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HONORS FOR CANADIANS

Interesting Ceremony in Rideau Hall when Governor General Presents Honors to Noted Men

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—An interesting ceremony took place at Rideau Hall Saturday, when, in the presence of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the Princess Patricia, and the ladies-in-waiting and aides-de-camp, the Royal Governor General invested four well-known Canadians with honors given by his Majesty the King, Sir Louis Gouin, Premier of the Province of Quebec, was invested with the K. C. M. G. Mr. Creighton, of Ottawa, with the G. M. G. and Messrs. W. S. Bowles, chief clerk of votes and proceedings, House of Commons, and I. G. A. Creighton, law clerk of the Senate, with the Imperial Service Order.

Sir William Arbuthnot Lane, the distinguished British surgeon who successfully operated on H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught, during her recent illness, was also present.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL OPENS IN FEBRUARY

Live Stock Branch of Federal Agricultural Department to Aid N. B. Farmers

New Brunswick's first agricultural school will be opened for the first short courses early in the month of February, according to an announcement made by Mr. J. B. Daggert, secretary for agriculture, who has returned from a trip to Upper Canada where he had been consulting with officials of similar institutions.

At St. Anne de Bellevue, P. Q., Mr. Daggert conferred with Dr. Harrison, principal of the MacDonald College, and also addressed the twenty odd students at the institution from New Brunswick, giving a fifteen minutes' talk on New Brunswick conditions and this province's bright outlook for the future. The matter of appointments to the staff at the Woodscroft school is now under consideration.

At Ottawa Mr. Daggert had a conference with Mr. F. C. Nunnick, of the Commission on Conservation, when the commission's operation along agricultural encouragement lines in New Brunswick were discussed and in future the work will be carried on with even greater harmony than has existed in the past. Mr. Daggert also had a conference with Commissioner Bright of the Live Stock Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture.

The Live Stock Branch will this year endeavor to place a number of male horses, cattle, sheep and swine in New Brunswick next season, thus leaving the Provincial Department to take up the importation of any female stock. At Toronto Mr. Daggert attended the Ontario Women's Institute convention at which upwards of 1,000 delegates were present, and also visited the horticultural and live stock show in progress there. "I was encouraged to find out that we are on the right line in New Brunswick to bring our development of the live stock and horticultural industries up to the same high standard that has been reached in Ontario," said Mr. Daggert.

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WORK GOING STEADILY ON

Foundation work being Hastened Along—Hon. Mr. Rogers Reserves Decision

Work at the new bridge is being hastened along with all possible speed. The masonry work on the west abutment, the Newcastle side, is completed, and the one on the opposite side will be finished this week. The work on the approaches, however, is still going on.

Hon. John Morrissey, Minister of Public Works, who in company with Messrs. Percy A. Guthrie, H. M. Blair and A. R. Wetmore, who were in Ottawa to make application to Hon. Robert Rogers in the matter of the permit for the erection of this bridge, returned from their mission Monday.

The lumber interests, who were represented by Hon. L. J. Tweedie and R. A. Lawlor, of Chatham, with Major Sam Sharpe, M. P., as counsel opposed the application for the permit.

Hon. Mr. Rogers reserved his decision.

Philadelphia is doing its best to dispel the notion that it is a slow town. At a dinner party given recently at the Bellevue Stratford by some very select members of society, a flock of monkeys entertained the guests by pulling to pieces the beautiful orchids with which the rooms were trimmed. Has cheating become so common as to warrant this statement from the Highgate, Ont. Monitor: "Personally, we don't care a rap about it, but it does seem a shame that people are allowed to collect all the fine vegetables, fruit, etc., from all over the region and then show them at the fall fairs as their own property and grown by themselves. Similarly we are given to understand that there are pieces of ladies' work shown at the annual fall fairs that have been on exhibition for the last twenty years."

The main floor of the St. John post office is to receive some improvement immediately. It is intended to erect a deck floor above the present Prince William street level and thus practically double the present floor space. This deck will be used chiefly for the handling of their parcel post end of the business.

LAURIER GOVERNMENT NEG- LIGENT OVER FREIGHT RATES

Report of Chairman Drayton Shows that the Late Government Showed Discrimination in Rates.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—That the late Liberal administration lost an opportunity to secure a thorough inquiry into the question of ocean freight rates is shown in a statement of fact in the report of H. L. Drayton, chairman of the Railway Commission, on the subject, made public by Hon. Geo. E. Foster to-day.

Mr. Drayton states that the British Board of Trade pointed out to him an offer of co-operation in a joint inquiry was made to the Canadian Government in a letter from Lord Crewe as far back as 1910, but no reply to the communication was ever received. As a result of Mr. Drayton's trip the Dominion trade commission will be investigating the matter of shipping rates from the Canadian viewpoint in Canada early next year.

A Thorough Investigation

The chairman of the Railway Commission endeavored to obtain the appointment of a joint commission to make a thorough and complete investigation of the whole question of rates and charges of ocean carriers, the operations of terminal and port authority, and the ocean traffic generally, and suggested that the Commission should advise as to what legislation, if any, should be passed by the Imperial Parliament or the Parliament of Canada in connection with the matter. In addition to discussing the matter with the Imperial authorities, Mr. Drayton met the representatives of the five largest shipping companies.

To his proposals, however, the British Board of Trade pointed out that the question of freight rates had been broached by them to the Laurier administration as far back as 1910, but without any response from Canada to a request for co-operation in the investigation. In 1911, the Imperial Conference launched its Imperial Trade Commission scheme, and this body was assigned the duty, among numerous others of inquiring into ocean freight charges by a joint separate commission, as desired by the Dominion Government. The Imperial Trade Commission had been instituted by the British Board of Trade to investigate the matter of ocean freight rates as thoroughly and as quickly as possible. Mr. Drayton received the promise from Sir Edgar Vincent, chairman of the special commission, that that body will be in Canada next August and that an interim report on the matter of freight rates will be made.

The Obstacle to-day

Since that time the Imperial Trade Commission has visited Australia and New Zealand and taken evidence on the subject of freight rates between the United Kingdom and those Dominions, and purposed visiting Canada for the purpose this coming year. It was not, therefore, deemed advisable to appoint a second commission to inquire into freight rates, as its work would overlap that of the Imperial Trade Commission. They also reasoned that any new body that might be created could not get to work within a year, by which time the Imperial Commission would have visited Canada.

Government Control Difficulty

Notwithstanding this, however, the Chairman of the Railway Commission expresses the belief in his report that an investigation by a separate body should be held, although he is of the opinion that Government control would be difficult. Mr. Drayton goes fully into the question of the eastern and western shipment and points out how Canadian exporters of flour and wheat are apparently discriminated against, as the rates are changed weekly and monthly, while exporters from England to Canada have a fixed rate.

WOODSTOCK MAN FALSELY ACCUSED

Arrested by Vancouver Police Owing to a Resemblance of Man Wanted for Murder

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 22.—Dolph McLean, who has been in the Canadian West about a year, son of R. J. McLean, of Woodstock, met with a hold up recently that he did not relish. He left Vancouver in his auto one day to do some electrical work in the suburbs. While driving along the road slowly his auto was stopped by police officers and he was arrested for the murder of a girl in a neighboring town. He denied the charge, but the officers produced a photo of the murderer which was a good picture of the Woodstock boy. He was taken to Vancouver, and without much difficulty he was able to prove that the officers unfortunately had arrested the wrong man. Dolph is now very earnest for the arrest of his double.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION

American Citizens Residing Here Will Hold Supper at Hotel Miramichi

A Thanksgiving supper, which will be of unusual interest to a number of our American citizens who have been residing here during the past summer, will be held at the Hotel Miramichi on Thursday night, Nov. 27th.

This being their Thanksgiving day, they will hold their First National Thanksgiving Dinner in honor of the day. Mr. H. A. Frank has been appointed chairman.

To have a patriotic gathering of this nature in our town is something new, and we heartily congratulate our friends and good citizens from across the border for the loyalty they show to the country of their adoption while living under our own British flag.

The following gentlemen will be present:

Mr. C. A. Wentworth, Philadelphia, Penn.

Mr. H. A. Frank, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. W. G. Morse, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. Harry Chapman, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. S. D. Lindsay, Chicago, Ill.

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Mr. E. W. Sawyer, San Francisco, Cal.

Mr. C. D. Manny, Vermont State.

Mr. F. E. Carball, Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. Leo Keating, Boston, Mass.

Mr. C. Singleton, Harrisburg, Penn.

SURROUNDED BY WALL OF MASONRY

Concrete Wall Twenty-two Feet High Makes Chances of Escape Impossible

The Maritime Penitentiary at Dorchester is now completely enclosed with a new wall of solid masonry. The material used was Portland cement and dressed stone. The wall is 22 feet high, and measures exactly two feet in thickness. The structure is built in a trench measuring eight feet below the surface of the earth. This takes the massive wall below any possible action of the frost. This new wall supersedes the wooden palisade and adds very much to the architectural appearance of this well known abode of wrong doers. It may also be stated that the safety of the prison, with a wall of such proportions, has been rendered almost perfect. Mr. J. J. Kane, the Chief Trade Inspector, has personally directed the workmen. The work of course was entirely done by the convict class. Warden Pipes and his efficient officer, Mr. Kane, are to be congratulated on the completion of this work, which has extended over a period of three years. The final touches were made on Saturday last. On each angle of the great wall, watch towers of a most modern type have been constructed, and are now occupied during the working hours of the prison by armed guards.

Ernest Bennet, when hunting in Oranguoc, Me., fired at a buck and brought it down, entangling its horns in the underbrush. He untangled it and straightened it out, whereupon the buck jumped up and disappeared in the woods before he could get his rifle.

GOVT. SURVEY FOR NEW LINE

Survey is Being Made for New Line From Buctouche to Loggieville

A government survey is being made for a proposed extension of the I. C. R. which will run from Buctouche to Richibucto, St. Louis, thence through to St. Margarets, Black River and connecting with the I. C. R. at Loggieville.

Connecting as it will with the Buctouche line at one end and the I. C. R. at Loggieville at the other, it will run through a section of the County of Kent which would make it a profitable addition to the I. C. R. and of great benefit to this thickly populated section of the county.

As a very large portion of the trade of the above mentioned villages comes to Chatham by team, this road would be of especial benefit to this town, as it would afford an easier and quicker route for farmers and others to come to Chatham, thus saving their hardships of having to be on the road all night in order to be in town in proper time to dispose of their produce.

We understand this road would be a cheap one to build, and Chatham, on account of the increased trade it will bring to that town, is to be congratulated should this line be built.

The engineers who have been making the survey, reached Loggieville a few days ago.

RESPECTED LADY DIES IN CHATHAM

The death occurred Sunday morning at Chatham, of Mrs. Bridget W. England, widow of the late William England in the 63rd year of her age, leaving one son, William of Chatham, and five daughters, Mrs. Hill of Cambridge, Mass., Mrs. Robert Kerr, of Chatham, Mrs. William Burton of Vancouver, Mrs. George Harris, and Mrs. Arthur Cameron, Chatham. Mrs. England is also survived by two brothers, Thomas and Michael Walsh of Chatham.

The deceased who was well known and highly esteemed succumbed to an attack of paralysis.

