Western Baptist Association of Nova Scotia were represented in the convention which opened here last Thursday evening. The visitors have been heartily welcomed and have entered into the business of the sessions with much zest. The opening session was given to a consideration of social and moral reform. The report on temperance was given by Rev. Mr. Crandall, and was pointed and practical. The speaker of the evening was Rev. H. R. Grant, Secretary of the Nova Scotia Alliance. He explained the difference between the Scott Act and the Nova Scotia Temperance Act with respect to important points.

The morning session Friday was taken up with business. The election of officers was practically a re-election and resulted as follows: President, Rev. S. S. Pool; Vice-president, Rev. L. H. Crandall; Clerk, Rev. B. D. Knott; Assistant Clerk, Rev. F. H. Eaton; Treasurer, Mr. E. O. Cogins. The Digest of Letters was given by Rev. B. D. Knott, and reported the addition of one new church recently organized at Mt. Hanley, the addition of 211 to membership, with one new church dedicated at Chester, and the addition of one new Sunday School.

The new church was formally welcomed into the Association by the Moderator and four new pastors were introduced and received the cordial reception of the delegates. They were Rev. Messrs. Kinsman, Webb, Lytle and Lindsay. They all responded briefly.

The reports on obituaries made reverential mention of several departed members. The report on systematic beneficence is worthy of special mention and evoked an earnest and lively discussion. The report on Sunday Schools and the discussion following gave a marked impression of the good accruing from the voluntary services given to the Sunday School department.

Since the Island of Porto Rico has come under the dominion of the United States many traffic improvements have been installed and electric trolley cars are in use in all the larger cities. In Mayaguez, the third largest city, however, the antiquated horse car line still remains in use, and very antique it looks. There is only accommodation for three passengers besides the driver, but at busy times "strap hangers" are not objected to.

THE WEEK'S WAR NEWS

French Troops Continue to Force the Enemy Back and Carry New Trenches

PARIS, June 21.—The following official communication was issued by the War Office tonight:

"In the sector to the north of Arras the situation is unchanged. We have conserved all the ground conquered, and today only local infantry actions occurred, and these have not modified the fronts. The artillery combat continued.

"Our air squadrons effectively bombed the aviation parks of the enemy, setting fire to four hangars and damaging two aeroplanes and one captive balloon.

"On the Western border of the Argonne, on both sides of the road from Vienne Le Chateau to Binerville, the Germans on Sunday night delivered a violent attack, for which preparations had been made by an intense bombardment with asphyxiating projectiles. Our advance line was bent at certain points, two companies being buried in the overturned trenches.

"An immediate counter-attack enabled us to regain almost the entire extent of our initial positions. The struggle was particularly spirited.

"On the heights of the Meuse, in the sector of the Calonne trench, after having repulsed counter-attacks by the enemy, we enlarged today our gains of yesterday. A first attack made only slight progress. A second attack, on the other hand enabled us to carry new trenches to the east of those which we had occupied on Sunday. This gain has been conserved, as were the preceding gains.

"In Lorraine our reconnoitering parties, keeping in contact with the enemy, reached the works to the west of Gondrexon, and found them unoccupied." The Germans, in their withdrawal movement, have halted on the line of trenches to south of Leintrey.

"In Alsace our progress has continued in the course of uninterrupted engagements. After having taken the cemetery of Metzeral, we occupied the station and then attacked the village, which we captured after a very hot fight. We have reached the outlets south of that locality and have pushed our line to the east, 550 yards beyond the outskirts in the direction of Meyerhof.

"In these actions we took some prisoners, bringing the total since yesterday up to more than 200.

"To the north of the Fecht River the enemy attempted an attack on our positions at Reich-Ackerkopf, but was completely repulsed."

WAR BRIEFS

Notice in London Times. "An officer wishes to thank the numerous persons whose offer of skin he appreciates. He almost regrets his inability to accept more than one." This shows how great the sympathy with wounded soldiers is.

The members of the new Coalition Government of Great Britain took their places in Parliament without election. An Act of Parliament was passed permitting them to do so.

The subscriptions of Nova Scotia to the Canadian Patriotic Fund have reached \$280,000. Of this sum, \$156,589 came from Halifax.

By declaring war Italy has come into possession of Austrian and German ships now in Italian ports to the value of \$20,000,000.

The 48th Canadian Highlanders went into the battle at Langemarch 887 strong. Only 196 answered the roll call after the battle. But the Canadians saved the day.

When Rev. C. W. Gordon, (Ralph Connor) was about to leave for the front as Chaplain, a cheque for the purchase of a field-kitchen was given to him at a mass meeting of his church.

German submarines have sunk about 100 merchant-men, many of them neutrals. But, 20,000 cargoes have crossed the submarine zone in safety.

Premier Asquith is the first British Premier in history to visit the actual scene of hostility. He toured the battle front, and saw the shells bursting, besides visiting the trenches and hospitals.

Huntley R. Drummond of Montreal has donated \$100,000 for the purchase of 125 Maxim guns to be used by the expeditionary forces. The Minister of Finance has voiced the deep thanks of the Dominion.

Rev. Dr. Herridge, late Moderator of the General Assembly said he had two sons both of whom are in the war, and if he had a dozen he would send them every one.

Mr. A. R. Coffin, of the Truro News, has donated a machine gun, costing \$500, to the Militia Department. Pictures donated by Canadian Artists realized \$10,442 for the Natural Patriotic Fund.

A Canadian Aviator, Warnford was the first to bring down a Zeppelin, a feat of great daring. For this act King George awarded him a Victoria Cross.

Three Indians from St. Mary's Reservation, New Brunswick have desired enlistment in the 55th battalion. Four hundred Italian priests were called to the colors. The Pope addressed them on the subject of their duty.

J. R. Mott is authority for the statement that fifty per cent of the pastors in France and Germany are in their respective armies.

Lloyd George says the fate of England depends upon the workmen, in the manufacture of munitions of war. An Amsterdam paper states that Prussian losses alone have reached a total of 1,388,000 men.

Over 250 payments have already been made under the new scale of pensions fixed by order-in-council for wounded or disabled soldiers or the families of soldiers who have died in active service.

EXTRACT OF LETTER FROM CAPT. JAMES H. TUPPER.

High Seas, S. S. Saxonia,

May 21st,

I am more than pleased to be able to write you from here. We left a day earlier than we expected we would, and it brought everything at a hustle. Most remarkable to relate I am at my normal good health after nearly 24 hours of sea voyage. It is quite smooth, and today is fine. There must be 2,500 men on board and there seems room for all. It does seem funny to see such a vast expanse of water—no end to it. We sighted a steamer miles away this morning and could see the top and spars, but not her hull. Later we could see her hull but was not very near, we looked with our glasses. The 22nd is a French-Canadian battery, and the officers are a fine lot of fellows.

Capt. Holt and I are in a state room together. I do not know how I felt leaving the home land. It was my first experience and everything was new and strange. I am quite in love with a sea voyage now, but if it gets rough and I get sick I may think differently. The only eventual time we had was when we arrived in what they call "The Danger Zone" when we were all ordered to be in readiness to take to the boats, but nothing occurred. We arrived at Plymouth, from there took train for East Sandling, over 200 miles going at the rate of 60 miles an hour and making few stops. The country is very pretty here, as far as we could see were Hawthorne hedges in bloom.

Extracts From Letter Dated June 8th

Most of the officers and men are in town or towns as there are four or five near here. Another officer and I went down to Hyrtie (about 1 1/2 miles) last night. It was my first trip out of camp and I went mostly to get some ice cream, but there was not a bit to be had. There are no lights allowed that would be a guide to German air craft, so it is hard for strangers to find their way. One night three or four together lost their way and did not get in until about two o'clock in the morning. As luck would have it we got back, as we took our bearings carefully going down.

The towns are pretty, the streets are a little narrow, but the towns are old, which accounts for it.

There is quite a lot of detail work here at first until we get into shape and the system.

A uniform and Canadian is a passport to almost any place I guess in England, and I hope we can make it a passport to many places in Germany. With all joking aside, I am glad for one thing, and that is that people here seem to realize what this war is. At home it was in some quarters treated too much as a joke, it is no joke.

The daily routine is sometimes a little tiresome, but it is the only means to the end which is to be as efficient as possible. I cannot imagine any worse torment or more of what hell must be like than to have this war raging and not be able to take part in it, knowing as I do what it means and the need for true men. I have never been so thankful for a healthy body, temperate habits and all that goes to make up a strong man.

I with eleven more officers are taking a course of six days in musketry. There are different courses to take, and I think we have our turn at each course which will keep us at work for some time. Our first drill is at 6.30 to 7.30, from 9 to 12.45, from 2 to 5, and all the company office work beside. All our officers are on the course, so we have to take our regular part of other duties besides.

Remember me to Mr. Prat, Mr. Williams and all friends who enquire. DeBlois Anderson is quite sick in hospital. Hope he will soon be well again. He is a good soldier. Give my best regards to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson.

A recent New York despatch states the Court of Appeals denied the application of Becker for an re-argument on its decision affirming sentence of Death Unless Governor Whitman pardons him, or the United States Supreme Court interposes, he must die week of July 12.

On account of the stringency of money matters in Vancouver there is a big cut in official salaries. The city engineer gets a cut from \$6,000 to \$5,000. The water-works engineer and two under-engineers are dismissed. The laborers get a cut of 75 cents a day. The cut of all civil officials is from 50 per cent. to ten per cent.



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At the age of fifteen he graduated from the High School in Lawrencetown, studied at home and secured an "A" license at sixteen, taught two years, and went to Acadia University, from which he graduated in two years, getting his B. A.

He then taught two years in the province, one in Margareville and two at Westport—after which he entered Yale University, from which he graduated in three years with the degrees of M. A. and Ph.D.

Brown University then secured his services in the Mathematical Department, and with the exception of a year and a half spent in the University of Göttingen, his energies and exceptionally brilliant talents have been devoted to his labors in Brown.

A year ago he was made a Fellow of the American Society of Art and Science, in recognition of his valuable research work. This year he is at the head of the Mathematical Department of Brown University where he also has charge of the Observatory.

As an instructor and administrator he has proved his worth, and at the age of thirty-seven years is easily in the foremost rank of educators.

His many friends will be glad to hear of the success that has crowned years of strenuous labor and study.

Of an exceedingly retiring nature, staunch in his friendships, true to his ideals, which have been set high, he is certainly a man whom we delight to know, and place alongside the many to whom in our hearts we render tribute, as represent the best manhood of the Province of Nova Scotia.

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A METHODIST GATHERING IN BERWICK.

The Methodist ministers with their representative laymen, had their gathering called Annual District Meeting in this little town famous for its Camp-meetings, and the glow and gladness remains and will abide for many a night watch to come. They assembled from various parts of the Annapolis Valley, and in the Methodist language are called "The Annapolis District." There were about 17 ministers on the roll when it was called, but some of them were away. The venerable Dr. Jost, because of Secretarial duties pertaining to the Conference and College, was excused. This devoted minister of the Methodist Church has always been at the front with educational duties and has kept both eyes upon the rising ministry. Every young man of worth has found in him a real friend and fellow-worker, while the older men have had in him a genial, gracious brother, who has held the banner aloft through all the Circuit life of his more than fifty years of ministry. It has neither hung down nor been wrested away. He has "kept the faith."

Another absentee was the Rev. Wm. Ryan of Auburn, through illness. This devoted Christian minister has served the Church for over sixty years, but just now he is feeling the infirmities of age, and it is a pathetic sight to see this brave soldier of Jesus Christ, who has always been in the front firing line being borne back to the rear, in weakness and pain. But he has a high place on the roll of honor, and his brethren will long remember his labors and example. Two of the retired ministers, the Revs. Joseph Gaetz and W. H. Evans, were there and took a good share in the work of the sessions, suggesting and advising as the case needed. An atmosphere of devotion was all about the proceedings, and every part of the work was reviewed with frankness and sincerity that bodes well for this Church in the coming days.

Although the home field of the nation is crimson with sacrifice, yet not a single part of this Church's life has fallen behind. This blood-thread has been interwoven all through and through the year's work both in Church and Sunday School, and all other parts of this Christian system. There is hardly a Church but has its member under the colors, and some of them more than two or three. It is a part of a great Church that has given more than twenty-five battalions, four thousand strong, to fight this fight of honor and righteousness under the Union Jack. More than thirty-five of its ministers are at the front, while scores of others are serving in port or in camp. But away from the sounds of guns these men have been doing their work in quietness and confidence, and the records tell of victory in secret places.—of 247 more children in Sunday school, of 55 more in adult Bible Classes, of 18 more on Cradle Roll, of larger giving to Missions, of more than 60 who have joined the Church, of beautiful church edifices costing nine or ten thousand dollars, of the urgent demand for more ministers in this beautiful Valley of Annapolis.

The Berwick people showed them noble hospitality, and gave them a banquet on Thursday evening in the vestry. I should have said the people living and worshipping around Berwick, such as Grafton, etc.

The concluding evangelistic service of Thursday evening brought into the hearts of people attending it, resolves after the best life and service.