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The Police Magistrate's report was submitted by Ald. Falconer. It showed 51 cases for the quarter ending Sept. 30—drunkenness, 24; gambling, 10; vagrancy, 4; treating an Indian, 1; fighting on street, 1; assault, 1. Of the gambling cases, 2 had paid \$25 fine and costs, and the other eight had been fined \$25 and \$7 costs each, the costs being paid and the fines allowed to stand.	
Total fines and costs paid \$292. Magistrate's fees' 189; Constables' fees, \$20; A. A. Davidson's counsel fees in gambling cases, \$50—total \$279. Balance of \$53 paid over to Town Clerk.	
Report was received and filed.	
Ald. Ritchie of Petitions Committee recommended that the petition of Crandall & Harrison re reduction of assessment on personal property be not granted.	
On motion adopted.	
Ald. Belyea asked what had been done with Chas. Farrah's petition re reduction of assessment.	
Ald. Ritchie replied that Mr. Farrah had not yet submitted the affidavit asked for.	
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A.—That young man's sin was worldliness—love of riches had got the better of him, and rather than give them up he let Christ go, as thousands are doing to-day.

HONORS FOR CANADIANS

Interesting Ceremony in Rideau Hall when Governor General Presents Honors to Noted Men

Ottawa, Nov. 23.—An interesting ceremony took place at Rideau Hall Saturday, when, in the presence of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the Princess Patricia, and the ladies-in-waiting and aides-de-camp, the Royal Governor General invested four well-known Canadians with honors given by his Majesty the King, Sir Louis Gouin, Premier of the Province of Quebec, was invested with the K. C. M. G. Mr. Creighton, of Ottawa, with the C. M. G. and Messrs. W. S. Bowles, chief clerk of votes and proceedings, House of Commons, and I. G. A. Creighton, law clerk of the Senate, with the Imperial Service Order.

Sir William Arbuthnot Lane, the distinguished British surgeon who successfully operated on H. R. H. the Duchess of Connaught, during her recent illness, was also present.

REV. DR. COUSIN'S SPECIAL ADDRESSES

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AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL OPENS IN FEBRUARY

Live Stock Branch of Federal Agricultural Department to Aid N. B. Farmers

New Brunswick's first agricultural school will be opened for the first short courses early in the month of February, according to an announcement made by Mr. J. B. Daggett, secretary for agriculture, who has returned from a trip to Upper Canada where he had been consulting with officials of similar institutions.

At St. Anne de Bellevue, P. Q., Mr. Daggett conferred with Dr. Harrison, principal of the MacDonald College, and also addressed the twenty odd students at the institution from New Brunswick, giving a fifteen minutes' talk on New Brunswick conditions and this province's bright outlook for the future. The matter of appointments to the staff at the Woodsport school is now under consideration.

At Ottawa Mr. Daggett had a conference with Mr. F. C. Nunnick, of the Commission on Conservation, when the commission's operation along agricultural encouragement lines in New Brunswick were discussed and in future the work will be carried on with even greater harmony than has existed in the past. Mr. Daggett also had a conference with Commissioner Bright of the Live Stock Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture.

WORK GOING STEADILY ON

Foundation work being Hastened Along—Hon. Mr. Rogers Reserves Decision

Work at the new bridge is being hastened along with all possible speed. The masonry work on the west abutment, the Newcastle side, is completed, and the one on the opposite side will be finished this week. The work on the approaches, however, is still going on.

Hon. John Morrissy, Minister of Public Works, who in company with Messrs. Percy A. Guthrie, H. M. Blair and A. R. Wetmore, who were in Ottawa to make application to Hon. Robert Rogers in the matter of the permit for the erection of this bridge, returned from their mission Monday.

The lumber interests, who were represented by Hon. L. J. Tweedie and R. A. Lawlor, of Chatham, with Major Sam Sharpe, M. P., as counsel opposed the application for the permit.

Hon. Mr. Rogers reserved his decision.

SURROUNDED BY WALL OF MASONRY

Concrete Wall Twenty-two Feet High Makes Chances of Escape Impossible

The Maritime Penitentiary at Dorchester is now completely enclosed with a new wall of solid masonry. The material used was Portland cement and dressed stone. The wall is 22 feet high, and measures exactly two feet in thickness. The structure is built in a trench measuring eight feet below the surface of the earth. This takes the massive wall below any possible action of the frost. This new wall supercedes the wooden palisade and adds very much to the architectural appearance of this well known abode of wrong doers. It may also be stated that the safety of the prison, with a wall of such proportions, has been rendered almost perfect. Mr. J. J. Kane, the Chief Trade Inspector, has personally directed the workmen. The work of course was entirely done by the convict class. Warden Pipes and his efficient officer, Mr. Kane, are to be congratulated on the completion of this work, which has extended over a period of three years. The final touches were made on Saturday last. On each angle of the great wall, watch towers of a most modern type have been constructed, and are now occupied during the working hours of the prison by armed guards.

LAURIER GOVERNMENT NEG-LIGENT OVER FREIGHT RATES

Report of Chairman Drayton Shows that the Late Government Showed Discrimination in Rates.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—That the Liberal administration lost an opportunity to secure a thorough inquiry into the question of ocean freight rates is shown in a statement of fact in the report of H. L. Drayton, chairman of the Railway Commission, on the subject, made public by Hon. Geo. E. Foster to-day.

Mr. Drayton states that the British Board of Trade pointed out to him an offer of co-operation in a joint inquiry was made to the Canadian Government in a letter from Lord Crewe as far back as 1910, but no reply to the communication was ever received. As a result of Mr. Drayton's trip the Dominion trade commission will be investigating the matter of shipping rates from the Canadian viewpoint in Canada early next year.

The chairman of the Railway Commission endeavored to obtain the appointment of a joint commission to make a thorough and complete investigation of the whole question of rates and charges of ocean carriers, the operations of terminal and port authority, and the ocean traffic generally, and suggested that the Commission should advise as to what legislation, if any, should be passed by the Imperial Parliament or the Parliament of Canada in connection with the matter. In addition to discussing the matter with the Imperial authorities, Mr. Drayton met the representatives of the five largest shipping companies. To his proposals, however, the British Board of Trade pointed out that the question of freight rates had been broached by them to the Laurier administration as far back as 1910, but without any response from Canada to a request for co-operation in the investigation. In 1911, the Imperial Conference launched its Imperial Trade Commission scheme, and this body was assigned the duty, among numerous others of inquiring into separate commissions, as desired by the Dominion Government. The Imperial Trade Commission had been instituted by the British Board of Trade to investigate the matter of ocean freight rates as thoroughly and as quickly as possible. Mr. Drayton received the promise from Sir Edgar Vincent, chairman of the special commission, that that body will be in Canada next August and that an interim report on the matter of freight rates will be made.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION

American Citizens Residing Here Will Hold Supper at Hotel Miramichi

A Thanksgiving supper, which will be of unusual interest to a number of our American citizens who have been residing here during the past summer, will be held at the Hotel Miramichi on Thursday night, Nov. 27th.

This being their Thanksgiving day, they will hold their First National Thanksgiving Dinner in honor of the day. Mr. H. A. Frank has been appointed chairman.

To have a patriotic gathering of this nature in our town is something new, and we heartily congratulate our friends and good citizens from across the border for the loyalty they show to the country of their adoption while living under our own British flag.

The following gentlemen will be present:

Mr. C. A. Wentworth, Philadelphia, Penn.

Mr. H. A. Frank, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. W. G. Morse, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. Harry Chapman, New York City, N. Y.

Mr. S. D. Lindsay, Chicago, Ill.

Mr. J. E. Rogers, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mr. O. D. Covell, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. G. T. Privott, Norfolk, Va.

Mr. Daniel Smith, Boston, Mass.

Mr. John MacPhee, Boston, Mass.

Mr. James Woods, Rockport, Mass.

Mr. Garrett Higgins, Rockport, Mass.

Mr. Charles Orr, Rockport, Mass.

Mr. E. A. Carlisle, Bangor, Me.

Mr. A. Brotherton, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. E. W. Sawyer, San Francisco, Cal.

Mr. C. D. Manny, Vermont State.

Mr. F. E. Carbaly, Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. Leo Keating, Boston, Mass.

Mr. C. Singleton, Harrisburg, Penn.

GOVT. SURVEY FOR NEW LINE

Survey is Being Made for New Line From Buctouche to Loggieville

A government survey is being made for a proposed extension of the I. C. R. which will run from Buctouche to Richibucto, St. Louis, thence through to St. Margare's, Black River and connecting with the I. C. R. at Loggieville.

Connecting as it will with the Buctouche line at one end and the I. C. R. at Loggieville at the other, it will run through a section of the County of Kent which would make it a profitable addition to the I. C. R. and of great benefit to this thickly populated section of the county.

As a very large portion of the trade of the above mentioned villages comes to Chatham by team, this road would be of especial benefit to this town, as it would afford an easier and quicker route for farmers and others to come to Chatham, thus saving their hardships of having to be on the road all night in order to be in town in proper time to dispose of their produce.

We understand this road would be a cheap one to build, and Chatham, on account of the increased trade it will bring to that town, is to be congratulated should this line be built.

The engineers who have been making the survey, reached Loggieville a few days ago.

RESPECTED LADY DIES IN CHATHAM

The death occurred Sunday morning at Chatham, of Mrs. Bridget W. England, widow of the late William England in the 63rd year of her age, leaving one son, William of Chatham, and five daughters, Mrs. Hill of Cambridge, Mass., Mrs. Robert Kerr, of Chatham, Mrs. William Burten of Vancouver, Mrs. George Harris, and Mrs. Arthur Cameron, Chatham. Mrs. England is also survived by two brothers, Thomas and Michael Walsh of Chatham.

ERNEST BENNET, WHEN HUNTING IN ORGUSSOC, ME., FIRED AT A BUCK AND BROUGHT IT DOWN, ENTANGLING HIS HORNS IN THE UNDERBUSH. HE UNTANGLED IT AND STRAIGHTENED IT OUT, WHEREUPON THE BUCK JUMPED UP AND DISAPPEARED IN THE WOODS BEFORE HE COULD GET HIS RIFLE.

The main floor of the St. John post office is to receive some improvements immediately. It is intended to erect a deck floor above the present Prince William street level and thus practically double the present floor space. This deck will be used chiefly for the handling of their arcel post end of the business.

AN AIRPLANE FERRY SERVICE IS TO BE ESTABLISHED BETWEEN SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA.

The citizens of the town of Newcastle join hands with their friends of the Stars and Stripes and raise their voices high in encore to the toasts of to-morrow evening.

An aeroplane ferry service is to be established between San Francisco and Oakland, California. The six miles will be covered in five minutes, and the fare will eventually be reduced to 10 cents. The ferry will make two trips daily and will be in operation by January 1.

"MY ONLY MEDICINE"

Says Mrs. Corbett, Are "Fruit-a-tives" "They Keep Me In Perfect Health"



Mrs. ANNIE A. CORBETT

AVON, ONT., May 14th, 1913.

"I have used 'Fruit-a-tives' for indigestion and Constipation with most excellent results, and they continue to be my only medicine. I am highly pleased with 'Fruit-a-tives' and am not ashamed to have the facts published to the world. When I first started, about six years ago, to use them, I took four for a dose, but I cured myself of the above troubles and gradually reduced the dose to one tablet at night. Before taking 'Fruit-a-tives' I took salts and other pills but the treatment was too harsh. I thought I might as well suffer from the disease as from these treatments.

Finally, I saw 'Fruit-a-tives' advertised with a letter in which someone recommended them very highly, so I tried them. The results were more than satisfactory and I have no hesitation in recommending them to any other person. They have done me a world of good. I get satisfaction from them, and that is quite a lot!"

ANNIE A. CORBETT.
50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST CULLED FROM ALL SOURCES

By order from Washington, U. S. all the mail wagons are to be painted a coach green instead of red. The reason is that the green paint will wear longer than the red.

Dirty milk is being sold in Montreal. On Monday of last week the authorities seized 400 gallons, on Tuesday 500 and on Wednesday 300 gallons. They raided the premises of twelve milk dealers.

A London cable to the New York Tribune says: For the first time in the history of this country a negro has been elected mayor of a borough. The honor has fallen to John Richard Archer, a photographer, of Battersea Park Road, by 29 votes to 29. He was elected Mayor of Battersea by the Progressive Party.

On a mountain about 2,000 feet high above Dolygaer, Breconshire, G. B., a farmer has found planks and other building material which had apparently been carried there from a place in the Rhymer Valley, six miles away, by the recent whirlwind.

Found guilty of killing George Moir his successful rival for the affection of Lily Hubbard, William Campbell, a negro, who is wanted by the police of Cincinnati, for the murder of several women, was recently sentenced at Montreal to be hanged on December 31. The evidence which convicted Campbell was a straw hat, spattered with blood.

Miss Clara Mellum, of Grand Lake, Minn., while walking through the woods, found Albert Peterson, of Duluth, up in a tree, with a bear waiting down below. Miss Mellum shooed the bear away with her apron, and released the hunter.

Four hundred scholars, infants and girls, at the St. Chad's Roman Catholic School, Birmingham, G. B., recently were marched into the school playground in two minutes following an outbreak of fire in the school engine house. Fire drill music was played on the piano, and the children ran two by two into the playground, where they remained until the danger was over.

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Cancer that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Walding, Kinna & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Drugists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Arizona has a wider range of altitude than any other Western State. Its highest point is San Francisco Peak, 12,811 feet above the sea level, and the lowest is on the Colorado River, where the elevation is but 100 feet.

Because a canary which he had put in charge of his neighbor while on a journey returned unable to sing, R. Trudeau, of Montreal, Que., sued the neighbor. An ornithologist explained that the bird lost its voice because it had been kept near a cage in which there was a pair of canaries and as a result of jealousy. The result ended immediately.

Twin brothers who resemble each other so closely that they cannot be told apart have both been called for service in a French regiment, and it has been ordered that one of them shave closely but wear his hair long, while the other is to wear his hair close clipped and grow a full beard.

"Be merciful to the maple," is the injunction issued by the forest service at Washington. According to the forest service officials, the maple provides material for about everything, except, perhaps, a political platform. Furniture and farm implements, shutters and spools, crutches and bowling alley floors—these are among the uses to which the wood is adapted.

A pendant made up of one canary diamond weighing 6 1/2 carats, surrounded by 85 smaller diamonds arranged in a pear shape and attached to a neck chain in which smaller diamonds are set, will be the gift of the House of Representatives to Miss Jessie Wilson when she marries Francis B. Sayre in the White House on Nov. 25. Republican leader Mann started the movement by which individual members of the House contributed more than \$2,000 for the gift.

END STOMACH TROUBLE, GASES OR DYSPEPSIA

"Pape's Diaprepin" makes Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomach surely feel fine in five minutes.

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch gas and eructate sour, indigestion, heartburn, fullness, nausea, bad taste in mouth and stomach-headache, you can get blessed relief in five minutes. Put an end to stomach trouble forever by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diaprepin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder. It's the quickest, surest stomach doctor in the world. It's wonderful.

At Villacoubly, France, recently Capt. Delacarde, one of the most noted French Army aviators, was killed as he was landing after a flight in his aeroplane. The captain had turned off his motor power and was descending peacefully when a gust of wind caused his machine to tip over at a height of only 15 feet from the ground. The aviator was thrown out and the motor fell on him, crushing him to death.

Alderman Frost, of Calgary, says that the city loses \$500 a month as a result of the men in the employ of the city rolling cigarettes and lighting pipes.

Nuneaton, G. B., small pox hospital, which cost the ratepayers \$50,000, and never had a patient will shortly be opened as a sanatorium for consumptives.

The youngest bank president in the United States is W. L. Moody, head of a newly organized institution in Galveston, Tex. He is 19 years and 8 months old and comes of a long line of bankers.

The Argentine Government has arranged to maintain permanently a meteorological station established by a British Antarctic expedition at Laurie Bay, the southernmost inhabited point in the world.

In a contest held in Caldwell, Ida., to determine the settler who had gained the most in the last ten years, John Jansen won the first prize. When he filed his claim in 1903 he had 11 cents, a span of mules and a wagon. He is now worth at least \$10,000.

Near Louisiana, Mo., a walnut loz was found recently, buried six feet deep. It is supposed to be at least 200 years old, as there was growing over it a sycamore tree three feet in diameter, and the walnut was about 100 years old when it ceased its growth.

James M. Lynch, for two years vice-president of the International Typographical Union and for the last thirteen years president, has resigned to accept the position of Labor Commissioner of the State of New York. The appointment is for three years and the salary is \$10,000 a year. Mr. Lynch will be succeeded by Mr. Duncan, vice-president of the union.

A rather clever comment on the blue rain predictions of the Republican papers in the United States came the operation of the new tariff is found in the Literary Digest, which says the manufacturers are in the position of the man in the water, who was holding on to something and yelling for help. No assistance being forthcoming, he put down his feet and walked ashore.

Five school boys hazed Stanlish Hamilton, thirteen years old, after he had enrolled at the Bessemer School, Pueblo, Co., recently and he may die as the result of three broken ribs and a fractured skull. Hamilton had started home when the boys grabbed him and started the hazing. They beat him into unconsciousness, and then jumped on him and kicked him. They will be prosecuted.

The death of a bride in the midst of the wedding party has occurred at Fenton, Staffordshire, G. B. The young woman, who was 22 years of age, had been married three hours earlier in the parish church to a local collier. After the ceremony they adjourned to the house of a relative for the wedding breakfast. On reaching the house, however, the bride, who had shown signs of illness while in the church, collapsed. Death occurred two hours later, from excitement in the presence of the assembled guests.

November brides who envy the daughter of President Wilson should remember that a multitude of wedding gifts, many of them duplicates, may become a burden forever rather than a joy. When Alice Roosevelt was married in the White House, she received 12 chests of silver, 10 sets of fancy dishes, two complete sets of cut glass, one of Venetian glass, 25 handsome clocks, 12 Oriental rugs, 15 dozen sets of silver spoons and knives and forks without number. Lots of these beautiful and costly things, it is said, still remain in the boxes in which they were packed.

England may have three Empresses resident within her borders before long—the Queen Mother, Alexandra, the Empress Marie of Russia, who has practically decided to pass her whole time in England, and the Empress Eugenie.

More than 100 gallons of milk were used by firemen in Kansas City to extinguish a fire in a dwelling house. There was no hydrant, but on a dairy platform nearby were many large cans of milk which were used successfully as a substitute for water.

In London there is an old pensioner who stands every day at a crowded street corner helping children across through the traffic. His sole recompense is the gifts which the children offer at Christmastime.

The last volume of the largest novel in the world has just been published in Japan. It was commenced in 1852, and in all 106 volumes have been published, each containing 1,000 pages of 300 words each. The whole novel weighs about 130 pounds.

The Nurses' Alumnae Association, Kingston, Ontario, have raised the prices for nursing from the old figure of \$18 per week to \$21 per week for contagious diseases. The high cost of living is given as the cause of this increase.

Inspector Carter, in Amherst lately, destroyed over 10 barrels of liquors that he had seized. The "News" of that town says: "A sorrowful party of spectators watched the proceedings and the general verdict was that it was a sinful waste of good material."

tango, won first prize recently at a ball given for two hundred friends by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Klein at their home in London, G. B. The dance gets its name from the fact that the dip sideways by each couple is accentuated with the easy motion of a shark turning in the water to seize its prey. It is danced sideways altogether, and necessitates the latest creations in free motion tango dresses.

SUFFERED EVERYTHING

For Years, Restored To Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Canadian women are continually writing us such letters as the two following, which are heartfelt expressions of gratitude for restored health:

Glanford Station, Ont.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and never found any medicine to compare with it. I had ulcers and falling of womb and doctors did me no good. I suffered dreadfully for years until I began taking your medicine. I also recommend it for nervousness and indigestion."—Mrs. STEPHEN J. MARTIN, Chesterville, Ontario, Canada.

Chesterville, Ont.—"I heard your medicines highly praised, and a year ago I began taking them for falling of womb and ovarian trouble. My left side pained me all the time and just before my periods which were irregular and painful it would be worse. To sit down caused me pain and suffering and I would be so nervous some times that I could not bear to see any one or hear any one speak. Little specks would float before my eyes and I was always constipated. I cannot say too much for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, for there are no medicines like them. I have taken them and I recommend them to all women. You may publish this testimonial."—Mrs. STEPHEN J. MARTIN, Chesterville, Ontario, Canada.

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MASTER WORKMAN

SMOKING TOBACCO

It is a continuous strain for a builder to watch his buildings go up.

A pipe-full of MASTER WORKMAN tobacco is a great soothing when some deep thinking has to be done. This world-famous brand may now be had at all tobacconists for 15c. per cut.

MORTGAGE SALE MORTGAGE SALE

To Weldon McTavish, of the Parish of South Esk, in the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick, laborer, and to all others whom it may concern:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the fifth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve made between the said Weldon McTavish, of the one part, and George Stables, of the Town of Newcastle, merchant, Mortgagee of the other part, registered in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds, in and for the said County of Northumberland, in volume 92, on pages 15, 16, 17 and numbered 31 in said volume, there will, for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by said Indenture of Mortgage default having been made in payment thereof, be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, in front of the POST OFFICE, in the TOWN of NEWCASTLE, in said County of Northumberland, at TWELVE O'CLOCK noon on THURSDAY, THE FOURTH DAY OF DECEMBER NEXT, the lands and premises in the said Indenture of Mortgage described as follows:

"All that piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the Parish of South Esk, in the County of Northumberland, and bounded as follows, viz:—Northerly or in front by the North West Branch of the Miramichi River, on the upper or westerly side by lands owned and occupied by Joseph Ferguson, on the lower or easterly side by lands owned and occupied by James McTavish and extending southerly or in rear to the full extent of the original grant which was devised by the late Hazen McTavish to Ethel Jane McDonald and by her conveyed to the said Weldon McTavish by Indenture bearing date the sixth day of July, A. D. 1912."

TOGETHER with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon and the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or appertaining."

DATED this twenty-ninth day of September, A. D. 1913.

GEORGE STABLES, 40-10 Mortgage

To George D. Stewart, of the Parish of Blackville, in the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick, trader, and Charlotte E. Stewart, his wife, and to all others whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the eleventh day of October, A. D. 1898, and made between the said George D. Stewart and Charlotte E. Stewart of the one part, and James Bean, of the Parish of Blackville, aforesaid, Merchant, Mortgagee of the second part, registered in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds, in and for the said County of Northumberland, in volume 74, on pages 293, 292, 293 and 294, and numbered 193 in said volume, there will, for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by said Indenture of Mortgage default having been made in payment thereof, be sold by public auction, in front of the Post Office, in the Town of Newcastle, in the said County of Northumberland, at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday the twelfth day of December next, the lands and premises described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:

"ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Blackville aforesaid, in Lockstead Settlement, known as Lot No. 108, containing 100 acres more or less on the west of Highway Road, on the north by lands owned by Alex Ferguson, on the west by Crown Lands, and being the same property presently in the occupation of the said George D. Stewart and Charlotte E. Stewart, his wife, and upon which they presently reside; ALSO one quarter acre of land on north side of Highway Road bounded on Church Road, on the east and by James Dale on the west containing in all 1/2 acre with butcher shop and ice house."