Listening to reports and discussions, one felt the earnestness and zeal of this noble band of men for the highest life of the land. To keep inviolate the sanctity of Sabbath quiet, to safeguard the life of our soldiers both in camp and village from the subtle, aggressive drink traffic, and to keep the best Christian paper, and especially the "Wesleyan" in our homes, and spread the kindling fires of sincere Christian devotion wherever they went, were themes that stirred the listeners. I think the future has in store great things for these Methodist people all through this far-famed-Valley.

ORLOOKER.

RHEUMATISM ARRESTED

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\$16,000,000 SUBWAY OPENED IN NEW YORK

New York, June 19.—The new Fourth Avenue Subway line in Brooklyn, the construction of which cost about \$16,000,000 and occupied nearly six years, was officially opened today. The route runs to Coney Island.

Middleton

A. C. Potter has been a recent visitor in town.

Master Lawrence Morris is home from King's College.

Senator Ross arrived from Halifax and is at "Ruthlands."

Mrs. Wm. Eaton spent last week at her home in Springfield.

Rev. K. D. Porte was in town last week visiting old friends.

Rev. S. S. Poole was away attending the Baptist Association last week.

G. Parsons of Wolfville was in Middleton the first of last week.

Mrs. George O'Neil was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Young over Sunday.

Corporal Wharton was in town on Friday evening to see his mother.

Mrs. W. H. Mor is has been spending a couple of weeks in Halifax and Windsor.

Mrs. B. Woodbury and son Leon, left for their home in Marblehead on Saturday.

Miss Spinney of Greenwood spent Sunday in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Doucett.

Miss Flora Roop spent the week-end in Springfield the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roop.

Mrs. T. B. Healy and baby were to Berwick last week attending the wedding of Mr. Healey's sister.

Rev. J. N. Ritcey and I. Young are attending the annual Conference of the Methodist Church, which met last week in Sydney.

Lieut. Walter Ruggles and Lieut. Hall Marshall arrived home last week from Halifax where they were taking a military course.

Rev. W. S. H. Morris returned last week from a trip to St. John accompanied by his daughter Eleanor, who has been attending the Netherwood School.

Mrs. Wm. Wharton and son Charles who have spent the last eight months with her daughter, Mrs. Doucett, has returned to her home in Beach Meadows. She was accompanied by Mrs. Doucett and baby Donovan.

MARGARETVILLE

June 21

Miss Jennie Patterson has returned to Windsor for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bishop of Williamston are visiting Capt. and Mrs. I. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Bishop are spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Hutchins.

Rev. Mr. Gage and family returned to their home after spending their vacation in Kingsport, they were accompanied by Mr. Rockingham and wife from England.

A large number from this place attended the memorial service at Evergreen of Mr. Willard Downie who was drowned from S. S. Ruby L. while crossing the Bay from St. John to Parker's Cove. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Gage assisted by Dr. Hutchins. The employees of the S. S. Company sat in a body as mourners.

On Tuesday afternoon, June 15th a number of citizens were amazed to see advancing up Seaman Street a dusky haired and dark skinned Indian maiden wearing the full dress of a Mohawk princess. The three white Eagle feathers of her headdress bespoke her rank, while the history of her family was embroidered on her dainty doeskin moccasins. Accompanying her, and dressed in similar manner, was a comely squaw who wore strapped to her back, a happy laughing papoose, and who led by the hand a sunburned little child in the fringed costume of the Indians. Those who were bold enough to stop and question the quaint group were informed that the circus had not come to town nor had the Mohawks strayed from their western reservation.—Mrs. J. A. Balcom was to be hostess at an out-door tea in the Grove at Brookside, and some of her guests were availing themselves of the opportunity to appear in appropriate garb.

When the guests, including Mrs. A. H. Gibson, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Down, and Miss McMurry, gathered at the picnic grounds, the scene suggested a peep into ancient history when the Red men held undisputed sway over Canada's forests and streams. Interesting songs and recitations supplied interesting diversions and the afternoon ended with an excellent reproduction of the feast which according to legend was always the principal event in an Indian gathering. Mrs. Balcom is to be congratulated upon the novelty of the entertainment and the pleasure which it gave to her guests.

Angry Employer: "Do you mean to contradict me? You haven't as much sense as a donkey."

Clerk: "No sir; I don't pretend to set my opinion against yours."

FALKLAND RIDGE

June 21st

Mr. Harold Mason is visiting friends in Margareville.

Mr. C. R. Marshall and Mrs. Wm. Sproule are attending the Association at Westport.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Roop of Kentville arrived on Friday to attend the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. Lorraine Roop.

Mrs. Elton Saunders of East Dalhousie has been spending a few days here on account of the illness of her mother.

MRS. LORRAINE ROOPE

Falkland Ridge, June 18th, 1915, from the home of her son, Mrs. Lorraine Roop passed away at the age of seventy-three years, after an illness of two months.

Mrs. Roop has long been a member of the Baptist Church and was a Charter member of the Springfield W. M. A. S., and was a life member of the Society of this place.

She leaves to mourn their loss three sons, namely, Church and George of this place and Major of Kentville, also two daughters, Miss Annie Roop of this place, and Mrs. E. Saunders of East Dalhousie, beside a large circle of friends and relations. The bereaved have the sympathy of the community. The interment took place on Saturday morning and was largely attended.

NICTAUX FALS

June 21

Miss Hazel Varner of Hortonville is at home for a few days.

Mr. Pents of Hantsport was a guest at the Central House last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Porter of Auburn spent Sunday last at the home of Mrs. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Henelt went to Bridgewater on Monday last to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. John Robinson of Bloomington, Mrs. Mervin Vidito, were recent guests of Mrs. M. P. Hoffman.

The first auto that has come to stay in our village was purchased by L. R. Gates last week, a fine five passenger Maxwell car.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith of Lawrence, Mass., also Miss Sampson, are staying a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith. The party motored all the journey, it taking them about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Heath of Pittsburg, Penns., are enjoying their vacation at Mrs. Heath's old home two years ago Mrs. Heath was married and went to live in Pittsburg where Mr. Heath is engaged in the University. Their many friends are glad to see them.

STOMACH TROUBLES QUICKLY CURED.

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SUDDEN DEATH OF W. E. BLIGH

Truro News of June 16th says: Deep regret prevailed the town last night when it was learned that our well known and universally respected citizen, Mr. W. E. Bligh, while cutting his lawn on the home property corner of Dominion and Victoria street, about 7 o'clock, was seen to fall at his work and in a few minutes, without a struggle, he passed away to his eternal rest.

Mr. Bligh had been in his usual good health, and though not as strong as a few years ago, before a quite severe illness had overtaken him, yet he was far from being an invalid.

Mr. Bligh was a native of Lakeville, Kings County, and was early in life married to a Miss Laurence, of Hantsport. He was a member of the firm of Bligh & Prince, dealing in carriages, agricultural implements, etc. He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Mrs. W. P. McKay, Ottawa, Mrs. H. E. Calkin, Wolfville, and Miss Muriel at home.

Mr. Huntley R. Drummond and Mr. James Carruthers, of Montreal, have each offered \$100,000 for machine guns, these gifts being sufficient to purchase eighty.

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THE SAVING OF CHILD LIFE

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Of 26,686 deaths in Nova Scotia during the five year period ended September 30th, 1913, 7,153 (19.5 per cent. of the total) occurred in children under the age of one year.

After the end of the first year, the proportion of deaths amongst children decreased as age increased, as follows: during the second year 3.3 per cent. of the total; during the third year, 1.7 per cent. of the total; during the fourth year, 1.1 per cent. of the total; during the fifth year, 9 per cent. of total.

An analysis of the statistics shows that three of the commoner infectious diseases have a special bearing upon mortality in young children. This 55 per cent. of all deaths from measles, and 83 per cent. of all deaths from whooping cough occurred in children who were less than two years of age, while nearly 60 per cent. of those whose death resulted from scarlet fever were under the age of five years. This is in keeping with the experience of most countries. Both measles and whooping cough are especially apt to destroy life in infancy, while scarlet fever claims its largest share of victims from those who are about four or five years of age.

During the five years under consideration, 191 lives were lost to our Province through measles, 229 through scarlet fever, and 366 through whooping cough. Such figures indicate very clearly that these diseases are not the trifling ailments which they are commonly thought to be. Moreover, even when they do not kill they often leave behind exceedingly troublesome and disabling conditions, and they frequently open the way to infection by the germs of pneumonia, tuberculosis and other diseases.

It is the consensus of opinion that increasing age not only renders one less susceptible to these diseases, but that it also protects against a fatal issue and against serious complications and sequelae in those who are attacked. For these reasons it follows that every effort should be made to protect young children against infection by these, as by the other infectious diseases. Deliberate exposure of young children to such infections should be regarded as a criminal procedure—one which not only endangers the life or subsequent healthfulness of the child so exposed, but which establishes an addi-

tional focus from which infection may spread to other children. The longer the child is enabled to escape infection the more likely it is to escape either completely or with a comparatively mild attack.

Sixteen per cent of the deaths which occurred during the first year, and thirteen per cent of those which occurred during the second year of life, resulted from infantile diarrhoea. This condition is mainly caused by improper feeding, and is one of the diseases which might be completely abolished by careful attention to certain simple rules. Success, however, necessitates the co-operation of all who deal in or handle milk, and a thorough system of milk inspection and control is a prime necessity. It is particularly amongst "hand fed" infants that diarrhoeal troubles are found, and mothers should know how to prepare and preserve the milk for their babies.

In five years, no less than 1143 children between one and two years of age, died of infantile diarrhoea in Nova Scotia. These deaths were almost confined to the hot months. It is therefore particularly during warm weather that the greatest care must be given to the feeding of young children. Carelessness at this period may cost your baby its life, or may condemn it to lifelong invalidism. "They who pine in their youth can never look spruce in their old age."

The Department of the Public Health Nova Scotia, issues a booklet on the "Care of the Baby," which may be had free upon application to the Provincial Health Officer, Halifax, or to any Medical Health Officer in the Province.

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This city has not the picturesqueness of Rio de Janeiro, but it is a modern metropolis, with great manufacturing establishments, magnificent public buildings and fine streets. Its banks and clearing houses are said to transact as much business as those of Chicago.

The docks of Buenos Ayres are most impressive; they represent an outlay of \$50,000,000. Only fifteen years ago the visitor was bunched ashore in a small rowboat and deposited on a marshy beach. Now his vessel enters one of the numerous basins of the vast dock system and confronts row upon row of massive wharves, at the back of which spreads a network of railway lines, while in the background the public gardens, with their flowering bushes and stately, beautiful approach to the city.

For mile after mile these docks stretch their length, flanked by a seemingly endless procession of great trans-Atlantic ships and up-river produce boats, broadside to the wharves, and without, lying at anchor in the river awaiting their turn for a berth, are many more; for this giant enterprise, these miles of brick and stone, with towering grain elevators and a veritable forest of powerful cranes, already falls entirely to satisfy present needs.

Not even the New York wharves with their vast commerce give such a picture of vivid bustle. The big German "Cap" boats—Cap Ortelg, Cap Frio, and the rest; French, Spanish and Italian liners with automobiles and immigrants—always immigrants; New-castle freighters unloading bolted sections of steel bridges; up-river boats laden with yerba mate or fragrant orange from Paraguay, and the aristocrats of these seas, the royal mails from England—all contribute to making a busy scene.

On leaving the docks and driving up into the city, the visitor is at once impressed with the fact that Buenos Ayres is not wholly wrapped up in the purely material. It has broadened along more esthetic lines and is cultivating the graces of cosmopolitanism. In the newer parts, particularly in the fashionable suburb of Belgrano, the buildings and shaded boulevards and beautifully landscaped parks resemble rather those of Paris, although it is not behind big American cities in public utilities. Even in the business district there are no skyscrapers or elevated railroads to disturb the harmony of the architectural scheme; not even the usual promiscuous, blatant advertising posters are permitted to be displayed until they have been censored by the proper official, and when approved affixed to handsomely tinted and paneled billboards erected for the purpose. So keen, indeed, are the citizens to enhance the beauty of their city that a prize is offered each year for the handsomest structure to be erected. And yet, in the older parts, there is much that does not suffer by contrast; the occasional glimpses of blossoms and foliage one gets through doorways opening into the courtyards, or patios, of the old Spanish houses are most refreshing in the midst of so much that is modern.

With the exception of the stately Avenida de Mayo, running from the Plaza containing the Cathedral and government building to the new chambers of Congress, and the Avenida Alvear, leading from the main part of the city to Palermo Park, flanked with costly homes and interspersed with gardens and plazas that lend a wealth of verdure and flowers to the broad avenue, the streets are so narrow that in the business section vehicles are required by city ordinances to move in the same direction, down one street and up the next.

Buenos Ayres is not a city that calls for the usual precautions taken by travellers. All the creature comforts may be had here, although it must be confessed at a cost greatly in excess of prices familiar to North Americans. There are good physicians and dentists and no less than sixteen hospitals, one of which, the British hospital, is a magnificently equipped institution, and the one patronized by the American colony. There are modern asylums, foundlings' homes, orphanages, etc., splendid trains that carry passengers in thoroughly modern and well-served coaches to almost every part of the settled country, carriages, taxicabs, hotels, department stores and shops, and, appropriately bringing up the end of the procession of the capital's accommodations, the Recoleta Cemetery, the fashionable burying-ground, where the exhausted Portenos are finally laid to rest in miniature mortuary palaces of marble and much stained glass.