Together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon, and the rights, members, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining, or with the same had, held, used or enjoyed, and the reversions and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof.

DATED this sixth day of October, A. D. 1913.

SIMON BEAN, JANE BEAN, Administrators of the Estate and Effects of the above named Mortgagee James Bean. 41-10

FREE TO BOYS

Splendid electric pocket flashlight, an electric motor, trumpet call mouth organ, magic lantern (with 12 slides), gold signet ring, "Starr" hockey skates, or guaranteed watch free to any boy. Send your name and we will send you 30 sets of beautiful Xmas post cards to sell at ten cents a set (six cards in each set). When sold, send us the money and we will send you whichever prize you choose. If you want money instead of a prize send us \$2.10 when the cards are sold and keep the other 90c. For selling 40 sets we will give you a moving picture machine (with 2 films and 3 slides), Simplex typewriter or a foot ball. Address HOMER-WARREN CO., Dept., 98, Toronto. 47-2pd.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 2nd January, 1914 for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, two times per week each way, between Lower Neguac and Price Settlement: from the 1st April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Lower Neguac and route offices, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, N. R. COLTER, Post Office Inspector, Post Office Inspectors Office, St. John, N. B., Nov. 5th, 1913.

NEWCASTLE STEAM FERRY TIME TABLE

(Every day except Sundays)

Leave Newcastle—A. M.—6.50, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30, 12.00

P. M.—1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 10.00.

Leave Chatham Head—A. M.—7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45.

P. M.—12.15, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.15.

SUNDAY TIME TABLE

Leave Newcastle—A. M.—9.00, 9.40, 10.20, 11.20.

P. M.—12.30, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.20, 8.40, 9.25.

Leave Chatham Head—A. M.—9.20, 10.0, 10.40, 11.40.

P. M.—12.40, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.45.

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"More Bread and Better Bread" and "Better Pastry, Too" 527

THE FARMER'S COLUMN

MAKING THE LIVE

STOCK COMFORTABLE

Jack Frost's little nips these nights should be a reminder that the long cold winter is again with us. What have you done or what are you going to do before the steady cold weather arrives to make our live stock as cosy and comfortable as possible during the season when they must of necessity be confined for hours, days or perhaps weeks at a time?

Are your stables well lighted? If not, are you going to rest contented while your stock is, as it were, in a den where dirt and disease germs breed and multiply directly to the detriment of your stock's health and indirectly to the impairment of your own and your family's good health. If you are at all handy with tools the expense of putting a few extra window panes where they will admit the most light into your stables will be nominal. Don't put off a matter of this kind. Get at the job some mid day and you will be delighted with the transformation. Are the stable windows so covered with dust and cobwebs that they will hardly admit any light. Take a lesson from the good housewife in window washing and apply yourself and the lesson learned to cleaning the stable windows.

Are there chinks in the walls that admit the cold winds to circulate beneath the floors? A few minutes work with pieces of board, hammer and nails or with stone and mortar or some other material will fill the openings so that the cold will be excluded.

What about bedding? If you have a sufficient quantity of straw or swade hay to do for bedding, you can spend a day very profitably before the snow flies gathering and storing the fallen leaves in your wood lot, or it may be that you can get all the sawdust you require at a neighboring mill, for the hauling.

Are the floors rough or uneven? Punch the nails or spikes and smooth off the lumps with axe or adze and if a plank is badly worn or decayed take it out and replace it with a new one.

Plan to have your stables properly ventilated, but do not ventilate by means of direct drafts. Having made your live stock comfortable outwardly do not neglect to feed and water regularly. We are firm believers in having water within reach of stock at all times. A system of that kind will pay for its instalment many times in the course of a few years. You have often seen a cow turned out to water on a cold, stormy day, return with a rush to the stables without taking more than a sip or two when she would be so thirsty that she would drink several gallons if offered to her a few minutes after returning to her stall. Have you ever considered the torture that such a cow would undergo before watering time next day unless given some water in the meantime?

What applies to one line of stock in the foregoing applies to all classes of farm stock. The good stockman will always be careful to see that his stock is as comfortable as he can make them. Some of the things we have mentioned are only trifles; but it is the small things that count in the race for success.—Maritime Farmer.

The new reflecting telescope of the Carnegie solar observatory on Mt. Wilson, it is said, will bring the moon within 29 miles of the earth.

CHICKS AND ELECTRICITY

A system whereby plants are electrically stimulated in their growth has been successfully operated for some years, and the application of the electric forcing of poultry is on practically the same lines.

The plants are not merely to hatch and brood chickens, but to force their growth by alternating electric currents. According to Robert Maxwell writing in Successful Farming, in the plant for growing chickens the electric current must effect the process of ozonization, or condensation of oxygen, to the point of oxidation, and to stimulate animal tissue than accelerated growth. There is nothing mysterious about the process. It is simply the application of an electrical effect which hastens the progress of nature in the development of tissue.

Briefly, the fowls to be forced in growth by this means are confined in a suitable room or other enclosure which is surrounded by wires protected against contact, and which are charged with approximately 5,000 volts of a high frequency current of low amperage, which, as applied, is harmless. (Only low frequency, high voltage currents kill.) This continuous sweeps the enclosure with a constant electrical bath, which is so perfectly and evenly distributed as to be almost imperceptible to the most susceptible of human sensations. The fact that the room has been converted into an "electrical field" can be detected only by delicate and highly sensitive electrical apparatus. Animal life is insensible to it.

Electric poultry forcing plants in Europe and England have grown chickens from the incubator stage to market size in practically one-half the time required for the maturity of untreated fowls. The cost for the electric current for this period has averaged about 94 cents per fowl, and this light expense is returned many times over by the reduced amount of foods required.

The same kind and portion of feed being given to treated and untreated fowl during recent tests, show that the electrified chickens, maturing in so nearly half the ordinary growing period, required about 40 per cent. less feed than the non-electrified fowls. The result of these tests proved that electric treatment will grow two broods of chickens from incubator to table size in about the same time, and with but little more feed, than required to produce one brood by ordinary methods.

At present the somewhat heavy expense connected with the installation of an electrical poultry forcing plant is the greater; latering factor operating against the practicability of universally establishing the system on the general farm and smaller poultry yards. There is also to be taken into consideration the fact that some subordinate phases of the system have not yet been fully developed, at least there is reason to believe that further experimentation will result in more completely perfecting some of the minor details.

The plant that has just been established on Long Island is modelled in a general way on the plans of a similar forcing plant in England, but the owner of the recently built plant claims to have made a number of important improvements over the original system as adopted by the English grower. For this reason he announces that his new plant will be closed against public inspection until the details of such improvements have been thoroughly worked out.



CURE SICK HEAD

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in constipation, curing and preventing the annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cure the head.

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Is the base of so many lives that here is where we make our great head. On pills cure it and cure it do not. Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills are all that is needed to cure a headache and do not grip or purge, but by their gentle action produce relief and ease.

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It is better to be missed after you are dead than to have your wife throw things at you while you are alive.

A popular love song is entitled, "If I but knew." If either he or she did know, the parson might be shy another fee.

SPARKLING EYES AND RUBY LIPS

The Birthright of Every Girl with Rich, Red Blood

The sad eye that goes with bloodlessness is a sure sign of misery and weakness. Anaemia—that is bloodless—girls and women have dull heavy eyes with dark lines underneath. The eyelid is pulled down, looks pale and bloodless inside. This is not all. Anaemia works havoc all through the system; girls grow painfully weak and irritable; they are breathless and incapable of much exertion, while older women who are anaemic complain of being "never really well."

There is only one way to brighter, better health for pale, pining girls and women. That way is to invigorate the body with new blood—the rich, healthy blood that imparts strength, cleanses the system of all impurities and restores the bright eyes and red lips of perfect health. Thousands of girls and women know that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People make this new, rich, red blood, and so restore health and strength more surely than any other medicine known. There would not be an anaemic woman or girl in the land if those suffering from this condition would give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial. That is why so many recommend these pills to their suffering sisters.

Mrs. R. R. Keith, Steeves Settlement, N. B., says:—"At the age of 19 my daughter Sadie began to complain of constant headaches, and did not have her usual good appetite. I went to a doctor and got some medicine, but it did not help her, and finally she had to discontinue going to school. She seemed to be growing weaker every day and wanted to lie down all the time, and would continually complain of being tired. The doctor gave her another bottle of medicine, but with no better results. There was not a bit of color in her face or lips, and I was afraid she was going into a decline. A friend who was in to see her said "if she was my child I would try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills," and I decided I would take the advice. In a couple of weeks we could see a difference, as her eyes looked brighter, and she would try to eat a little. When she began the pills she could not dress herself alone, but little by little she could go for a walk. She continued the use of the pills several months with the result that she was again strong and active. This was over two years ago, and she has been a strong, healthy girl ever since. We have since used the pills, for other purposes and find them a good family medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Funeral plumes for horses have come under the ban of the Royal Society for the prevention of cruelty to animals in London, which has found by investigation that the use of plumes entails suffering and discomfort. Undertakers themselves have also condemned the plumes. At a meeting of the British Undertakers' Association last May the plume was denounced as cruel and unnecessary. It is notified by the Society that any undertaker who adorns his horses with plumes after January 1, 1914, can be fined under Sec. 1 of protection of the animals act, 1912, which forbids the infliction of "any unnecessary suffering upon any animal."

Extravagant people will be sending their friends eggs as Christmas presents this year.

SALE OF PRODUCTS OF MIXED FARMING

Where the City Comes in on the Question of a Wider Market For This Produce

The diversified products of mixed farming, such as dairy supplies, poultry, eggs, vegetables, etc., are perishable to a much greater extent than the products of grain farming. The question naturally arises, therefore, where will the products of the mixed farm of the West be sold? The market must be near at hand to get the best results, as many of the products of the diversified farmer cannot be shipped to advantage over long distances. The Saskatchewan Farmer call attention to the market, problem in its August issue. It emphasizes the fact that production must not be allowed to get too far ahead of marketing facilities. To quote the Saskatchewan farmer: "Forty farmers mixed, tributary to a village with a population of 500 cannot find a home market for all the butter, eggs, potatoes, and vegetables that they could readily produce. If 50 per cent. of the farmers in Saskatchewan engaged in mixed farming they would soon glut the markets of every city, town and village in Saskatchewan. It is quite evident that the tide of mixed farming is rising. Not only are many farmers producing for sale other products than grain, but a large number are now supplying their own wants in the way of butter, eggs, meat and vegetables. Those who are doing so are very materially reducing the cost of their living. The question is: Are we preparing for a full tide of production of mixed farming products?"

The development of manufacturing centres throughout the Prairie Provinces will provide the best kind of market for the products of the mixed farms. It is well that attention is being directed to marketing facilities this early in the development of mixed farming. Efforts should be made to have the products of the farm reach the toll in the west Western factory by the most direct route and in the shortest time. Eliminate the middleman should be the slogan of the mixed farmer and his urban customer.