The climate is moist, and the tem-

perature is very high at times during the summer, while tropical thunderstorms or dust storms are not uncommon. The winter is comparatively mild, and frost seldom occurs.

THE POTATO

Everybody may think that he or she knows the potato, but a perusal of Pamphlet No. 2, issued by the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, upon the Solanum tuberosum, will convince the same he or she that there is much to learn. A reprint from The Agricultural Gazette, official mouthpiece of the Department, the pamphlet is a collection of articles of superlative worth. Introduced by a brief historical statement showing the place the potato occupies in the world's domestic economy, and especially that of Canada, by which it would appear that the crop is worth to this country upwards of \$41,500,000 a year, we are presented with a complete exposition of the cultivation of the tuber by Mr. W. T. Macoun, Dominion Horticulturist, Mr. H. T. Gussow, Dominion Botanist, explains, first the diseases to which the potato is subject and how they can be controlled, and next, the results of inspection under the "Destructive Insect and Pest Act." Essays telling of potato production in each of the provinces by Secretary for Agriculture, Theodore Ross of Prince Edward Island; Superintendent of Agricultural Societies, F. L. Fuller, of Nova Scotia; Secretary of Agriculture, J. B. Dargett, of New Brunswick; Professor of Agronomy, Rev. H. Bois of Quebec; Prof. T. G. Bunting of Macdonald College; Prof. C. A. Zavitz of Ontario Agricultural College; Prof. J. Braeck of Saskatchewan; Deputy Minister of Agriculture, W. Newton of British Columbia, and the Secretary of The Canadian Seed Growers' Association, give weight and importance and the highest expert countenance to the reprint, which is made complete by a report telling how potato growing conditions are conducted in Manitoba, and by a table of the world's production for three years. This table shows Germany to be the greatest potato producing country, and also that, excepting in Canada and the United States, the production is everywhere on the decline. Everybody concerned in potato growing will be interested in this pamphlet, and should send for it to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

WORSE THAN SUBMARINES

To the Monitor:
"Drink is doing us more damage than all German submarines put together." Who said that? Lloyd George the English Chancellor of the Exchequer. He is no temperance fanatic, but a cool-headed statesman speaking from broad knowledge and inside information. And what he said is literally and statistically true of England, and the same principle applies to our country. The submarines are limited to the sea and to a narrow range within the sea, but strong drink goes everywhere over sea and land, through the air and steals into all the resorts of men and into the homes of the people. It can slip into the most hidden and secure recesses where a mother thinks she has her boy safe, and stab him as a torpedo slips under the sea and explodes against the side of a ship. Submarines are secret and stealthy enemies, but not half so subtle and deceptive as strong drink. Submarines can destroy only a few ships worth a few millions of dollars, but strong drink destroys more property than all the battleships and floods and fires of the world. Submarines can kill only a few men, but strong drink skays them by countless thousands and has filled more graves than all the wars of history. England cannot stop German submarines, but Russia has stopped strong drink. What Russia can do Canada can do, and if we are as wise and progressive and courageous as the land of the Czar we will clear our coasts and country of this enemy that is doing us more damage than all the submarines of the world could do us put together.

H. S. ARNOTT, M.B., M.C.P.S.

THE BELGIAN FUND

The total Canadian contributions to the Belgian Relief Fund up to May 13, were \$2,071,082.63, as shown in a supplementary report made by the Relief Committee in Montreal. In addition to five special steamers which were despatched from Canada with foodstuffs, clothing, etc., for the starving Belgians, there have been ten shipments by regular steamships, totalling in value \$30,645. On the date in question there were on hand clothing to the value of \$54,090, foodstuffs worth \$7,500, and available funds amounting to \$48,147.63. About one third of the total amount contributed was furnished by the Maritime Provinces.

GRAIN CROP REPORT

OTTAWA, June 11, 1915.—A press bulletin issued to-day by the Census and Statistics Office is of special interest as giving the preliminary estimate of the area sown to grain crops in Canada for the present season and the condition of these crops on May 31, as reported by correspondents. The reports received show that in the Maritime Provinces cold and rainy weather during May delayed farm work, and at the end of the month a good deal of seeding had still to be completed. In Quebec and Ontario cold winds and frost, coming after the exceptionally warm weather of April, retarded growth. In these provinces the frosts injured pastures, but did little damage to grain crops. In the Northwest Provinces, growth was checked somewhat by cold and frosty nights; but, on the whole, conditions continue to be favorable. In some parts of Manitoba and Saskatchewan the need of rain was being felt. In Alberta and British Columbia the condition of the grain crops was generally favorable.

Areas Sown to Wheat.

Wheat is estimated to occupy this year a total area of 12,896,000 acres, which is more by 1,667,500 acres, or 14.8 per cent., than the area sown in 1914, and more by 2,602,100 acres, or 25 per cent., than the area harvested in 1914, the area sown for last year having been reduced by 939,600 acres. The estimated aggregate of total failures through the winter-killing of fall wheat (211,500 acres) and through drought affecting spring wheat (728,100 acres). Not only is the wheat area this year under the double stimulus of patriotic impulse and high prices (25 per cent. in excess of last year's harvested area) but it is also the largest area ever sown to wheat in Canada. As previously reported, the area to be harvested of fall sown wheat is 1,208,700 acres, the balance of 11,687,300 acres having been sown this Spring. Whilst every province shows an increase in the wheat area, it is the three Northwest Provinces which preponderate in the national effort to produce more wheat. The total area sown to wheat in these provinces is 11,659,700 acres, an increase over last year's harvested area of 2,324,200 acres, or 25 per cent. In Manitoba the area is 3,166,900 acres, an increase of 21 per cent.; in Saskatchewan it is 6,642,100 acres, an increase of 24 per cent., and in Alberta it is 1,850,700 acres, an increase of 35 per cent. Rather more than half of the total wheat area of Canada is in the single province of Saskatchewan.

Other Field Crops.

Oats are estimated to occupy a total area in Canada of 11,427,000 acres, an increase over last year's harvested area of 1,365,518 acres, or 13 per cent. Barley 1,513,400 acres, as compared with 1,495,600 acres last year. Rye 106,440 acres against 111,280 acres; peas 189,470 acres, compared with 205,950 acres; mixed grains 453,000 acres against 463,300 acres; hay and clover 7,788,400 acres, against 7,997,000 acres, and alfalfa 94,480 acres against 90,385 acres.

Condition of Field Crops and Anticipated Yield.

Measured in percentage of a standard of 100 representing a full crop, all the grain crops were reported as showing a high average, the points being as follows: Fall wheat 94, spring wheat 96, oats and barley 92, rye 91, peas 93, and mixed grains 91. Hay and clover with 86, pastures and alfalfa with 87 are not so good, these crops having suffered from cold and frosty nights during May. Converting the points of standard condition for the principal grain crops into a scale of 100 representing the average of the past five years 1910-1914, the result, assuming conditions between now and harvest to be equal to the average, is an anticipated increase in the yield per acre of 15.6 per cent. for fall wheat 2.6 per cent. for spring wheat, and 2.5 per cent. for rye. For oats and barley the indications are for yields slightly below the average, or to the extent of 1.5 per cent. for oats and 0.7 per cent. for barley.

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ADDITIONAL SPRING MIGRANTS

A few weeks ago a list of twenty-two of our common spring migrants, with the dates of arrival, was published in the columns of the Monitor. An additional list of seventeen is appended herewith. Of these, eight are warblers. This class of birds is among our latest spring migrants. Few of them visit us before the last week of May. Then they come with a rush. The initiated find the woods full of them. About a dozen different varieties may readily be observed in our locality. They are small birds, smaller than an English sparrow. They rank among our brightest plumbed bird neighbors. Many of them wear bright yellow and olive-green in their suits. As songsters they do not take high rank. To the bird lover they are at once both a fascinating and an exasperating family of birds. When the spring migration is at its height, any day you may be thrilled with delight by stumbling upon a rare species that you have been watching for for years, or you may have the joy of meeting an entirely new species in your locality. The study of the warblers is interesting, because you always have a problem on your hands. Only the expert can name every warbler at sight or determine the species from its song. A confusing and baffling class of birds they are. Often they become the despair of the young student. Then, they are constantly on the move among the trees. Just as you get an opera glass trained on one, behold he is gone. Some dwell high up in the tree tops, and it is most exasperating trying to get a peep at these little creatures of such restless disposition.

But a few of them are easily recognized. Every one is familiar with the Yellow Warbler, commonly called "Summer Yellowbird." This sunny little yellow warbler loves the company of man, and comes familiarly about the trees and shrubbery of lawns and gardens and orchards. Every child knows this friendly bird of summer. Another common warbler is the Maryland Yellow-throat. You must go to the border of the swamp to find him. There among the heath plants you are sure to meet him. You cannot mistake him as he comes out of the thicket to scold you for intruding on his domain. He is a yellow bird with a black mask on the side of his face. Maybe his more retiring lady may be seen by his side. She is more plainly dressed, as seems to be the fashion in feminine bird society, than her mate, and lacks the black mask.

Another common warbler may be readily identified by its song. This one is a dweller in the woods and one of the daintiest walkers that ever stepped on the forest floor. Entering the woods we hear the clear ringing chant "teacher, teacher, teacher, teacher." It is sung in crescendo, gradually increasing in loudness, power and shrillness. Once heard it cannot be mistaken. Its author is the Oven-bird, a dainty, thrush-like, brown bird with a speckled breast. Should you be fortunate enough to find its nest you would at once understand why it is called Oven-bird. Under the dead leaves beneath the trees is placed the nest of coarse grasses, roofed above with the entrance on the side, resembling a Dutch oven.

Though largely unknown to the rank and file, the warblers are a most useful family of birds. They are of most pronounced economic importance. They are the guardians of our forest foliage. Hear a noted ornithologist speaking of the utility of the warblers: "In this family we find birds that assume the care of the trees from the ground to the topmost twig. Some walk daintily along the ground, searching among the shrubbery and fallen leaves; others cling close to the bark, and search its every crevice for those insignificant insects which collectively form the greatest pests of forest and orchard; others mount into the tree, skip from branch to branch, and peer about among the leaves or search the opening buds of the lower branches; others habitually ascend to the tree tops; while still others are in almost constant pursuit of the winged insects that dart about among the branches.

The following is an additional list of spring migrants with the dates of arrival:

- American Goldfinch, May 20.
- Black and White Creeping Warbler, May 20.
- Blue-headed Vireo, May 20.
- Magnolia Warbler, May 20.
- Ruby-throated Humming Bird, May 23.
- Kingbird, May 23.
- Maryland Yellow-throat, May 31.
- Rose-breasted Grosbeak, June 1.
- Oven-bird, June 1.
- Black-throated Green Warbler, June 1.
- American Redstart, June 1.
- Northern Parula Warbler, June 1.
- Chestnut-sided Warbler, June 1.
- Belted Kingfisher, June 2.
- Catbird, June 2.
- Red-eyed Vireo, June 3.
- Nighthawk, June 11.

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The Jews of Palestine

The story of the sufferings of the
Jews at the hands of the nations, which
makes some of the blackest pages of
history, is not yet ended. It is being
continued today in Palestine under the
rule of the Turks and their allies, the
Germans.

As is well known, the so-called
Zionist movement, aided by wealthy
Jewish philanthropists, has of recent
years led thousands of Jews to the
Holy Land. They have gone, many of
them, under the conviction that the
prophecies of the Old Testament point
to a period when a Jewish Kingdom
will be established there with Mt. Zion
for its capital, and that their ancient
religion with all its forms and cere-
monies will then be continued in pre-
paration for the coming of the Mes-
siah.

The present war has put a damper
upon their hopes, and added its own
quota to the sad tale of the nation's
sorrow. Because of their unwilling-
ness to pledge allegiance to Turkish
authority, or to constitute a province
of the Ottoman Empire, many of them
have been expelled from their homes
under circumstances of great injustice
and cruelty. In March 6000 refugees
from Palestine were hurried to Alex-
andria. Most of these were taken
over by the American warship Ter-
messee, which made five trips during
the months of December, January and
February, last past.

The announcement was made one
day in Jaffa at noon that all Jews who
had not accepted Ottoman citizenship
must leave the country at four o'clock
in a steamer which was ready to take
them. The police seized all men and
women who were upon the street.
They were not allowed to return home
to prepare for a journey during the
prevailing cold weather. Boatmen
with poignards threatened to kill them
if they did not hand over all money
and jewels in their possession. Women
were disrobed and jewels taken from
them. Business establishments were
robbed by Ottoman authorities. Silks,
parfums, gloves and perfumes were
needed, it was said, by the soldiers.

Overcoats and leggings were taken
from them on the streets. A building,
formerly the residence of the Khedive
in Alexandria, but later used as a
quarantine station, was opened for the
reception of these sufferers, and as
many as possible crowded into it.
Twenty-six families, in one case, were
found gathered in a single room, and
seven horse-stalls were occupied by
two families. They are dependent
upon relief work, at the head of which
is Mrs. Broadbent, an Englishwoman.
In other Egyptian towns the condition
is just as deplorable. The lady, whose
report furnishes these items, says that
this deportation of the Jews from Pal-
estine is favored by the Germans, who
find in the well-known business capac-
ity of the Jews a menace to their own
commercial advancement.