Factory growth in the West will be more rapid than ever in the next ten years under the present trade policy, and it is altogether likely that the host of workmen, who will be required to man the new industries, along with their wives and families, will consume all the food supplies the Western farmer can raise.

THE COST OF LIVING

The Fiscal Policy has Little Effect—High Prices Universal Today

It is frequently asserted in these days, when everybody is discussing the high cost of living, that the country's tariff policy accounts for a great part of the increase. Careful examination of the economic history of not only Canada and the United States, but also of European countries shows that eras of high prices have prevailed under low tariff and low prices under high tariff, as well as high prices under high tariff. Under certain conditions the tariff may be a factor in the cost of living, but as far as manufacturing products in Canada are concerned statistics do not support the contention that the products of tariff protected industries in Canada are increasing in price.

In 1878 one of Canada's pioneer carriage companies produced about 30 buggies, which they sold from \$160 to \$170 each. In 1911 their output was 15,000, and they were able to offer the farmer a buggy at \$85 that was vastly superior to the one they used to receive \$170 for. In 1878 the price of sugar was nine cents per pound retail. To-day it is six or seven cents. Binders in 1878 sold from \$275 to \$300, while to-day the farmer is able to get a better binder in every respect and that will do the same work for \$125. Reapers that sold for \$100 in 1878 are retailing to-day at \$60 to \$65. In view of these facts and numerous other examples that could be quoted, it seems evident that the cost of living has not increased very much by reason of the increased cost of manufactured goods.

Miss Gertrude N. Garrity, of Suffolk, Conn., was on Friday awarded \$50,000 damages by Judge Curtis in the Superior Court at Hartford, for the loss of both hands. Her hands were burned, and later amputated as the result of a short circuit being formed when she pulled a chain to light an incandescent light. An electric light company and a telephone company, joint defendants, admitted liability.

The St. John Standard says:—There will be hearty accord in the wish that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who just celebrated his 72nd birthday may long be spared to lead the Liberal opposition. In his political career Sir Wilfrid has made mistakes but there is little doubt that he has been sincere in them. Anyway all his mistakes pale into insignificance when compared with the possibility of Mr. Pugsley as leader of the party. The Liberals may well ask themselves, —After Laurier, what?

AGRICULTURAL CONDITIONS THROUGHOUT CANADA

Ottawa, November 15.—The Census and Statistics Office has issued today the usual bulletin upon agricultural conditions throughout Canada as reported by correspondents at the end of October. The report gives estimates of the areas, yields and values of root and fodder crops, of the area sown to fall wheat for next year's harvest, of the proportions of ploughing completed this fall and of the acreage summer fallowed in 1913.

The total area under root and fodder crops (potatoes, turnips, manolds, etc., hay and clover, alfalfa, fodder, corn and sugar beets) is placed at 8,693,000 acres and the total value of the products from this area at \$187,399,100. The estimated total yields and values of these crops are: potatoes 76,720,000 bushels, value \$37,379,000; turnips and other roots 73,090,000 bushels, value \$20,103,000; hay and clover 10,050,000 tons, value \$114,789,000; fodder corn 2,436,300 tons, value \$11,273,500; alfalfa 251,700 tons, value \$2,895,600 and sugar beets 161,000 tons value \$959,000. These figures are provisional, as finally corrected returns, based on the Census of 1911, will be available for publication at the end of the year. The average yields per acre for the Dominion are reported as 165.85 bushels for potatoes as compared with 172.19 bushels last year, 254.12 bushels for turnips and other roots as compared with 402.51, 1.32 ton for hay and clover as compared with 1.47 ton, 8.64 tons for fodder corn as compared with 10.26, and 2.44 tons for alfalfa as compared with 2.79. It will be recalled that last year's season was especially favourable for roots and fodder crops.

In quality all these crops are marked as about 90 or above 90 per cent of the standard, excepting fodder corn which is 85.

The potato yield is highest in New Brunswick, 244 bushels, and lowest in Ontario, 119 bushels. The area estimated to be sown to fall wheat for the crop of 1914 totals 1,066,700 acres as compared with 1,086,800 acres in the area estimated to have been sown in 1912 for 1913. This represents a net diminution for the five provinces of Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia of 80,100 acres or 7.37 per cent. Ontario where nearly seven tenths of the crop is grown remains practically stationary the estimated total reduction being only 2,000 acres from 696,000 acres. There is a diminution of 1,100 acres in the two provinces of Manitoba and British Columbia, offset by an increase of 6,000 acres, making 78,000 acres in Saskatchewan. The bulk of the reduction is therefore in Alberta where the acreage is estimated as 229,000 as against 312,000, or a decrease of 83,000 acres—nearly 27 per cent. Correspondents attribute this decrease to the excessive amount of winter killing of fall wheat during the last three years in consequence of which many farmers have given up this crop altogether. The condition of fall wheat for all Canada averages 93.74 per cent. of a standard, Manitoba and Saskatchewan showing the best condition with 95 and 96 points respectively.

The percentage of fall ploughing completed compares well with last year, when however the conditions were exceptionally unfavourable. The percentage ranges from the lowest of 36 in Saskatchewan to the highest of 70 in Quebec. In Manitoba and Alberta the respective percentages are 58 compared with 27 last year and 44 compared with 24.

As compared with 1912 all the provinces devoted a smaller area to summer fallowing excepting Prince Edward Island and the three Northwest provinces, where the increased percentages are from 2 to 15.

ARCHIBALD BLUE, Chief Officer.

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The perfect flour is the one that combines the good qualities of Ontario and Western wheat. This is exactly what "Beaver" Flour does. It is a blend of best Ontario fall wheat with a little Western wheat to add strength. "Beaver" Flour is equally good for Bread and Pastry—it has the real home made flavor that western flours lack. Ask your grocer.

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Do not get out of patience or scold or shake your baby for crying. He does not do that to be ugly—that is not a baby's nature—he wants to laugh and be happy but when he cries that is the way he takes of telling you he is in pain; that his little stomach is out of order or that his new teeth hurt him. Instead of being cross give him a dose of Baby's Own Tablets and you will soon see him laughing and happy again. The Tablets sweeten the stomach; make teething painless; break up colds; cure constipation and expel worms. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A man always says things behind his wife's back when he is hooking up her dress.

The best many a girl gets out of it who marries for a home is a chance to cook for boarders.

Always wear a white apron when sewing on dark material, as this relieves the strain on the eyes.

When a woman is in love with a man she'll listen to what he says—just as if he were saying something.

In Belgium all the cows wear ear-rings, to which are attached a numbered metal tag used for taxation purposes.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Make Your Selection and Purchases of Christmas Gifts as Early as Possible

The practice of leaving the selection of gifts until Christmas week and, in many cases until the very eve of the day itself, is not only a selfish one but it is not good business. The shopper who buys now can have complete lines of new fresh goods to select from. These stocks are gradually depleted with the approach of Christmas until the belated ones who hope to make a last minute selection, is working under difficulty. Then there are the salesmen and shop girls to think of. It is not generally realized, though nevertheless a fact, that in practically every store where Christmas goods are offered, the small sales during the week before Christmas total more than in any other four weeks during the year. Of course, extra help is usually engaged to cater to the throngs of gift buyers, but this by no means removes the strain upon the men or women behind the counter. Christmas is a holiday season, let everyone help to make it so and in no other way can there be a greater distribution of happiness, than by lightening the burden which the last minute shopping rush brings to the salespeople.

And in purchasing Christmas goods every person should remember that the prosperity of our city demands that as far as possible we buy our goods at home. Watch for the Christmas ads. In The Advocate—they will interest you.

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J. H. BROWN,
Managing Editor.

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ANOTHER BIG INDUS-
TRY PROMISED

The Sussex Record says editorially: "German capitalists have representatives in the province in connection with the formation of the Atlantic Oilfields Company, with a capital of millions of dollars. The feature that is most interesting to Sussex and its surroundings is that the big concern contemplates investigating the mineral possibilities on some forty square miles of property in this vicinity on which they have acquired mining rights. The company will seek for oil, salt and potassium and are hopeful of locating all three in paying quantities. Should their efforts be successful a big industry is assured. Those who are behind the scheme claim they are in a position to proceed with prospecting and next summer should see considerable activity in the vicinity of Sussex. The company had representatives here some months ago and reports favorable to developing these holdings were sent home. New Brunswick is surely attracting the attention of outside capitalists."

New Brunswick, as well as the other eastern provinces, certainly is attracting outside capitalists, and this is due mainly to the increased amount of advertising the east has been doing during the past few years. The lure of the west is a thing of the past and that old worn out advice, "To west, young man," has changed to "stay east, young man."

That this province is forging ahead, no one in authority will deny; and especially so is this fact regarding this our own part of the province—the Miramichi—which, although now known the world over, will, with the operation of the wireless now in course of erection here, be brought in closer contact with the leading financial and industrial centres of the civilized world.

By constant advertising in this, as in all lines of trade, there is bound to come success, and the work now lies with the papers, both daily and weekly, to boom this province for everything there is in it, and especially our own home towns, and thereby make New Brunswick a bigger and busier east.

TO OUR BOYS

Boys, there is one great fact that many of you forget, or fail to understand. That is that you are in school for your own good and for your country's. You and your country will both be losers if you fail to make the most of your opportunities. You are having your chance now to make yourselves into something worth while. Don't miss your chance. Don't think that you are cheating the teacher if you can manage to slight your work without being caught. That cheats only yourself. Every day wasted now, every duty shirked, must be paid for by you at a heavy price later.

The teacher is there to help you make a useful and successful man of yourself. Don't make his work harder; try to make it easier. Your good teacher is your best friend. Every man knows this when he has grown up; the sensible boy should realize it now, before it is too late to obtain the benefit of a good teacher's help.

Just try, boys, girls, too, to see how well you can co-operate with the teacher this term, and how you can help, not hinder, the school work. You will enjoy your school work and get more good out of it.—Current Events.

Bonar Law, speaking at Birmingham, Eng., last Friday night, said there was nothing further from the truth than that Canada was in favor of Home Rule. He was a Canadian himself, he said, and ought to know as well as Mr. Redmond what Canadians feel on the subject. Surely Mr. Bonar Law must have a magnified opinion of himself if he imagines because he is a Canadian that he is the channel through which our good Canadian people speak.

FOUR YEARS
FOR BIGAMY

James Barnhart to Serve
Four Years in Dorchester at Hard Labor

James Barnhart, who pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy in Judge Maltby's Court, was sentenced this afternoon to four years in Dorchester Penitentiary at hard labor.

Barnhart came here recently from Campbellton where he left a wife, and has been working on the wireless. He was married here on Thursday last to a Miss Bessie Cable, under the assumed name of Renhart.

His wife in Campbellton came down on Monday and had him arrested. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was remanded until to-day, and given the above sentence.

It was reported that Barnhart had been married three times and that his first wife died from injuries received at his hands, this the prisoner denied, saying that she had died giving birth to a child.

He admitted that he had forced the Cables girl to marry him by threatening her with a breach of promise suit, as she had promised to marry him and then refused to do so. It is the opinion, however, that he used a stronger threat than this. He has the appearance of a bad character, and should consider himself lucky that he got off with the above sentence.

RECIPROCITY IS
WITHDRAWN BY U. S.

The new United States tariff repeals the reciprocity offer under a provision which reads as follows:—"That, except as hereinafter provided, sections one to forty-five, both inclusive, of an act intitled 'An act to provide revenue, equalize duties, and encourage the industries of the United States, and for other purposes,' approved August 5, 1909, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed."