These Jews claim to have gone to
Palestine from various European coun-
tries, and the Consuls of these coun-
tries are making plans to enable them
to evade over the present difficulties,
and to assist them to return to Pal-
estine, as they desire to do, if the issues
of the war make it possible, or rather,
feasible.

An Example of Perseverance

The closing of the Schools and Col-
leges for the summer vacation brings
to mind the case of a young man which
should act as an encouragement to
other young persons who are seeking
a higher education in spite of diffi-
culties.

This young man was a native of San
Domingo, where the common language
is Spanish. He was one of a family
of sixteen children. His father wished
him to become a physician and prom-
ised him financial aid for the pur-
pose, but as the father was not a
wealthy man, the son declined the
offer, believing that so large a draft
on the resources of the father would
be unfair to his brothers and sisters.

The young man determined to seek
his own fortune. He made his way,
by his own endeavors, to Sackville,
N. B. Arriving at the station, the only
English words he knew were "Palmer
Academy." By their aid he was directed
to the Academy. In two years he
acquired such a mastery of English as
enabled him to prepare and read in
public a very creditable account of his
experiences from the time of his leav-
ing home to the time of preparing the
paper. Subsequently he sought em-
ployment in New York, but becoming

dissatisfied he went to France, and
after a course of study in an institu-
tion in Paris, he received the degree
of LL.B. Thence he went to a German
university and won the degree of
LL.D. He then returned to his home
in San Domingo, where he is engaged
with a good degree of success in edu-
cational work, and is otherwise a very
useful citizen.

Many spheres of usefulness are open
to the young men and women of to-
day, and all of them are demanding
more loudly than ever a well-equipped
mind. On the other hand, the oppor-
tunities for a good educational pre-
paration for life's duties are easy of
access and available by everyone who
is determined to embrace them.

Scott Act Repeal

The DATE of Election is July 8th.
The AIM of the Temperance Alli-
ance is to repeal the Scott Act.

The PURPOSE is to secure the more
effective and better N. S. Temperance
Act which will insure a drier County.

The CHALLENGE comes to the
Temperance Electors of Annapolis
County to prove their principles at
the polls.

A TEMPERANCE MAN is good, a
TEMPERANCE ELECTOR is better;
and it is only the actual casting of
TEMPERANCE VOTES that will bring
into operation better temperance
legislation in this County.

TEMPERANCE ELECTORS of An-
napolis County, let not CARELESS-
NESS or INDIFFERENCE give the
victory to the enemy on July 8th.

VOTE THE RED BALLOT.

The N. S. Temperance Alliance has
drawn up the following comparison
between the Scott Act and the N. S.
Temperance Act, and in this com-
parison presents some reasons why
the electors should vote for the repeal
of the Scott Act.

SOME REASONS WHY THE SCOTT ACT SHOULD BE REPEALED

The Nova Scotia Temperance Act
placed upon the Statutes by the Gov-
ernment of Nova Scotia in 1910 and
amended in 1911, 1912 and 1913, can
be used with better effect than the
Scott Act in the suppression of the
liquor traffic in the province. It is
superior in many respects.

All Alcoholic Drinks Prohibited

1. The prohibition of the sale or
keeping for sale of all drinkable li-
quids containing alcohol.

Various kinds of beer with a light
percentage of alcohol, very injurious
to the system, are being legally sold
in Scott Act Counties,—the N. S. T.
Act prohibits the sale of such drinks.

Jail Penalty After First Offence

2. The jail penalty must be im-
posed after one first offence. The
Inspector is liable to a penalty of \$20.00
if he does not regularly proceed from
first to second or subsequent offence.
This provision does away with the
system in many municipalities of en-
forcing law to obtain revenue rather
than to suppress the traffic.

No Personal Use Provision

3. Under the amended Scott Act
liquor can be legally shipped by Hal-
fax dealers for personal use into Scott
Act Counties. Halifax is thus the pro-
vincial bar-room for Scott Act Coun-
ties.

But liquor cannot be legally shipped
by Halifax dealers into Nova Scotia
Temperance Counties. The penalty is
\$50.00 for the first offence, \$100.00
for the second, and \$200.00 for third
and each subsequent offence.

Safe-guarding of Court Records

4. Stipendiary Magistrates must
send to the County Prothonotary a
certificate of each conviction and such
certificate in all proceedings upon
an information where a previous con-
viction is charged, is sufficient evi-
dence of such previous conviction.

This provision in the N. S. Tem-
perance Act means the safe-guarding
of papers absolutely necessary for effi-
cient enforcement.

Less Difficulty in Making Seizures of Liquor.

5. Any Inspector or police officer
may at any time without warrant
enter and search premises where he
believes liquors are kept for sale or
disposal contrary to the provisions
of this Act, and seize any liquors
unlawfully kept.

Under the Scott Act the officer re-
quires a search warrant and it can
be executed only between 6 a. m. and
9 p. m.

Disposal of Fraudulent Shipments.

6. Any Inspector may without
warrant seize and remove liquor he
finds in transit in any vehicle or at
any wharf, warehouse or other place.
The Scott Act is ineffective where
liquor is in actual transportation in
a truck or wagon within a municip-
ality, and in all seizures the Scott
Act Officer must have a warrant.

If it appears to the magistrate that
such liquor was consigned to some
person in a fictitious name, or was
shipped as other goods, or was con-
cealed in such a manner as would

probably render discovery more diffi-
cult it is prima facie evidence of vio-
lation.

Liquor Peddlers May be Searched

7. Any person who may be sus-
pected of selling liquor from or keep-
ing for illegal sale in his pockets or
from or in any vehicle, may himself
and his vehicle, be searched, and if
any liquor be found he may be ar-
rested.

Clubs Can be Suppressed.

8. Under the amended Scott Act
clubs are common. The N. S. T. Act
prohibits such places; the keeping or
having in any house or building or
in any room or place occupied or
controlled by any incorporated or
unincorporated society, association or
club or any member or membes
thereof or by any person of any li-
quor, is a violation of the Act.

Prescriptions by Physicians

9. Under the Scott Act a physician
who prescribes liquor for other than
medical purposes is liable to a fine
of \$20 for first offence and \$40 for
subsequent offences.

Under the new Act prescriptions
can only be given to persons whom
the doctor has visited professionally
within three days and the penalty for
violation of this provision is \$50 for
first offence and \$100, or two months
imprisonment for second.

Enforcement.

10. It is made the express duty of
the Council, police and temperance
committees and every officer and in-
spector to enforce this Act and take
necessary proceedings to punish of-
fenders.

To Obtain Repeal

To obtain the repeal of the Scott Act
in any county, petitions must be
signed by one fourth of the electors
and forwarded to Ottawa. A date is
then fixed for the election. If a
majority vote for repeal, the N. S.
Temperance Act will automatically
come into force in the county.

MARK YOUR BALLOT THUS:

Against the Act X
For the Act

The words "Against the Act" will
be printed in red ink.

"Against the Act" means against
the Scott Act.

In voting Against the Scott Act, you
vote For the Nova Scotia Temperance
Act.

VOTE THE RED BALLOT

and help bring into force the Nova
Scotia Temperance Act, which can be
used with better effect to destroy the
liquor traffic in Nova Scotia.

G. C. WARREN,
Secretary.

ITINERARY OF REV. H. R. GRANT

The Temperance Alliance of the
County has secured the services of
Rev. H. R. Grant, Secretary of the
Provincial Alliance who will address
meetings in the interests of the repeal
as follows:

Wednesday, June 23—Granville
Ferry.

Thursday, June 24—Port Wade.

Friday, June 25—Round Hill.

Saturday, June 26—Dalhousie.

Sunday, June 27—Bentville Metho-
dist Church at 11 a. m., Centrelea Baptist
Church at 3 p. m., Belleisle at
7.30.

Monday, June 28—Hampton.

Tuesday, June 29—Paradise.

Wednesday, June 30—Centre Clar-
ence.

Thursday, July 1—Lawrencetown in
the afternoon, Port Lorne in the ev-
ening.

Friday, July 2—Port George.

Saturday, July 3—Margaretville.

Sunday, July 4—Middleton in the
morning, Melvern Square in the after-
noon, Nictaux in the evening.

Monday, July 5—Springfield.

G. C. Warren, Secty.

ANOTHER LETTER FROM GUY RUFFEE

Mrs. Charles Ruffee received on Mon-
day Last the Following Letter
From Her Son Guy.

Meschede, Germany,
May 15, 1915.

Dear Mother;—

I suppose you know by this time that
I am a prisoner of war in Germany.
I am well enough but we get different
feed you know at home. I hope you
are all well at home, also Cecil. Say,
will you send me a parcel of ten pounds
including tobacco, soda biscuits or a
cake. You can send the parcel of ten
pounds for nothing. Send two if you
like, at once, to help me out. You
must not put any letter in the parcel
at all, or mention anything about the
war, or it will be destroyed at once.
See the parcel post people and they
will explain about the parcels. Tell
me all about home and Cecil. There
are about one hundred Canadians here,
and thousands of French and Rus-
sians too. I guess this is all for this
time.

Guy.

No. 14535, Barrack St.
No. 3 Company.

Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening
at 8 p. m.
B. Y. P. U. on Friday at 8 p. m.
Sunday services: Bible School at 10
a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and at
7.30 p. m.

CENTRELEA

Prayer meeting on Tuesday at 8 p. m.
On Sunday afternoon at three o'clock
Rev. H. B. Grant, Secretary of the N.
S. Temperance Alliance, will deliver a
temperance address.

St. James Parish Church Notes

The services next Sunday, (4th Sun-
day after Trinity) will be:
Bridgetown—11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
St. Mary's Belleisle, 3 p. m.

WEEK-DAY SERVICES

Thursday—St. Mary's, Belleisle, 7.45
p. m.

Fridays—Bridgetown, 4.30 p. m., In-
tercession on behalf of the War; 7.30
p. m., Evening Prayer followed by choir
practice.

Methodist Church Circuit Notes

Epworth League, Friday evening at
7.30 p. m.

Services next Sunday, June 27:—
Bridgetown—Sunday School and Bible
Study 10 a. m. Public Worship 7.30.
Granville—11 a. m.
Bentville—3 p. m.

Rev. J. Norman Ritcey, B. A. of
Middleton is exchanging with the pastor
and will preach at all the services.

Grand Farmer's Excursion to Truro College Farm

On Friday, June 25th

Excursion Train leaves:

Annapolis 6.10 a.m.

Mochele 6.17 a.m.

Round Hill 6.24 a.m.

Tupperville 6.32 a.m.

Bridgetown 6.42 a.m.

Paradise 6.54 a.m.

Lawrencetown 7.02 a.m.

Brickton 7.10 a.m.

Middleton 7.20 a.m.

Wilmot 7.30 a.m.

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LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Provincial examinations will begin tomorrow at all the examination stations throughout the Province.

The Red Cross Society acknowledges gratefully the contribution of \$2.50 received through Mr. Underwood from "M. J. G.", Granville.

The Annual Meeting of St. Mary's Guild, Belleisle, will be held immediately after the usual service in the church tomorrow (Thursday) evening.

The regular monthly session of United Intercession will be held in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening immediately at the close of the evening services.

See ad. in this issue for Farmer's Excursion to the College Farm, Truro, on Friday, June 25th. Excursion train leaves Annapolis Royal at 6.10, Bridgetown 6.42.

A change of time-table will go into effect next week, beginning Monday, June 28th, on the Halifax and South Western Railway. For particulars apply to station or ticket agent.

Ten members of the Kentville band have gone to the front, a wonderful showing for a small organization and one of the members, Enoch James, who had won the D. M. S., has nobly fallen on the battlefield.

Walter Scott's dry goods store will be open on Wednesday, June 30 until 10 p. m., on account of the holiday next day. Store will be open every Saturday night until 10 o'clock—Other nights is closed promptly at 6 p. m.

In our report of the Supreme Court proceedings last week, we were in error regarding the disposition of the case of Tucker vs. Archibald. The case was not settled as reported, but instead was dismissed with costs allowed to the defendant.

On Saturday night at the Primrose Theatre, Daniel Frohman presents Paul McAllister in the "Scales of Justice", supported by Jane Fearney. The same will be shown at Phinney's Hall, Lawrencetown, Monday, June 28th. Usual admission.

In the Canadian casualty list is reported the death of LaMert Small, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Small of Greenwood, Kings County. The father, Mr. John Small, is well known in town, having been in the employ of Messrs. MacKenzie, Crowe & Co. for many years.

Since the first of June there has been an unprecedented catch of Salmon on the Bay of Fundy shore. Mr. Lewis Sabean of Port Lorne has caught as high as 300 lbs. at one tide, and in sixteen days shipped three thousand pounds to the outside markets. Other fishermen are also getting large fares.

The sum of \$11.75 was collected by Mr. H. H. McAvity for the purchase of "Smokes" and delicacies for Mr. Guy Ruffee, who is now a prisoner of war in Germany. The parcel was sent several days ago. One of the contributors to the fund was Mr. Wm. Hill of Loreburn, Sask., a former Bridgetown boy, and school mate of Mr. Ruffee.

The enterprising citizens of Bear River have decided to hold a Cherry Carnival in that town on Tuesday, July 27th, and are making extensive preparations to entertain the large crowd which will be present on that date. A good program of aquatic and land sports has been arranged. Music will be furnished by the Bear River Brass Band. If the weather is favorable a good time may be expected. See ad. in this issue.

The June term of the Supreme Court, which was in session here last week adjourned on Saturday morning. A number of cases on the docket were held over to a special term of the Court which is to be held at Annapolis Royal in August. The case of Roscoe vs. MacDonald, occupied three days of the Court's time and created considerable interest, the court room being well filled all through the hearing of the case. It was an action for damages resulting from an automobile collision. Decision was reserved.

Dominion Atlantic Company will give the Farmers a fine excursion service to Truro on Friday, 25th of June, and to ensure no delay on the return trip, train will leave Truro in two sections. The first leaving at sharp 6 p. m., will take all passengers for points west of Kentville. Thus all passengers should reach Annapolis not later than midnight. The second leaves Truro at 5.20 p. m., running to Kentville and Kingsport. This train stops at all stations enroute, and is scheduled to reach Kentville at 10.30 p. m., and Kingsport at 11.15 p. m.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Mrs. James Tupper wishes to express her thanks to the kind friends who put in her crops and assisted with the farm work a short time ago.

A Concert with views of 30 or more British battleships shown on the screen at the Moving Picture Hall, Bear River on July 6th in aid of the Red Cross. Tickets 35c.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught inspected the various military units in Halifax last Thursday, and on Friday inspected the 40th regiment at Aldershot (Kentville).

The Ladies of the Red Cross Society, Bear River, desire to express their appreciation of the handsome amount of \$34.00 received from the ladies of Clementsvale, \$9.00 of which was raised from a social and \$5.00 from Mrs. B. Dukeshire.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bent of Belle Isle announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth to Mr. John DeLancey Harris of Upper Granville, N. S. The marriage to take place at the Methodist Church, Upper Granville, July 7th, 1915.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Ena Graves spent Sunday at the Parsonage at Paradise.

Dr. Armstrong is expected home from his Boston trip today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bent are spending a few weeks in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hoffman, Middleton.

Owen Graves has returned from Harvard and is spending the holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Choate of Salem, Mass., and Mrs. John Lowe of Clementsport, were guests of Mrs. Stanley Marshall over Sunday.

Mr. Maurice O. Graves of Boston and friend Mr. Shorey, are visiting at the home of the former's uncle, M. W. Graves.

Mr. J. E. Jeffrey of Melrose, Mass., is spending a few days in town, having come here owing to the illness of his sister, Miss Mary Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chesley arrived home last Wednesday, after having spent several months very pleasantly in Massachusetts and New York.

Mr. Fred E. Bath returned yesterday from Sydney, where he was in attendance at the Nova Scotia Methodist Conference.

Miss Catherine Piper, after having spent the winter in Boston, returned to Annapolis Royal last Wednesday, and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. B. McDaniel.

Gunner Clarence Troop of the Canadian Garrison Artillery stationed at Partridge Island, St. John, was home last week on a four days' furlough, returning to the garrison on Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Lloyd, Mrs. Harry Abbott and Mrs. F. V. Young were the delegates from the Bridgetown Baptist Church who were in attendance at the Western Association at Westport, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hubley and two children of Bear River, accompanied by Miss Katie Kaulback, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Barnes. They were driven from Bear River in Mr. Archie Adams' auto.

Mr. Leslie H. Banks, who has been taking a course of instruction at the Mergenthaler Linotype School in New York, returned last Wednesday, and on Monday entered upon his duties as Linotype machinist-operator in this office. Mr. Banks made the very high average of 399 out of a possible 400 on his examinations at the school.

Annapolis Spectator—It is with deep regret that we learn that Principal Tanch of the Annapolis County Academy staff has tendered his resignation to the School Board to take effect on July 1st. Principal Tanch intends taking a post graduate course at Yale University. Mrs. Tanch will accompany her husband to New Haven, Connecticut, the seat of the college, and will remain with him during the course.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our relatives and friends for their kindness and sympathy in the loss of our dear mother. She was beloved by all who knew her and will be sadly missed by her many friends.

Signed,

The family of the late Emma Messenger.

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|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Previously acknowledged | \$892.16 |
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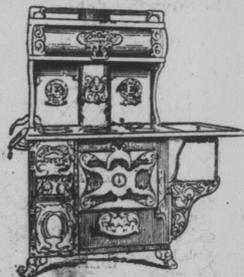
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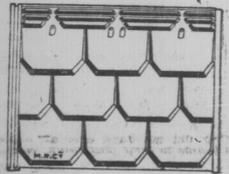
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Bear River, N. S., June 3rd, 1915

Bear River

Mr. Reuben Rice left for Meteghan on Saturday.

Mr. Arthur Moore and family left on Thursday for Westport.

Mr. Wm. Henshaw arrived home from Plympton on Wednesday.

Madame Beripi arrived on Wednesday to spend the summer months.

Mrs. W. W. Wade and children left on Tuesday for Prince Edward Island.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien and family left on Tuesday for Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Mr. Gilbert Hubley and family spent Sunday with friends in Bridgetown.

Miss Ethel P. Wagner of Brockton, Mass., is visiting her sister, Miss Mabel Wagner.

Mrs. Arthur Archibald and children arrived on Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. F. W. Purdy.

Mr. Gordon Benson has fitted up the former blacksmith shop of Mr. John Purdy for an automobile garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Crandall, Miss Hazel Purdy and Mrs. C. R. Adams left on Thursday for Westport to attend the Western Baptist Association in that place.

The Annual Session of the Nova Scotia Advent Christian Conference will convene with the Advent Church at Bear River, commencing Wednesday evening, June 23, and holding over the following Sunday. The following ministers will be present to preach the word: Elders G. W. Sederquist and Z. C. Beas from Boston; Wm. Halliday, Bear Point, N. S.; W. E. Dow, Portland, Maine; F. A. Verge, Halifax; J. A. Gardner, Bridgeport, Conn.; E. S. Petty, Taunton, Mass.; and H. L. Faulkingham of Oxford, Maine. Services will be held mornings, afternoons and evenings. All are invited to this Conference.

DEEP BROOK

June 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robbins were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Arthur Derry.

Mrs. Frank Rice and daughter Eleanor are visiting Mrs. Edwin Hutchinson.

Mr. Samuel Purdy went on Saturday to Milford, where he will spend a fortnight or more.

Capt. Ditmar's daughter, Mrs. Garnet Denson of Kentville, arrived Saturday to visit her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Archibald of Bear River were visitors Sunday at the home of L. E. and Mrs. Sherman.

Messrs. F. W. McClelland and J. S. Purdy returned late Wednesday evening with a fine catch of "Spring Beauties."

Capt. John Ditmar who has been absent training recruits, is at home for a week, and leaves on Monday next with his company for Valcartier.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning Nichols, Miss Curtis Hoshaw, and Miss E. McClelland, delegates to the Western Baptist Association, went to Westport on Friday.

A successful concert with tableaux entitled, "Songs Illustrated and Illuminated" was given by the Plus Ultra S. S. Class in Division Hall Wednesday evening.

LOWER GRANVILLE

June 21st

Rev. T. F. McWilliam attended the Baptist Association held at Westport Digby County.

Miss Bertha Hudson of Lynn, Mass., is spending her vacation with her brother, Mr. H. Hudson.

About fifteen of the young folk of this place enjoyed an outing on Goat Island Saturday afternoon.

Mr. H. H. Anthony has improved the interior of his store with a fresh coat of paint in readiness for a new stock of goods. We understand he will open his ice cream parlor the 26th.

Mrs. Everett Morse of Brighton, Mass., has been visiting Mrs. J. R. Elliott. On her return she took home with her Mrs. M. E. Morse, who has been staying in Lower Granville during the winter.

MORGANVILLE

June 18

Preaching service in the Morganville Baptist Church on Sunday, June 27th at 3 p.m.

Mr. Oscar Balcom was married the 1st of June to Miss Blanch Clifton. We wish them much joy.

Lance-Corporal Frederick B. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Morgan, sailed for England on Sunday, June 13th.

Miss Amy Morgan arrived home on Saturday from Aylesford, after spending a pleasant time with her aunt, Mrs. Edwin Harris.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

NORTH RANGE

June 14th

We are glad to see our Pastor's wife and family with us again.

Mrs. Gillett of Granville Ferry is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bragg were visiting friends in South Range recently.

Wife of the late Captain C. T. Warren died at her home in Plympton on June 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver of Plympton, spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. Bruce Cook.

There has been quite a stir in oxen during the past week. Mr. E. Melanson and Mr. Edward and Bruce Cook and Mr. Jessie Wright all selling their big cattle.

Mrs. Sarah MacNeil and Mr. L. D. MacNeil are the delegates appointed by the church to attend the Association at Westport, and Mrs. J. Wright from the Ladies' Aid.

PRINCEDALE

June 18

Miss Emma Baird was a week-end guest of relatives here.

Mr. Milledge Wright spent Sunday with relatives at Greywood.

Miss Ester Coombs returned to her home in Lake Jolly, Sunday.

Mrs. Chipman Brown spent Wednesday with relatives at Virginia East.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fraser spent Tuesday with relatives at Bear River.

Miss Ola Harnish of Greywood, is spending the week with relatives here.

Miss Lillian Chute of Power Lot, visited her sister, Mrs. Osmund Dunn, this week.

Rev. O. P. Brown of Clementsvalle was a guest at Mr. W. E. Dunn's on Thursday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wright on the arrival of a daughter, June 12th.

Mrs. Norman Dukeshire and Mrs. Walter Dukeshire of Clementsvalle, spent Friday at Mrs. Geo. Wright's.

Messrs. William Dondale and William Wright of Milford Corner, and Mr. Dennis Wright of Bear River, spent Sunday with relatives here.

KARSDALE

June 21st

Frank Covert has shipped on the Schooner Grace Darling, Capt. Ansel Casey.

Miss Mabel Bohaker of Granville Ferry, is visiting her brother, Mr. Ralph Bohaker.

We regret to report our esteemed neighbors, Capt. Harry Hudson and Wm. C. Shaffner, Esq. in poor health, we hope to find them improving very soon.

Mrs. Winnie Holly expects to leave for her home in Indiana on Wednesday after an extended visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Shaffner, Jr. We wish her a pleasant voyage and safe return home.

WARNFORD FELL TO HIS DEATH

Celebrated Canadian Aviator Was Killed at Buc, France.

Paris, June 18.—Lieutenant Reginald A. J. Warnford, who gained fame recently by blowing to pieces a Zeppelin over Belgium was killed today by the falling of an aeroplane at Buc, France.

Lieutenant Warnford was piloting the machine which had as a passenger, Henry B. Needham, the American writer, who also was killed. Lieutenant Warnford and Needham fell from a height of 500 feet. The Lieutenant had been spending a few days in Paris where he had gone after his Zeppelin exploit to receive his decoration of the Legion of Honor.

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THE PRESERVING OF EGGS IN THE HOME.

(By W. A. Brown, B.S.A.)

Eggs are a perishable food product, and while their production is distributed throughout the year with much greater uniformity than many other food products, yet it is a fact that new laid eggs are usually scarce and high in price between the months of October and February, and plentiful and comparatively low in price in the Spring and early summer months.

The cost of preserving eggs by artificial refrigeration is considerable, and while it is not believed that any liquid preservatives will give better results than those obtained in well built and carefully managed cold storages, yet it is conceded that there are times when those customers, who will go to the trouble and take the necessary precautions, will find it to their advantage to preserve a reasonable quantity for home use.

Methods of Home Preservation Recommended.

As the result of much technical investigation and years of practical test it has been found that the best results can be obtained from the use of water-glass and lime-water. While the lime-water method is undoubtedly less expensive and just as efficient, yet popular opinion seems to be constantly growing in favor of water-glass.

The Use of Water-Glass.

Water-glass is a solution of silicate of soda, and may be obtained from practically all druggists. A 10 per cent solution is generally used, that is one part of water-glass is mixed with nine parts of water.

The water should first be boiled in order to destroy all vegetable or animal substance therein. The two substances are then thoroughly mixed, and the solution allowed to stand until it becomes quite cold before using.

Lime-Water Method

Previous to the advent of artificial refrigeration, lime-water was used commercially to a large extent. Some large dealers still use it to supplement cold storage, and many people use it as a home preservative. Although authorities differ somewhat as to the relative amounts of lime and water to be used, the proportions of two pounds of lime to five gallons of water are generally recommended. It is important, however, that the water take into solution as much lime as it is capable of holding. A quantity of fine salt in proportion of about one pint to the above is also frequently added. The mixture should be kept well stirred for a few hours and then allowed to settle. The supernatant liquid is then drawn off and poured over the eggs. In order that the solution may be kept saturated and of uniform strength throughout it is customary to add a little lime from time to time, or better, to keep a cloth covered with lime just touching the surface.