The reciprocity duties were inconsistent with the duties of the Underwood tariff.

The result is that there is no longer on the statute books of the United States an offer to make Canada an adjunct of the republic. The Liberal leaders have nailed their colors to the mast of reciprocity. They have declared for a policy which the people of Canada by an enormous majority rejected. They have asserted and reasserted their determination if ever returned to power, to accept the offer made by the United States. They are perfectly willing that Canada should be an adjunct of the United States.

FORSAKES BUSINESS
FOR PRIESTHOOD

New York Financier at Fifty
Seeks Ordination—Dispensation Required

New York, Nov. 24—Richard M. Carney, for more than twenty years a trader on the Broad street curb, according to his friends, has decided to abandon the field of finance to become a priest. Mr. Carney is fifty years old and because of his age a special dispensation from Rome must be obtained before he can be ordained.

Mr. Carney at present is reported to be at the Jesuit College of St. Andrew in Poughkeepsie.

Mr. Carney is a former St. John man, brother of Rev. F. L. Carney, Frederickton.

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS,
FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

Look Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

CANADA'S ADVERSE
BALANCE OF TRADE

Is Largely a Thing of the Past—
Exports Increasing while Imports are on the Decline

(Mackintosh's Investment News) During the past six months when Canada, in common with the world, was passing through a period of financial stringency, a great deal of emphasis was laid upon Canada's so-called adverse balance of trade. It was pointed out that this country presented one of the most dangerous fields in the world owing to the wonderful prosperity and expansion which had characterized her during the previous dozen years. There was a general belief expressed by Canada's critics that the pendulum would swing in the opposite direction and that this country would suffer severely from business depression. To substantiate their arguments, they pointed out the large excess of imports over exports and concluded therefrom that Canada had a heavy adverse balance of trade. It was pointed out that for the fiscal year 1912-13 our imports totalled \$681,943,515, while our exports were but little more than half, amounting to \$338,232,057.

Admitting the truth of the arguments that Canada had an adverse balance of trade, it is interesting to note that in the first six months of the fiscal year 1913-14, which ended 30th September last Canada's total trade amounted to \$551,987,000 as compared with \$596,265,000 for the corresponding year. The chief point to be emphasized, however, was the relation of imports to exports. For the six months just ended, our exports have been growing faster than our imports. The exports for the six months of the present year amounted to \$211,000,000 as compared with \$178,000,000 for the corresponding period of 1912, or an increase of \$33,000,000. During the same period, our imports only increased from \$328,000,000 to \$340,000,000, a gain of but \$12,000,000. For the month of September itself, this tendency is even more marked. While our total trade increased from \$87,000,000 to \$95,000,000 imports actually declined from \$57,000,000 to \$54,000,000, while exports showed a gain of from \$29,000,000 to \$41,000,000. In other words the adverse balance of trade, which has been so frequently commented upon by hostile critics, is becoming a thing of the past, and Canada, instead of borrowing money to pay her debts, is selling her natural products and thereby redeeming her obligations.—Journal of Commerce and Shareholder.

MARKED DECREASE
FROM CUT OF 1911

The total cut of lumber in Canada in 1912 was 4,389,723,000 feet, board measure, valued at \$69,475,784, which production represents a decrease of per cent. from that of 1911. There was a greater or less decrease in each province except Saskatchewan, where during 1912 the cut increased by 16 per cent., 89 per cent. of the lumber there produced being spruce. Ontario still leads the provinces in lumber production, cutting 31.6 per cent. of the total; British Columbia makes a close second, and, as its percentage production is increasing, while that of Ontario is falling off, the position of these two provinces may possibly be reversed in the report for 1913.

Twenty-eight different kinds of wood were reported as being sawn into lumber in 1912, the leading species being spruce, white pine, Douglas fir and hemlock. The cut of these species is increasing every year, with the exception of white pine, which has remained practically stationary since 1909 and which, from present indications, will soon take third or even fourth place.

There were also cut in Canada during this period 1,578,343,000 shingles valued at \$3,175,319; 899,016,000 lath, valued at \$2,064,622, and 65,906 tons of square timber, valued at \$1,825,154. The increase of 89.9 per cent. in the cut of square timber is noteworthy for this is the first increase since 1877.

Detailed statistics regarding the production of lumber, lath, square timber and shingles for 1912 can be obtained from the Director of Forestry, Ottawa.

INTERESTING ITEMS

It requires a tactful man to remember a woman's birthday and yet forget her age.
Isn't it queer how many of your friends are broke when you want to borrow a few dollars.
Bombita, a Spanish bullfighter, has killed 3,000 bulls and made \$600,000. Must have retailed the beef.
God will never leave you without light to take one step. Don't stop walking until the light gives out.
The man who is anxious to start an argument can always find another misguided person willing to help him.
Autumn is the storehouse into which all other seasons bring their treasures. It is the Exposition of spring, summer and winter.
When a man works fifteen hours a day trying to earn money enough to buy his wife all the fool things she wants, that is love.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Volkman were in town Monday.
Mr. Clyde Johnson, of Chatham, was in town yesterday.
Mr. M. W. McCantley of Blackville, spent Saturday in town.
Miss Edith Vickers spent the weekend with relatives in Nelson.
Miss Jean Thurber of Millerton, is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Stothart.
Mr. Mike Kain's many friends are glad to see him home from the west.
Miss Pearl Wright was the guest of Miss Clara McGrath at Chatham, Sunday.
Mr. C. G. Havill, representing Printers' Supplies, Ltd., was in town Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ross, of Tabusintac, were visiting in Chatham the past week.
Mrs. W. V. Price and daughter May, left for their home in MacLeod, Alta., this morning.
Mrs. Chas. Morrissy and children spent Friday of last week with Chatham friends.
The ladies of the St. James' Church Guild, met on Monday night with Miss Jean Morrison.
Mrs. W. R. Fitzmaurice will receive on Thursday, Dec. 4th, at her residence, Pleasant St.
Miss Hilda Gunning, who has spent the past year in Winnipeg, is visiting at her home in Chatham.
Mrs. Arch. Wright spent the weekend in Nelson, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Martin Handley.
Miss A. M. Kirkpatrick, of Douglas-town has been visiting Mrs. Cavan Brophy, Blackville, during the past week.

Miss Catherine Moran of Amherst, who has been the guest of Miss M. Bell, for the past week, has returned home.

Mrs. Thomas Davies leaves next week for her old home in Liverpool, England, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Robt. Fagan, accompanied by her little niece, Florence Dunn, left on Monday for a two weeks' visit to relatives in Banor.

Elkanah Cook, of North Rang, N. S., died Tuesday night of last week as a result of being crushed beneath the wheels of a locomotive.

Mrs. J. P. Byrne, of Bathurst, has left for Liverpool, being called there on account of the serious illness of her brother-in-law, Mr. Herman Wrens.

Mr. C. A. D. Bayley, of Montreal, General Construction Manager of the Foundation Co., Ltd. was in town over Sunday, making an inspection of the work on the new bridge.

Mrs. Dr. Nicholson was hostess at a Bridge Party last Thursday night. Mrs. J. O. Fish winning first prize and Mrs. H. Williston winning the consolation prize. Among those present were: Mesdames J. O. Fish, Wm. Sinclair, Chas. Call, O. Nicholson, H. Williston, Chas. Stothart, W. J. Jardine, J. Robinson, Jas. Stables, J. D. Creaghan, John McKean, John Russell, Chas. Sargeant, Gilmore Stothart, Grimmer, Armstrong, Desmond, Burpee Gillespie and Misses Stables, Fleming, Williston, Ritchie, and Harley.

On Monday night Mrs. R. Armstrong was hostess at an enjoyable Autumn Bridge party of four tables as a farewell for Mrs. Grimmer. A pleasant feature during the evening was a presentation to Mrs. Grimmer of a silver cake plate, who was also winner of first prize. Those who were present were: Mesdames Grimmer, J. Robinson, J. Russell, A. J. Ferguson, H. Williston, O. Nicholson, H. Jardine, Chas. Stothart, Chas. Morrissy, J. D. Creaghan, Desmond, R. Nicholson, and Misses Stables, Crocker and Harley.

Papers have been filed with Mr. H. G. Fenety, registrar of the Divorce Court, in the action for divorce which is being brought by Mrs. Edna Waring, of West St. John, against her husband, Mr. George H. Waring, Jr., superintendent of the Ferry Service at St. John. Mrs. Waring was formerly Miss Edna Brown of St. John. The case will be heard in February.

Teacher—If you had eight pennies and Billy had four, and you took his and put them to yours, what would 'hat make?' "Trouble."

The best policy is simplicity and truth.—Napoleon.

Skin Sufferers—Read!

We want all skin sufferers who have suffered for many years the tortures of disease, and who have sought medical aid in vain, to read this.
We, as old established druggists of this community, wish to recommend to you a product that has given many relief and may mean the end of your agony. The product is a mild, simple wash, not a patent medicine concocted of various worthless drugs, but a scientific compound made of well known antiseptic ingredients. It is made in the D. D. D. Laboratories of Toronto and is called the D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema.
This is a doctor's special prescription—one that has effected many wonderful cures.

Christmas Baking

About this time of year the Lady of the House always turns her attention to Baking Preparations for Christmas. We have just received and opened up a choice and selected stock of:
Raisins in Selected Valencia, Valencia Layers, Choice Clusters, Dehesa Clusters, Easter Lily, Trio and Rosco Seeded Raisins in packages. **Currants** in Reindeer and Thistle Brands. **Peel** in Citron, Orange and Lemon. **Dates**, Dromedary and bulk. **Evaporated Apples, Peaches and Apricots**. **Shelled Walnuts and Almonds**. **McLaren's fresh Pimento Cheese and Canned Pimentos**.

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TOWN COUNCIL

(Continued from page 1.)

Committee were partly to blame. Neither of his colleagues had asked him to call the Committee together to consider charges.

Ald. Miller wanted to know what Ald. Stuart thought of the matter. Ald. Stuart said he agreed with Ald. Ritchie. Inspector Dickson had not shown himself capable of dealing with the situation. While he (Stuart) had not asked Ald. Falconer to call a meeting of the Committee recently he had clearly given Ald. Falconer his views on the subject. Had Ald. Ritchie's motion been in order he would have seconded it.

Ald. Bolyea asked what had been done about having a new agreement drawn up re taxation of the Radio Syndicate.

Ald. Miller said that, in his opinion, the Council had nothing to do with exempting the Syndicate from taxation. It was not an "industry" in the sense of industries that may be exempted.

Ald. Bolyea was chosen a committee to see Mr. Davidson about drawing up a satisfactory agreement. At the request of the Mayor the Council went into committee of the whole and discussed the licensing of non-resident tradesmen working here at the Bridge and for the Radio Syndicate. Ald. Miller took the chair, and the Mayor introduced the above subject.

When Council reassembled in regular session Ald. Miller reported from the Committee of the Whole. That the Committee recommended to the Council the advisability of securing legal advice regarding the collection of licenses or taxes from tradesmen and professional men now employed in the Town of Newcastle. On motion of Ald. Bolyea and Miller the recommendation was unanimously adopted.

On motion of Ald. McGrath and Stuart the By-Laws and Licensing Committee was instructed to attend to the matter.

An enormous increase in the consumption of cigarettes in Canada is shown by figures compiled by the Statistical branch of the Inland Revenue Department. The figures show that during the months of July, August and September, there was smoked 319,446,180 cigarettes which is roughly speaking an average of four packages for every man, woman and child within the confines of the Dominion. It is an increase of more than fifty millions over the corresponding months in 1912. The increase is believed to be the greatest per capita of any year of which the Department has a record.