Containers.

Any receptacle that is impervious to, and does not corrode in, water is suitable for holding the eggs. Glazed earthenware crocks, galvanized tubs or buckets, or wooden tubs or kegs are most frequently used. In the case of wooden receptacles it is desirable to let them stand filled with water for several days, and then to scald them and cleanse them thoroughly before using. For home consumption it is best to have a number of small containers holding not more than five or six dozen each. Covers should be placed over all containers and these, when filled, should be stored in a cool, dry place in the cellar.

The Selection of Eggs for Preservation

Best results are obtained from eggs which are put down in April and May. At this time eggs are not only abundant and cheaper in price than later, but they are also fuller, stronger bodied, and of all-round better quality than those available during the hot weather. An important and safe precaution is to candle all eggs. This is not a difficult or complicated process, for fortunate-

ly an egg is semi-transparent when held before a light in a darkened room and permits, if carefully rotated, of even minor defects being seen. For further information with regard to the candling of eggs, see pamphlet No. 3, entitled "The Candling of Eggs."

CAPE BRETON

The scenic grandeur of the Island of Cape Breton, and the rare charm of its summer climate, tend to make the casual visitor forgetful of the fact that this far Eastern portion of Canada has a history which dates from the time the hardy Norsemen ploughed the waves for pure love of adventure and lust of conquest. Fully a year before Columbus discovered America, John Cabot is said to have visited the Island. The name Cape Breton may have been bestowed upon it by the Breton fishermen of France, who soon afterward began to frequent its waters, or it may even have been that the Basque fishermen gave it this name fully one hundred years before. Louisburg, nearly two hundred years ago, was a powerful fortress bristling with the pride and panoply of war, and representing the might of France in her dream of a great North American Empire. Before this there was a French fortress at St. Peters, while in the now quiet waters of St. Ann's Bay there was strife and bloodshed. With the final fall of Louisburg, in 1758, warfare ceased, and from that date may be traced the peaceful settlement of Cape Breton which has led up to its present development. After the disastrous failure of "Bonnie Prince Charlie," many families of Scottish Highlanders settled on the Island, and their descendants are to be found everywhere today still clinging fondly to Scottish ideals and to the Gaelic tongue.

Cape Breton of to-day is a land of summer loveliness, a vast island wherein are other isles innumerable. Its shores are washed by the billows of the Atlantic, and by the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The shining waters of the Bras d'Or Lakes divide it in twain, and provide a spacious waterway through the interior, while there are numerous rivers, streams and fresh water lakes. To this variety Cape Breton owes much of its charm; nothing is monotonous, nothing tame, and on every hand the scene is calculated to fill the mind with emotions of the keenest pleasure. No pen can adequately describe the scenery around the Bras d'Or. Its waters cover a surface area of 450 square miles, and in places the width is 13 miles, while at others less than one mile separates the land. The depth is surprising, in some places 700 feet. Sheltered from the ocean, of which it forms a part, its waters expanded into bays and romantic havens, flanked by forest-clad hills and lofty cliffs. The shores of the Island are rugged and mountainous. The coast scenery to the northeast is sublime in its grandeur, while to the south the Atlantic surges around numerous islands and pours its waters into many bays. Cape Breton is a country of heights and depths, with mountains, hills, valleys, rivers and lakes. Nature has made it the ideal land for the summer pleasure seeker.



FOR EVERY SPORT AND RECREATION

IMPROVED SEED IN IMPROVED DEMAND

Reports received relative to the demand for seed this season indicate that the orders generally have been for higher grades. All the seed merchants, without exception, agree in this. Several consider that this to a noticeable extent is a result of the recent patriotism and production campaign. Enquiries were made in many sections of the country and the responses received were all of the one tenor, that greater care had evidently been taken in the selection of seed, and that, with fair weather, there was every prospect of improved growth and consequently of improved production. Prof. Zavitz, of the Ontario Agricultural College, was written to, but he being in California, Assistant Professor W. J. Squirrel replied, showing that there had been a marked increase in the demand for Spring Wheat, Barley, Field Peas, Spring Rye, Buckwheat, Husking Corn, Sugar Beets for feed purposes, Swedish Turnips, Carrots, Fodder and Silage Corn, Sorghum, Alfalfa and Field Beans, Oats, Japanese Beans, Millet, and Clover also showed improvement. One of the leading merchants in his testimony as to the results attained says that he has gone into the market extensively and has found an increase in Red Clover amounting to 300 per cent. Both Timothy No. 1 and No. 2 show a gain. In Alsike No. 1 there is a gain of 10 per cent. and of No. 2

over No. 3 of 40 per cent. He adds: "We have noticed that the demand for the better grades exists very generally throughout Western Ontario, and that the demand for the lower grades is more in Eastern Ontario and Quebec." In testifying to the increased demand for garden and field root seeds, the principal of another prominent house says: "There is no doubt but that the agitation and educational work which has been done has had a beneficial effect by causing the planter to give more thought to the use of high-grade stocks." A third leading dealer writes: "We are of opinion that your advertising campaign has been very beneficial. At least we have found it so. Not only has the farming business been greater, but the demand has been generally for the finest selection of seed stocks." A firm with ramifications all over the English speaking world says: "We notice a marked tendency for better seed in the requirements of our farmer customers this year. Especially when ordering Timothy, Alsike and Alfalfa they insist on Government Grade No. 1." Other firms both east and west, testify that the demand for the best seed has been higher than in any previous year.

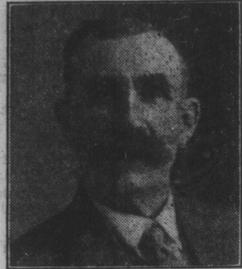
KITCHENER'S MYSTERIOUS ARMY.

For months past one part of Kitchener's great army has been regarded as a mystery army. Over a million men, fairly well trained, are waiting in England, along the east coast,

ready for embarkation when the call comes. More than once it has been suggested that this vast army is not intended to be landed in France or Belgium, but that ultimately it may find itself under the protection of the sea, seeking to obtain a footing upon German soil. Now, the intimation is thrown out that Holland is becoming restless, and that it has stored up vast quantities of supplies in war munitions, food, oil, horses and everything necessary for conducting a campaign. Germany fears that this restlessness in Holland may become ultimately aggressive, and to prevent Holland obtaining any further supplies instructions were given to the submarine fleet to sink vessels bound from England for Holland, although they were neutral. Further instructions were also sent to the United States to no longer ship goods, intended for Germany, to Rotterdam, but to ship the same to Bremen, or some other main port. The speculation is thrown out by a European correspondent that it is only a question of weeks before some active aggression by Germany will plunge Holland into the war, and that Holland will ask Great Britain's co-operation, and that suddenly an army of nearly a million men from Great Britain will land in Holland to aid the Dutch, and that a part of the British fleet will move from its present base in the Orkney Islands to a point nearer the continent.

WILL WE EVER WALK ON AIR?

Train Of Thought Inspired By A Letter About "Fruit-a-tives"



MR. D. McLEAN

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FELICITATING PA.

My pa says when he was a boy W'y all he'd get was just one toy—A jumpy jack, or popgun, when 'T 'uz Christmas time where he lives then, He never looked for any more—He didn't spect a whole toy store!

My pa he says 'at in those days Folks did things dif'rent, anyways. He says he never got a stack O' candy—more'n he could pack. Two sticks 'o candy's all he got—An' he'd think that was a lot.

My pa he says when he's a child Folks didn't all try to go wild An' make their children think they'd get Enough to run their pas in debt. O' course, it wasn't from their pas, But always came from Santa Claus.

He tells me that I should be glad I don't have Chris'mas like he had—He says ther's lots he was denied But he learned to be satisfied; He never dreamed, he says, that boys Should have a whole room full of toys.

I tell my pa I'm awful sad About th' hard times that he had, But that he's really lucky now—He's in our family, anyhow, An' that he shouldn't raise a fuss But be real glad he lives with us!

—Wilbur D. Nesbit, in Chicago Evening Post.

HABITS

A habit is something that steadily grows. Each day it is stronger than ever before.

At first a man treats it as something he knows. He can easily drop when it cheers him no more; "I can toss it aside,"

He declares in his pride, But he finds when the coils have been loosened at last That part of his soul has been left in the past.

A habit comes pleasingly stealing along As a mist settles over a field in the night; Unnoticed at first, it has soon become strong,

And is either an uplifting friend or a plight. It whitens or soils, It exalts or it spoils,

And when 'tis cast off in the moment of strife There is something forever gone out of a life.

Our habits, at first hardly noticed, at length Are things that we lean on or drag by the way.

They weaken our hopes or they lend us the strength To battle courageously day after day;

They debase or exalt, Each a virtue or fault, And the man who achieves as a worthy man should Takes care that the habits he chooses are good.

Peeps at the Panama Pacific Exposition

The arrangements which have been made to present religious activities at the San Francisco Exposition are very complete and satisfactory, the exhibits having been conspicuously located in the Palace of Education and Social Economy. The largest floor space is devoted to Protestant missions, home and foreign, and this is an interesting section, even to the man who cares nothing for missionary work, illustrating as it does the manners and customs of various races in all parts of the world. Striking object lessons may here be seen in the form of pictures showing the influence of the Gospel of Christ in civilizing and transforming heathen countries.

That man must be blind who cannot see the difference between a savage and a Christian community. What has been accomplished by the preaching of the Gospel in such places as the Fiji Islands may be set forth in such a convincing way that nothing can be said against it by even the most cautious critic. Such an exhibition of missionary activities as is now being made in San Francisco is invaluable, as it is seen by thousands who never read a missionary magazine or attend a missionary meeting.

During the progress of the Exposition a long series of conventions and congresses will be held. Inside the grounds a building has been erected for religious purposes solely. One entire floor is occupied by an exhibit showing what Christianity is doing for human welfare, special attention being given to Sunday schools, Epworth Leagues, Christian Endeavor and Y.M.C.A. societies. The second floor of the building contains a large lecture room, where daily addresses are given by qualified speakers.

In addition to the Festival Hall on the grounds, a great auditorium has been erected in the centre of the city, with a seating capacity of 10,000, and this building also contains many smaller halls with a system of sliding partitions, so that they may be subdivided, making in all twenty-six assembly rooms for smaller audiences. This will remain as a lasting and beautiful monument of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. The city and county of San Francisco paid nearly a million dollars for the site, and the Exposition management expended a million and a quarter for the erection of the splendid building, which will doubtless be the scene of many a wonderful gathering for years to come.

In the big auditorium mass meetings of an evangelistic nature are being held, somewhat after the same plan as Mr. Moody's services in Chicago in 1893. The best known and most successful evangelistic preachers are being heard here day after day.

It is pleasing to know that so much attention is being paid to the influences that tend to lift men up. At some exhibitions in the past there has been much of a degrading character, and it has been a question whether more harm than good has been done. It is an indication that the world is growing better that there has been such a strong determination to make this a decent exhibition and that such prominence is being given religious and educational features.

III.—Caring for the Sick.

A completely equipped emergency hospital is maintained at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, with all the appliances for relieving a temporary illness or performing one of the most difficult surgical operations. A library is attached consisting of nine hundred volumes, the very latest authorities on every branch of medicine and surgery. Skilled doctors and nurses are in attendance at all hours, so that patients may count upon receiving the very best possible attention. An emergency ambulance is ready for use at a moment's notice, so that if any accident occurs the injured ones will be in the hospital in the shortest possible time. A vehicle of this kind is so well built and equipped so completely that the person who rides in it scarcely knows that he is moving. Unpleasant jolts and jars have been absolutely eliminated.

Probably many people who have had a deep-seated feeling against all hospitals will find their prejudices removed, by being taken to this emergency institution without their will or consent. After they have received the skilful attentions of the physicians and nurses they will probably wonder why they have all their lives been afraid of an institution of this kind.

Hospitals like this are a feature of Christian civilization and are not to be found in heathen countries except where Christian missions have been established. The earliest Christian examples of what we now understand by hospitals were the hospitals of the Knights Templars and Knights of St. John in Jerusalem and other places in the Holy Land during the crusading era.

St. Bartholomew's Hospital in London was founded in 1546. It is generally conceded that the oldest hospital in the United States is "The Pennsylv-



vania," in Philadelphia, dating from 1750. In many of the large cities of the United States there are Government hospitals for the poor and many private ones founded by philanthropists, churches or societies, in which poor as well as paying patients are received. Luxurious accommodation is provided in these institutions for people of means who are able to pay for what they receive, but everybody is comfortably accommodated whether they have money or not.

The nursing is usually done by young women who are taking a course of training under the supervision of older, more experienced nurses. They take a course of three or four years, during which they receive no pay except their board. After graduation they usually get from \$15 to \$20 per week for private nursing. As far as the writer's experience goes, there are few of the frivolous, flirting, gum-chewing sort among these nurses, but they form an exceptionally intelligent and serious type of young womanhood.

It is to be hoped that readers of this paper who visit the Panama-Pacific Exposition may not need the accommodations of the hospital, but if they should happen to be ill there is the certainty that they will be taken care of.

PROTECTION OF CANADA'S BIRDS

Preservation of Bird Life Essential in Interests of Agriculture and Forestry.

We recognize that game preservation and the protection of bird life are intimately associated with the conservation of natural resources. We therefore favor game protection under regulation, the creation of extensive game preserves, and special protection for such birds as are useful to agriculture.—Declaration of Principles of North American Conservation Conference.

To a great extent the general public, and farmers in particular, have under their control protection from the depredations of insects.

Beyond question the greatest enemy of insect pests is bird life. Investigation has thoroughly proven that all Canadian birds at some time, feed upon insects, some species to the extent of 95 per cent of their diet, while even the common sparrow subsists largely upon insects.

There has been a gradual reduction in the number and variety of birds annually visiting Canada, and this is no doubt due partly to the lack of protection afforded them while with us. If some of our favorites are to continue with us, it is essential that steps be taken to improve the conditions under which they sojourn in Canada. By the cutting down of forests and clearing of wood lots we have removed the haunts of the birds, and thus have driven away those which formerly lived and reared their young in these localities.

To keep the birds with us it is necessary that some means be taken to foster them. Action has been taken to attract birds by setting aside, as bird sanctuaries, the Central Experimental Farm and Rockliffe Park at Ottawa, and distributing nesting boxes therein. Good results have been secured; in 1913 no less than 75 per cent of the boxes were occupied. In this way the birds are encouraged to return year after year, and to this extent they constitute a regular protection against the insect pest.

Both city and country residents have a duty to perform in "protecting their protectors." Nesting boxes should be put in the trees. They are easy to make and the cost is very small. Three pieces of slab wood, with bark on outside, are nailed together to form three sides of a long box; a round hole two inches in diameter being made. The back of the box is a flat piece of wood. The top and bottom may also be made of slab wood. To keep the nest dry several holes are bored in the bottom, which is nailed on. The top is hinged to the back, and when in use is screwed down. This hinged cover allows the box to be cleaned of old nests. These nesting boxes may be attached to the trees by means of two pieces of wire passing through holes in the top and bottom of the back board respectively.

It has been clearly shown that, in proportion as facilities were provided for nesting, more birds availed themselves of the opportunities. Thus the bird-nesting boxes have been the means of increasing bird life, and especially the number of insectivorous birds, in the region where the boxes have been distributed.

Further information on the influences of bird life and the protection of birds is given in Bulletin No. 5 of the Division of Entomology by Dr. C. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist, Ottawa.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house

Ghazala, the Arab

By COL. SPENCER BORDEN

Among the animals to be shown at the Fall River Horse Show on June 10, is one that should attract attention. Reference is made to the white Arabian mare Ghazala.

Beside being one of the last representatives of the famous Arabian Pasha, former Khedive of Egypt, Ghazala is in herself a remarkable animal, of a famous family. As is well known, Abbas Pasha probably had the greatest stud of Arab horses ever owned by one man, since the time of Solomon, son of David, who the Bible tells us, had 40,000 stalls for his horses.

Abbas was brought up as a child, by the Sheikh of Mecca; and while a youth got his love for horses, also his knowledge of what were the most desirable strains of pure bred Arabs, and where to find them. When he came to the throne in Egypt, he gave rein to his passion, and procured the best, no matter what the expense or labor. One mare that he got from Nejd—in the heart of Arabia—was too old to travel, so he had her brought 1500 miles in an ox cart. It is believed that mare is the maternal ancestor of Ghazala, who was born in the desert back of Cairo, nineteen years ago, bred by Ali Pasha Sherif, nephew of Abbas.

The sire of Ghazala was Ibn Sherara, son of Sotamm and Sherara, one of Abbas' choicest Seglawi Jedran stallions, of the strain of Ibn Sudan of the Roala tribe of Bedouins.

The dam of Ghazala, also a Seglawi Jedran, was Bint Helwa, known the world over as the famous "Broken legged Mare." A visitor to Crabbet Arabian Stud in England, in 1905, noticed that first one, then another, particularly attractive animal, was pointed out as akin to the "Broken-legged Mare." Finally he asked, "What is the Broken-legged Mare, and where is she?"

"You shall see," answered Lady Anne Blunt. This most interesting woman, now more than seventy years of age, is grand-daughter of Lord Byron, has traveled extensively in the East, made two trips to the heart of Arabs, one of them to Nejd—never visited by more than a half dozen white people. She speaks and reads Arabic like a native, has two studs of Arabian horses, one in England, one in Egypt, and is recognized as the foremost authority on the subject in the world.

She led the way to a large box-stall, standing by itself, of which Bint Helwa was the sole occupant. Here was a broken-legged mare, sure enough. Were it not for her injury, nothing could be more beautiful, pure white, with a head such as Schreyer would have sought as a model. Her exact counterpart can be seen in the picture of her daughter Ghazala, printed herewith. But her off fore leg! This had been broken between the knee and shoulder, and the bone so shattered it had never knit. The leg hung loosely, the toe just touching the floor of the stable.

Her shoulder also was broken, and the gentle creature stood always on three legs, the fourth could support no weight. When she would move about, the mare reared a bit, hopped around with the good front leg, the poor useless foot dragging. The exclamation came unbidden, "For Heaven's sake! How long has that mare been in that condition?" The owner answered, "For eight years!"

She then told the story of the accident. Bint Helwa had been brought to England from the Egyptian stud with two other mares, and the three turned at pasture together. At nightfall the other mares returned to the stable Bint Helwa was missing. Search for her being made, she was found standing in the road outside Crabbet Park, which is up a long hill, beside which road was a ditch. She had jumped the fence about the pasture, landed in the ditch where her leg and shoulder were broken, the other mares apparently had followed, jumped on her, and broken two ribs. She had gotten out of the ditch herself, and come part way to her home, and there was found, and helped into the hovel where the visitor saw her eight years later.

The accident happened June 13. She was put in sling where she remained for nine months, when the supports were gradually removed, an attendant remaining with her day and night the entire time. April 18, following, her foal was born, and she had produced seven other foals since her accident, when seen by the American visitor. She was then nineteen years old.

This story of the soundness and endurance in the mare seen at Crabbet Park, would lead one to believe the many other tales of animals of her breed. The experiences of her daughter Ghazala in coming to America, and trail of 1914, are proof that she inherits the enduring qualities of her dam.

Ghazala was foaled at the Sheikh Obaid stud of Lady Anne Blunt, at Ad Shems, back of Cairo, Egypt, nineteen years ago. She is therefore just the age of Bint Helwa when seen in England. In 1909 she was bought to come to America, delivery to be at the boundary of the Ad Shems estate. She had never seen a railway train; yet she taken by Cook and Son in a car to Alexandria, then sent by sea to Liverpool. Eighteen days, from September 16 to October 3, she sailed through stormy seas. At Liverpool she rested two days, then sailed for Boston. The voyage was one of the worst the ship ever encountered, and it took nine days for that crossing twenty-four hours more than usual. Ghazala was thrown on her head against the solid woodwork of the vessel, raising a bunch from which a pint of bruised blood and pus was removed, the skin dragged from her head by the halter, her legs strained and skinned. Reaching Boston she had to be taken to the veterinary hospital in an ambulance. There her injuries were treated, and in ten days she walked over the road to Fall River, her American home, fifty miles away. Here she has had three foals, one of them the beautiful gray stallion Ghaour, owned by Chas. A. Stone, Esq., of Plymouth, Massachusetts, and to be shown also at Fall River.

As Ghazala has no foal this year, she will be shown under saddle. At her age—now in her twentieth year—she should not be expected to win over younger mares, as she has been ridden, but little, and she has seven foals.

That she still retains her vitality, same as her mother, is shown by her experience of 1914. February 27th of last year she had a fine filly foal, Gulnare, by Segario. June 29, another mare at Interlachen, Rosina, a daughter of Segario, heavy with foal, slipped, fell, and broke her back. As the mare could not be saved, her foal was taken from her, and lived.

The problem was to raise the foal. Ghazala's filly being four months old, she was weaned and taught to eat solid food, and Ghazala was compelled to adopt the orphan colt of Rosina. This she consented to, and nursed him until the end of October. She thus was mother and foster-mother to two sturdy youngsters, from February till nearly November 1, and both are fine specimens this year.

Of course, the mare had to be fed pretty well, but she accomplished what was asked of her; and her appearance at the Horse Show in June will prove that no serious injury was done her.

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MILK FROM TREES

A remarkable tree of South Africa is that called the cow-tree. It receives that name because, at certain seasons, it yields an abundant supply of milk. It grows in hilly districts, usually where very little moisture is to be had for several months of the year.

This makes it more singular that a plentiful flow of milky fluid will come from the trunk, on boring into it deeply, though the branches look dried. If the milk is put aside for a time a thick cake forms upon it, under which is a clear liquid. Some of it kept in a bottle well corked up was once preserved for several months. The cork, on being extracted, came out with a loud report, followed by a bluish smoke; the milk was a little acid, but not disagreeable to taste.

The tree bears fruit of moderate size, each containing one or two nuts, which are said to have the flavour of strawberries and cream.

Jokers' Corner

Music Teacher: "Johnny is improving daily in his violin playing." Johnny's Mother (gratified): "Is that so? We didn't know whether he was improving or we were just getting more used to it."

Professor of Chemistry—If anything should go wrong in this experiment, we and the laboratory with us might be blown sky-high. Come closer, gentlemen, so that you may be better able to follow me.

She (to beggar): "It's a wonder you don't use soap and water once or so in a month."

He: "I have thought of it, mum, but there's so many kinds of soap, an' it's so hard to tell which is and which is not injurious to the skin, that I don't like to take any risk."

In a Scotch country church the other Sunday during the sermon a baby began to cry, and its mother immediately picked it up and began to carry it towards the door. "Stop!" the minister cried out. "Don't go away. The baby is not disturbing me." The mother continued her way to the door with the very audible remark, "Oh, 'e, ain't, ain't, 'e! But you're a-disturbin' of him!"

The widow was taking her first look at the bust of her beloved husband. The clay was still damp. "Pray examine it well, madam," said the sculptor. "If there is anything wrong I can alter it." The widow looked at it with a mixture of sorrow and satisfaction. "It is just like him," said she: "a perfect portrait—his large nose—the sign of goodness." Here she burst into tears. "He was so good! Make the nose a little larger!"

In a Sunday School in a Virginia town there was one little negro girl in the class. The teacher asked each little girl to think of something that she should be thankful for. Each girl told of some special blessing that was hers. When she came to the little negro girl she said:—"Now, Sadie, what is your special blessing?" "Dat my face is black, an' I don't have to wash it but once a week," was the reply.

A son of Erin, who had the misfortune to get mixed up in an accident, was immediately conveyed to a hospital where it was found that his only injury was a slight wound. The house surgeon carefully examined him, after which he thus stated the case to the nurse:

"As subcutaneous abrasion is not observable, I think there is little reason to apprehend tegumental cicatrization of the wound. What do you think yourself?" he asked Pat, with a mischievous smile. "Shure, doctor," replied Pat. "you're a wonderful thought reader. You took the very words out of my mouth. I was just going to say that."

AT THE PHONE

Some time ago an office boy answering the telephone for the first in his life, and not knowing how to use it, was told that, when the bell rang, he was to answer it.

When, therefore, he heard it ring, he picked up the receiver and shouted:—"Hello! Who's there?" The answer came back:—"I'm one hundred and five." "Go on," said the boy. "It's time you were dead."—Weekly Scotsman.

He was the boss of the shop, and was always nagging his assistants for their failure in the matter of possible sales. One day, hearing an assistant say to a customer, "No, we have not had any for a long time," the boss, unable to restrain such an admission, began to work himself up in his usual rage. Fixing a glassy eye on his assistant, he said to the customer: "We have plenty in reserve, ma'am downstairs." Then the customer looked dazed and then, to the amazement of the boss, burst into laughter and left the shop. "What did she say to you?" demanded the proprietor to the assistant. "We haven't had any rain lately!"

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| 11.38 | * Clarence | 15.37 |
| 11.55 | Bridgetown | 15.01 |
| 12.23 | Granville Centre | 14.38 |
| 12.59 | Granville Ferry | 14.21 |
| 12.55 | * Marsdale | 14.05 |
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SPRINGFIELD

June 27

J. C. Grimm recently made a business trip to Middleton.

J. G. Morrison recently made a business trip to Annapolis.

Mrs. Lydia Cassidy of Kingston has been visiting relatives here.

Mr. Alfred Layte is spending a few weeks with relatives in Maine.

R. E. Roop of Bridgewater recently spent a week at his home here.

Mr. R. H. Carder of Aldershot, visited at W. C. Roop's on Sunday.

Miss Flora B. Roop of Middleton spent Sunday at her home here.

The Misses Baker of Maplewood spent Sunday at the Lakeside House.

Lieut. Gordon Spidle has gone to Aldershot to prepare for active service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Eaton of Middleton, are spending a few days at J. C. Roop's.

Mrs. Spidle of Maplewood is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Elwyn Starratt.

A public school examination was held in Springfield school on Friday afternoon.

S. A. Grimm who moved here from Bridgewater, has opened a Shoemaker's shop.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Starratt upon the birth of a daughter, June 18th.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. L. Roop at Falkland Ridge on Saturday.