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PROVINCIAL AND WORLD'S NEWS

A \$25,000 laboratory building is projected by Dr. C. C. Jones, the Chancellor, as the most pressing need of the University of New Brunswick, Fredericton.

James Saunders, found guilty of Wednesday last of the murder of Grace Saunders, his sister-in-law, at Lockport, Man., in October, was sentenced to be hanged on February 28.

The net receipts of the Volkstest, held last week by the congregation of St. Dunstan's Roman Catholic church, Fredericton, will almost reach the \$2,000 mark.

Mrs. Thomas Elliott, a child bride of a few months, attempted suicide at her home at Burr's Corner, N. B. Love sick and despondent as the result of jealousy over her husband, caused her to commit her rash act. Her attempt was unsuccessful.

In a fit of despondency on Sunday afternoon Mrs. James Welton, Fredericton, took a dose of bichloride of mercury sufficient to kill several people but she is now well on the way to recovery as the result of prompt medical attendance.

James Birchenough, one of the best known real estate men in Montreal, with an office in the Merchants' Bank building, pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Judge Lafontaine on a charge of raising an accepted check of the Merchants' Bank of Canada from \$54 to \$54,000.

Mrs. Alice Stebbins Wells, who is Low County's first police woman, is to lecture on "The Need of Police Women and Their Work" at the York Theatre, St. John, Friday evening, November 28th, under the auspices of the St. John Local Council of Women.

A grocer at Southwick, Sunderland, G. B., made a curious discovery when cutting through a cheese. His wire encountered some hard substance and he was obliged to finish the halving process with a knife. In the centre of the cheese he found a small tin box containing three pennies and a request that the finder would communicate with a New Zealand cheese manufacturer informing him as to whether the cheese was purchased as New Zealand or Canadian. The tradesman has complied with the request, telling the New Zealand dairyman that the cheese was sold to him as Canadian produce.

The death occurred at Bloomfield, York county, on Saturday, of Edmund E. Kenney, aged ninety-four years. He occupied a prominent place in the commercial life in St. John, and carried on an extensive business in pianos and organs previous to the great fire in 1877.

Young Sandy returned home from the fair with a barometer which he had purchased and which he showed to his mother with much pride, explaining that it was a "machine for telling" when it's gawn to rain. "Losh me!" exclaimed the good dame; "sic an extravagance. What for dae ye suppose a maicrif' Providence gied yer feyther the rheumatism?"

While the protest against Alex. Morrison, M. P. for Macdonald, has been tried and disposed of, that against P. J. Cardin, Liberal M. P. for Richelieu, still remains untried. Liberals have persistently blocked every effort to have the Richelieu bye-election ventilated in the courts. The elections in Macdonald and Richelieu were held about the same time in 1912, the petition against the Conservative has been tried while the "purity" Liberals are still blocking the trial of the petition against their fellow member for Richelieu.

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BATHURST ITEMS

Bathurst, N. B., Nov. 24—One of the most successful affairs ever given by the ladies of St. George's Church, was the sale and tea held by them on last Wednesday evening in the Masnie hall. With good music under the leadership of Mr. G. H. Willet, a gaily decorated hall and booths, an excellent supper and willing and attentive attendants, it was not surprising that everyone spoke in the highest terms, and that their efforts were so successful. The tables were in charge of the following ladies: fancy table, Mrs. T. H. Eaton, Miss Bessie Bishop; house-keeper's table, Miss Connors; ice cream table, Miss Marion Hinton; Miss Mildred Williamson. The other members of St. George's Guild and of the congregation present looked after the refreshment department. The amount realized was three hundred and ten dollars.

Miss Agatha Melanson has returned from Chatham where she was visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Byrne left on Wednesday last for Montreal, where on Saturday Mrs. Byrne took the steamer for Liverpool, being called there on account of the serious illness of her brother-in-law, Mr. Herman Wiens.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buttiner of Vancouver, B. C. are making a visit to their relatives and friends here.

Mrs. R. G. Duncan and Miss Margaret Kent are visiting in Montreal this week.

Mr. H. K. B. Marsland of Chatham, spent several days here last week.

Mrs. James Buttiner arrived from Vancouver, B. C., last week and intends remaining in Bathurst for some months.

Rev. J. Whetten made a short visit to Campbellton last week.

Miss Magrie Holland who met with a serious accident on Wednesday last, was successfully operated upon in the Moncton hospital on Saturday, where she went for treatment.

Mr. A. G. Bishop of St. John was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. G. Gilbert during the week.

Mrs. H. Bishop and Miss Bessie Bishop have returned from Moncton, having accompanied Miss Holland to the hospital.

A new bell was rung in St. George's Church on Sunday last, and is the gift of Mr. George Bishop, formerly of Bathurst, now of Montreal. The bell has been placed in the church in memory of his father, Dr. S. L. Bishop who was for forty years a warden in St. George's Church.

Mrs. J. Lannigan has moved into her cosy new home on St. Andrew's Street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bishop are this week occupying their house on St. Patrick's Street, which was recently completed.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Burns are being congratulated on the arrival of a baby girl to gladden their home.

BELIEVES HE HAS A LEPROSY CURE

Dr. Montzambert Elated Over Two Cases at Tracadie That Were Restored to Health and Discharged

Dr. Montzambert, director of public health, believes that he has discovered a cure for leprosy. During the past year two of the cases which have been under treatment at the Canadian leper colony at Tracadie, N. B., have been sent away cured. In all there has been four absolute cures.

The only doubt which is in Dr. Montzambert's mind is that the disease may have run itself out, for two cases have been cured in some way without more than ordinary care and treatment. At any rate four cases which have been completely cured and apparently hopeless cases have been materially benefited.

Forty years ago leprosy was first discovered in Canada, and there are now twenty-two lepers at the lazarette at Tracadie.

For nearly twenty years, Dr. Montzambert has made a special study of leprosy. He will explain his treatment shortly to medical bodies.

DISTRIBUTION OF SEED GRAIN AND POTATOES

From the Dominion Experimental Farms, 1913-1914.

By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a distribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers. The samples for general distribution will consist of spring wheat (5 lbs.), white oats (4 lbs.), barley (5 lbs.), and field peas (5 lbs.). These will be sent out from Ottawa. A distribution of potatoes (in 3 lb. samples) will be carried on from several of the experimental farms, the Central Farm at Ottawa supplying only the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. All samples will be sent free, by mail.

Applicants must give particulars in regard to the soil on their farms, and some account of their experiences with such kinds of grain (or potatoes) as they have grown, so that a promising sort for their conditions may be selected.

Each application must be separate and must be signed by the applicant. Only one sample of grain and one of potatoes can be sent to each farm. Applications on any kind of printed form cannot be accepted. If two or more samples are asked for in the same letter only one will be sent.

As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early; but the applications will not necessarily be filled in the exact order in which they are received. Preference will always be given to the most thoughtful and explicit requests. Applications received after the end of January will probably be too late.

All applications for grain (and applications from the provinces of Ontario and Quebec for potatoes) should be addressed to the Dominion Cerealists, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Such applications require no postage. If otherwise addressed delay and disappointment may occur.

Applications for potatoes, from farmers in any other province should be addressed (postage prepaid) to the Superintendent of the nearest Branch Experimental Farm in that province.

J. H. GRISDALE,
Director, Dominion Experimental Farms.

CURVENTON

(Too late for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harris of Seville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hare on Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Hare, sr., has returned from visiting friends in Cassilis and Redbank.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Whitney, and family of Whiteville are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peabody.

Miss Helen Whitney has returned from Seville.

Miss Mollie Oldfield was the guest on Saturday of her little friends, Miss Emmie and Eva Hare.

Mrs. Chester Whitney spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. E. Hare.

Miss Sadie Curtis is spending the week in Whitney the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Menzie.

Mr. James Walsh of Millstream, was the guest of Mr. A. E. Hare on Monday.

Mr. D. A. Whitney spent Sunday with friends in Redbank.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hare have gone to town for a few days.

Mrs. Geo. Richards, who for the past two weeks has been visiting relatives here and at Seville, has returned to her home in Chatham.

Mrs. Jed Copp of Seville called on Mrs. Geo. Peabody on Sunday.

Mr. F. P. Robinson, inspecting preventive officer of the Dominion Customs Department, has returned home from a trip through the provinces of Quebec and Ontario. He was as far west as Sarnia and Windsor, Ont., and was in Detroit at the time of the recent disastrous storms in the Great Lakes district.—Fredericton Gleaner.

MILLERTON

Rev. A. Rettle, went to Nova Scotia on Monday where he will visit his mother.

Miss Florence Lyon who has been sick for the past few weeks, is now able to be around again.

Friends of Mr. J. G. A. Colquhoun are sorry to hear of his illness and hope he will soon recover.

Messrs. Weldon Robinson, Bud Aitken, Con Ragan, Bert Vanderbeck and M. Carter left last Saturday on a hunting trip up river.

Mr. D. McCatherine of Fredericton, spent a few days of last week here.

It was with surprise that we learned of Miss Gladys Parker's illness and being taken to the Fredericton Hospital from Hpuilton, where she spent the last few months, to undergo an operation for appendicitis. Her mother, Mrs. E. J. Parker, left for Fredericton on Tuesday.

While skylarking with a revolver which they believed was unloaded, Harold Johnston, a young clerk in the Royal Bank at Lunenburg, N. S., was wounded in the breast, when the weapon in the hands of his companion George Connors, clerk in the Bank of Montreal, was discharged. The bullet, which entered six inches below the heart, was extracted, and the victim will recover. The two had been out shooting, and it was after they returned and were unloading the revolvers that the shooting took place.

Nothing seems to surprise some people so much as the failure of the unexpected to happen.

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BOOKS

Among the new books received this fall are:

Notwithstanding by M. Cholmondeley
The Gringos by B. M. Bower
The Golden Woman by Ringwall Cullum
The Millionaire by Edwin Morris
Also Anne of Avonlea by Mrs. Lancelot
London Lavender and dozens of others.

Besides the above we have Boy Scout Books, Books by Henty, Alger, Carey, The Mildred and Bessie Books.

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WOMAN TRYING TO LOCATE HUSBAND

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Moncton, Nov. 24—Mrs. John H. Smith, 4 Harris street, St. John, sought the aid of the Moncton police in locating her husband, who is believed to have disappeared from their home Wednesday last. She says that he left home taking her engagement and wedding rings. Mrs. Smith says she came to this country from Belfast, Ireland, securing a position in St. John fourteen months ago. In St. John she married Mr. Smith. She says she traced him to Moncton, where he put up for a day at one of the leading hotels and then left for Sackville, where she lost trace of him. She says that Smith is a native of Reading, Berks, England.

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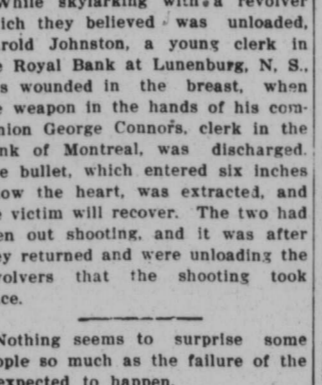
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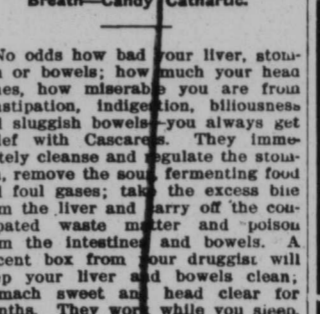
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Typesetting Machine
The Campbellton Graphic has installed a type setting machine, known as the Intertype, and is an improvement over the hand set style.