Mrs. Hanley who has been spending several weeks with Mrs. A. G. Morton, has returned to her home in Wilnot.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roop, Mrs. Wm. Durling, Misses Leona and Dorothy Durling are attending Association at Westport.

V. L. Roop has gone to Mass. to spend a few weeks. On his return he will be accompanied by Mrs. Roop who has been visiting relatives there.

SPA SPRINGS

June 21

Miss Cora Bowly is home for the summer.

Mrs. James Woodbury spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Foster of North Kingston.

Mrs. Mary Harris has been on a visit to Port Williams, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Neil Coulston.

Our school had its closing exercises last Friday. The children performed the various parts of the program very creditably.

Mrs. B. Woodbury and baby Leon, who have spent the past few months with her parents, Mr and Mrs. George O'Neal returned to her home in Marble Head last Saturday.

Mrs. Starrett Marshall started last Friday for a visit to her brother, and sisters who reside in Denver, Colorado. From there she is going to Los Angeles, Cal., and will attend the Panama Exposition in San Francisco before her return. She will be gone until September.

NORTH WILLIAMSTON

June 21

Mr. and Mrs. William Bent welcomed a daughter on the 15th. Congratulations.

We are glad to see Miss Mildred Carter able to be out again after her severe illness.

Miss Clara Marshall is spending a few weeks at Aylesford the guest of her sister, Mrs. Y. Baltzer.

McLean Stevenson of Brickton, has joined the volunteers at Amherst. He will be very much missed by his young friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lee and two children of Berwick, and Mr. William Gibson of West Dalhousie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Delancey quite recently.

An auto party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lockhart and Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Truro, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morse on Saturday and remained over Sunday.

HILLSBURN

June 21

Mr. Harold Rafuse is very busy building his new house.

Mr. Hiram Young spent Sunday with relatives at Belleisle.

Mr. Arthur King of Milford is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Halliday.

Mr. Charley Milbury of Litchfield spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Wallace Longmire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Jr., of Parker's Cove spent Sunday with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Halliday.

Mrs. Stephen Haines and Mrs. Hayden of Victoria Beach spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Halliday. They came in a motor boat.

Died, at the home of his parents on Saturday, June 21, Arthur, aged three months, the youngest child of Mr. and Richard Hawley. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon; the interment was at Parker Cove Baptist cemetery.

The Schr. Myrtle L. arrived at Anderson's Cove early Sunday morning with a very good catch of fish, also land one of her crew, Mr. Mero of East Pubnico who was taken sick. The marine Dr. (Dr. Smith) was called and pronounced it to be symptoms of Typhoid fever. He was immediately removed to Granville Ferry.

GRANVILLE FERRY

June 21

Mrs. Alex. Irvine arrived from Boston, Saturday to spend the summer at her home here.

Mrs. Blanche Williams has gone to Clementsport, where she will remain for several days at the home of Mrs. A. D. Roop.

During the week Mrs. S. W. Neish has been entertaining as her house guests, Miss Laura Dimmock and Mrs. Sannavan of Halifax.

Mrs. E. E. Wade returned from Clementsport last week. While at Clementsport Mrs. Wade was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hannan.

Miss Lulu Oliver has returned from Halifax, where she has been attending school during the past winter, and will spend the vacation with her mother.

Members of Granville Division No. 398, enjoyed a "Hay-cart ride" to Granville Centre, Saturday evening, where they were the guests of Seymour Division, the evening being one of extreme enjoyment to both the Division and those who accepted their hospitality.

BELLEISLE

June 21

Mrs. (Rev.) Leonard Gesner is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bent.

Mrs. Clifford Duncan of Annapolis, spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Eliza Wade.

The farmers of this district are doing their road work this week under the direction of road-surveyor Abram V. Gesner.

Next Sunday evening the 27th inst., the Rev. H. R. Grant of the Nova Scotia Temperance Alliance, will deliver a temperance lecture in Belleisle Hall.

Mr. Ernest Dent had the misfortune to lose his horse yesterday (Sunday) morning under rather peculiar circumstances. He had just driven from Granville Centre and was unfastening the harness, when the horse dropped dead. It is supposed that heart failure caused its death.

OUTRAM

June 22

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marshall of Middleton are the guests of her sister Mrs. William Bent.

Miss A. Stocum has returned home after spending a few days of last week with friends at Mt. Hanley.

Mr. Hardy Elliott and Miss Hazel Pierce were the guests of Miss Alberta Stocum one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Minard Brinton and daughter Evelyn were the guests of Mrs. Parker Banks on Friday last.

HAMPTON

June 21

Boarders are daily arriving at the Sea Side Hotel.

Miss Saville Brooks is visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Dr. Anderson and family spent Sunday in their bungalow.

Mr. James Hall was calling on his many friends in this place last week.

Mrs. Herbert Foster and daughter Ola, are visiting friends in Karisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson from Port Lorne spent Sunday in Hampton.

Aubrey Sproule from Clarence, spent Sunday with friends in Hampton.

Mrs. Frank Hall from Somerville is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Munroe.

Miss Fannie Titus went to St. John today on the S. S. Ruby L. to visit her sister.

Foye Parkworth is home from Halifax spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Farnsworth.

(From an occasional correspondent)

Mrs. Marshall and Edna leave for Port Lorne on Wednesday to fit up the cabins and cottages in that place ready for summer rental.

Mr. and Mrs. Withers and son Jason and Mr. and Mrs. William Ingle and sons Reggie and Carmon and Misses Jennie and Pearl Ingle came to spend a week at south side Eza Cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Bent and son Paul spent over Sunday at Eza Point in one of Misses Marshall's apartments. Mrs. Bent and Paul will remain the week, Mr. B. returned home on Tuesday.

LAWRENCETOWN

June 22

Mrs. Smith who has spent the past year with her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Longley, is going to New Brunswick on Tuesday to visit her sister during the summer.

The S. S. Class of Mrs. I. F. Brown and W. C. MacPherson, enjoyed an auto ride around Bridgetown Square, on Monday evening. Mr. Bancroft, the Superintendent, kindly arranged this pleasant outing.

Mrs. Roland Richardson was the guest of Mrs. R. A. Richardson on Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Richardson was en route to Antigonish, where she will spend part of her vacation, returning to Lawrencetown in August to remain until the latter part of September.

PARADISE

June 21

Mr. Harold Bowly of Wolfville has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bowly.

Miss Woodworth of Wolfville has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bowly.

Miss Rowena Morse who has been taking a course at the Maritime Business College, Halifax, is at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. K. Morse.

Rev. A. N. McIntch, Rev. J. D. McLeod and Mr. Kenneth Brooks attended the United Baptist Western Association at Westport, before returning Mr. Brooks will go to St. John.

ST. CROIX COVE

June 21

Mr. James Hall, Bridgetown, is visiting friends here.

Preaching service Sunday, July 4th, 11 a. m. Conference Saturday p. m. previous.

Mr. Charles Poole of Bridgetown visited Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Poole yesterday.

Miss Helen Snow and Zeila Foster, Hampton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zacheus Hall yesterday.

Miss Eva Marshall, Clarence and Miss Lucy Marshall, Lawrencetown, spent yesterday at the home of their parents.

CLARENCE

June 21

C. H. Bishop returned from Westport, where he has been attending the Association.

An accident occurred here last Tuesday evening which might have proved fatal in its results. A prominent young man was returning home quite late in the evening, and when nearing the head of the Balcom road his horse slipped off the end of the new concrete bridge which the men had been putting in that day. The horse in going down pitched toward the south bank, and in trying to regain her feet turned over with her head and shoulders against the end of the bridge. He endeavored to rescue her from her perilous condition. After working some time alone and making but little headway, he was compelled to arouse the neighbours in the immediate vicinity to help him out. After working with the animal for two hours they were rewarded with bringing her safely on to the road. The hole into which she had fallen was some four feet deep.

PARKER'S COTE

June 22

Little Hazel Robinson is on the sick list with a slight attack of pneumonia. Service in the Baptist Church on Sunday at 7.30, by the Rev. Mr. Russell.

Auxiliary Schr. Gladys L. Creamer, Capt. Burns, sailed for Boston the 19th, with tobsters.

There will be no service in the Methodist Church on Sunday, the pastor is attending the Methodist Conference at Sydney.

Mr. Howard Ellis of Victoria Beach was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Weir quite recently.

Mr. Benjamin Halliday of Hillsburn was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Archie McGarvie on Sunday.

The fish have been quite plentiful the past week and the men folk have been fortunate enough to catch their own bait.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austen Halliday of Hillsburn, over the week end.

CLEMENTSTALE

June 22

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sproule leave today for a week's visit in different parts of the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor and children are visiting their relatives at Kingston and Nictaux.

Mrs. Norman Dukeshire, Mrs. Walter Dukeshire and baby left for Ipswich, Mass., on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kempion (nee Miss Hattie Sheffer) of Harmony, Queens County, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brainard Ritchie last week.

Misses Florence Danielson, Winnifred Chute and Mary Simpson will write the Provincial examinations at Bear River this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thomas, Miss Dora Thomas of Milford and Mr. and Mrs. Farnsworth of Annapolis came by auto on Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dukeshire.

PORT LORNE

June 21

Miss Winnie Sabean is home from Clarence for a short time.

Miss Jane Anthony of New York is visiting at her mother's, Mrs. Julia Anthony's.

Miss Jean Troop and niece, Myrtle Troop of Granville, are visiting Mrs. W. Anthony.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Blakney Brown on the arrival of a daughter on the 15th of June.

Mrs. George D. Corbit and baby Vivian spent the week end with Mrs. Corbit's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal, Outram.

Many offers of convalescent homes for soldiers have been received by the Ottawa Militia Department from all parts of Canada.

OBITUARY

MRS. EMMA MESSENGER

At her late residence in Lynn, Mass., Mrs. Emma Messenger passed away on June 6th, at the age of sixty-seven years. She was the wife of the late Major Messenger who predeceased her some two years. She had been in poor health for the past year and finally with heart failure the end came. She had spent the greater part of her life in Centrelea, removing in recent years to Lynn, Mass. She was an active member of the Centrelea branch of the Bridgetown Baptist Church and an interested worker in the missionary society. The remains were brought home for interment beside her late husband in the cemetery at Centrelea. The funeral service was held in her old home church, and despite the inclemency of the weather, a goodly number of her old friends turned out to pay the last tribute of respect to one whom they respected and loved. The casket and pulpit were banked with wreaths of flowers which bore silent and fragrant testimony to the esteem in which she was held by her many friends. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. G. C. Warren. The departed leaves to mourn their loss, a family of seven daughters and three sons who "long for the touch of a vanished hand and the sound of a voice that is still." The daughters are Mrs. Shipley Spurr and Mrs. Charles Bacon, of Sydney, C. B.; Mrs. Herbert Walker of Brownfield, Me.; and Mrs. E. M. Lawson, Mrs. George Wilson, Miss Clara and Miss Emma of Lynn, Mass. The sons are Frederick, Herbert and Harry of Lynn, Mass.

"I cannot and I will not say that she is dead. She is just away! With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand. She has wandered into an unknown land. And left us dreaming how very fair it needs must be, since she lingers there."

PORT GEORGE

June 21

An ice cream sale will be held on Saturday evening, June 26th. Everyone invited.

Mrs. Charles Parks and children of Port Wadg, spent the week-end with Mr. Parks' father, Mr. Samuel Parks.

A merry party of twenty-six from Phinney Cove were recent guests of Mrs. W. Oliver, spending the day very pleasantly, and returning home in the evening.

Mr. Fred Hayes with his motor boat took a party of young ladies from Cottage Cove and Port George to Margareville on the 19th. The trip was enjoyed immensely.

Lunenburg Progress—It is said that a very rich find of gold was made at Malaga last week. The lead carrying the precious metal is said to be 20 inches wide, and Hanley is the enthusiastic man to be seen in these parts nowadays.

On Tuesday of last week, the British Prime Minister asked the House of Commons for an additional war credit of £250,000,000.

FIRE IN SHELL WORKS NEW GLASGOW

New Glasgow, June 15.—On Sunday morning there was a \$5,000 fire in the shell works of H. W. Cummings where the work of finishing the shrapnel shells was about to begin. The fire was confined to the shell finishing department, and a German by the name of August Miller, employed at the Nova Scotia Steel Works has been arrested on suspicion of having caused it. An investigation has been started. About fifty Australians who arrived in New Glasgow last Saturday are also under close observation.

An interesting development pointing to the need for rigid, uncompromising vigilance, is that a threatening letter has been received by another shell making firm, warning them that if they do not cease the manufacture of shells, they will regret it.

BORN

BEZANSON—At Hampton June 20th to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bezanon, a daughter.

BENT—At Hampton, June 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bent, a son.

HOPKINS—At Centrelea, June 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hopkins, a daughter.

MARRIED

MESSENGER-STARK—At the home of George Redford, 200 Brussels St., St. John, on June 2, at 8 p. m., Reginald Clifford Messenger of Bridgetown, N. S., was married to Miss Bessie C. Stark, by the Rev. Frederick Ross. Mr. and Mrs. Messenger will reside in Bridgetown.

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