The New Courthouse
The architect and the County Council building committee inspected the new courthouse on Friday last and found it nearly finished. It will be used for the December sitting of the Circuit Court.

St. Luke's Pastorate
At the last meeting of the official board of St. Luke's the Rev. J. Heaney, of First Church, Charlotte-town, was extended an invitation to the pastorate for the term beginning after the Conference of 1915. Mr. Heaney has accepted, subject to the usual regulations.—Chatham World.

P. Mitchell Porter, Chicago, Ill., and W. J. Porter, Utica, N. Y., who have been hunting big game on the North Shore spent the week end here, with their sister, Mrs. Wendall McCosh, Peter Street.—Sussex Record. [Mr. Porter was formerly a resident of Chatham.]

Entertained her Friends
Miss Lou Russell entertained a large number of her young friends, many of them fellow members of Newcastle Division Sons of Temperance at the residence of her mother, Mrs. Burton Somers, Wednesday evening of last week. Music and games were a feature of the evening.

Transfer of Priests
The transfer of priests whereby Rev. Fr. Walter Donahoe, who has been curate to Rev. Fr. John J. Ryan at St. Anthony's Church, St. Marys becomes curate of St. John the Baptist Church, St. John, and is succeeded at St. Marys by Rev. Fr. Gaudet, a young priest who was ordained only a few months ago, became effective Thursday last.

Wm. T. McKnight, of Lower Millstream, Kings Co., raised 1300 barrels of turnips this year, some of them weighing 18 pounds. His neighbor, Charles Titus, done even better than this as far as weight is concerned as he raised some which weighed 23 pounds, and it only took seven of them to make a barrel full. This is going some in the turnip line.

Mr. J. Norton Griffiths, M. P. of England, will be one of the important speakers at the Paardeberg Day dinner here on February 27th. Mr. Griffiths was one of the orderlies to Lord Roberts at South Africa and was on the same staff with Chief of Police McColem. He accepted an invitation to attend the annual dinner of the South African veterans, tendered him by Mr. P. A. Guthrie in St. John this week.—Fredericton Gleaner

Moving to Truro, N. S.
H. H. Dryden, of Sussex, has purchased the store, plumbing and tinware business of H. S. Grant, Truro, N. S., and proposes moving there and taking charge in the spring. The business bought by Mr. Dryden is a well established one and has been carried on most successfully by its present proprietor for a number of years. It is situated on the Main Street of the town and enjoys a generous patronage from the public. Mr. Dryden formerly carried on a large hardware business in Sussex, and is going to Truro with plenty of experience. He is well and favorably known on the North Shore.

Wedding at St. Mary's
The marriage took place at St. Mary's Church, here, on Wednesday afternoon of last week, at 3 o'clock, of Miss Ella Fitzgerald, daughter of Mr. Alex. Fitzgerald, Newcastle, to Mr. Frank McDonnell, of Douglasfield, Rev. P. W. Dixon, officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Mary McCallum, while the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. J. McDonnell. A reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Samuel Kingston, Chapel Island Road, when the many friends of both bride and groom extended their best wishes for a long and happy wedded life. They were the recipients of many useful presents.

Concert in New Church
The musical talent from Chatham, Newcastle and Millbank that combined to give a sacred concert in the new church at Russellville, last Wednesday evening, in the interest of the Building Fund, was greeted by a crowded house that proved to be highly appreciative. Mr. Jas. L. Russell presided, and the programme consisted of the usual solos, quartettes, readings and duets and was admirably sustained by Mrs. Henderson, Chatham, Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Stothart, Newcastle; Misses Haviland, McPeak, Whitehouse, Hanson and Rae, and Messrs. Russell and Shaw, Newcastle, and John S. McFarlane, Chatham. Mrs. Henderson and Miss Haviland played the accompaniments. The receipts were very gratifying to the promoters. After the concert refreshments were served by the ladies of Russellville. A delightful evening was spent by all who had the pleasure of being present at the first concert given in the new church.—World.

Wild cats are reported very plentiful in the vicinity of Mt. Middleton, Kings County. Several sheep have been killed recently.

Engineer's Body Found
The body of Chief Engineer Smith, of the McGeen of Lorain, Ohio, which was lost in the recent lake disaster, has been found and identified.

Changes Hands
The Waverley Hotel, Campbellton, has changed owners. Mr. David Richards and others taking over the property. It is understood the price was around \$15,000 and Mr. Gorman will still continue the use of it.

U. S. Consular Nominations
Michael J. Hendrick, of New York, consul at Moncton, transferred to consul-general at Christiania, Norway, and Charles Forman of Louisiana, consul at Turk's Island, transferred to consul at Moncton, N. B.

Died in Moncton Hospital
The death of Mrs. Bess of Shediac, wife of Mr. George J. Ross, the well known commercial traveller for Baird & Peters, took place in the Moncton Hospital about seven o'clock on Monday evening of last week after five week's illness. Mrs. Ross was formerly Miss Moran of Campbellton.

Thanksgiving Service
At the Thanksgiving service in the Baptist Church Thursday evening, the receipts were \$375.40, as compared with \$295 last year. The church on which some \$6,000 or \$7,000 has been recently expended, is now entirely free from debt. The pastor is Rev. H. T. Cousins, Ph. D.

A number of bricklayers working on the new railway station went on a sympathetic strike because one of their number whom the foreman considered an undesirable, had been discharged. The men, some eight or nine in number, returned to their homes in St. John. All the places have not been filled as yet, and the work which is being rapidly pushed forward has been somewhat delayed.—Sussex Record.

There is a fine display of freehand drawing in the window of Oak Hall, Fredericton, the work of the Indian children at the St. Mary's Reserve under fourteen years of age. The work of the children has received many high compliments from the citizens. There is a remarkable map drawing of South Africa by Fred Paul, and it is declared by critics to be about the best of the display. There are also several creditable drawings relating to the Thanksgiving festival.

BOWLING
The bowling match held on the local alleys between Manager Lank's team and a team from Chatham, was another victory for the Newcastle champions. Their successive victories here show beyond a doubt that they are supreme on their own alleys. The score in Thursday night's game is another record breaker, and Chatham will have to send a stronger team, if they have one, (and they will have to go some), if they wish to win over the local invincibles. Synnott, for the visitors, made the highest individual score, while Brown and Lank for the locals made over 100 each, being 110 and 102 respectively. The score stood 4351 to 1258, a lead of 93 points for Newcastle.

The scores were:

CHATHAM		
Bernard	87	91 94
MacEachren	90	78 80
Lawlor	76	91 80
Currie	85	78 84
Synnott	97	76 71
Total 1258	435	414 409
NEWCASTLE		
Hennessey	92	94 88
Lank	84	102 99
Arseneau	85	96 80
MacMurray	69	74 75
Brown	110	104 98
Total 1251	441	470 440

After the game the boys adjourned to Johnson's restaurant, where a most enjoyable time was spent. Mr. Johnson did his best for the boys, and a general vote of thanks was tendered him for his efforts in preparing a good spread.

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WOMAN AND MOSES

(Continued)

"Then don't you think we should make up to him even at the sacrifice of our own beings? For his sake you must not leave him, not even if you think it right."

But Avril stood up and crossed the room to the window. Then she came back and stood on the hearth-rug close to Doreen.

"Doreen, you must let him come back, he cares for you, not for me. Not for me."

She was on her knees now by Doreen, with her head on her lap, and sobbing.

The sweetness of her words did not reach Doreen for very pity of Avril's grief. The very newness of it took her breath away. It seemed to her that she ought to have learnt all this before, that she had been selfish in her ignorance, and while Avril sobbed on her knees, it seemed to her strange that the joy in her at her words was not fiercer. Her mind went back to the past, to the days of coldness and neglect, when one word would have saved her from so much. She felt almost glad of her sad experience. She had grown to feel and understand so much.

"It is your fancy, dear," she said, as she tried to comfort her. "Long before he divorced me, he had ceased to care for me, and I don't wonder. I was so frivolous and foolish. So unfit for a man like him."

How could Avril explain that his love had flamed up anew since he had driven her away from him? He had never told her that it was so, only she knew.

When at last Avril left her, Doreen sat and mused for nearly an hour. Once more it struck her that the world was an impossible and incomprehensible place to live in.

"It seems incredible, really," she repeated to herself, and then she sat down and wrote to George Farquharson, telling him to come back.

"He will know what that means," she said to herself. Two things that Avril had said to her had had no effect upon her. That it would be wrong for her to marry, and that Avril must leave Arthur. "That is all stuff and nonsense. Silly, high-flown ideas of Avril's that will not hold water."

She saw clearly, as she thought, what she ought to do. "When I am married to George Farquharson they will forget all about me."

She tried to fancy Arthur with her again, but the picture would not form itself. "It would never do," she murmured. "Never. I should feel about Avril, all that she has felt about me. We should be miserable."

"How pleased you look, mummy," Monche said to her at luncheon. And she was pleased, pleased to think that her marriage to George Farquharson would soon be over, but other thoughts came later in the afternoon, when she was driving. She wondered what Arthur would say when he knew that she had really been unfaithful to him. She didn't know that he had never doubted it, and that Avril's information, if she gave it, would bring no new element into his thoughts. But with the thought of the confession she had made came the wonder of what George Farquharson would feel about it. She had never spoken of it to him. There had been no need, but how could she marry him without telling him? Something in Avril's out-spreading of the truth made all deceit seem impossible, had she ever, for an instant, contemplated it? She told the coachman to drive back, and stopped the letter she had left on the hall table going to the post.

"He must know, Mrs. Farquharson," and then he can come back or not, as he likes." Yet she felt pretty sure that George Farquharson would wish the past to belong to itself, and that it would not alter him. As to scruples about marrying again during Arthur's life-time, she had none. It might be all very well for a young and innocent girl like Avril, but for Doreen, Doreen who had drunk at the fountain of bitterness and dabbled in sin—

"Nothing I do now can matter," she said to herself, as she sat up late writing to George. She had meant to tell him that she had bought Killieclochie, but she would refrain. She would not even tell his mother yet who the anonymous purchaser was.

"He might marry me out of gratitude," she thought. Then, in her quaint way, she said to herself: "One is to come back on account of scruples, and the other to marry me from gratitude. It certainly isn't flattering."

What she could not disguise from herself was that Avril's visit had made a difference to her life. It was nice to think that after all she had not been so completely put away from his thoughts as she had been from his heart.

"I wish I had only known it during those dreadful days at Eastbourne." But pleasant tidings have a way of cropping up when we no longer have any need for them. We often take out our summer clothes when the hot weather is over.

Two days later she received a letter from Mrs. Farquharson, saying that old Mr. Farquharson was seriously ill and that George had been telegraphed for. "So he won't get my letter after all, and I shall have to tell him myself. Just my luck." Yet she had no dread of his return.

CHAPTER XXI

Avril, too, was far happier after her conversation with Doreen, and a little of her old brightness returned. After all, if Doreen would not make it up with Arthur, it was not her fault. She could not bring hers if to leave Arthur yet. She told her husband of her visit to Doreen, and if he said little it still gave him a good deal to think about. He felt a little quipped at the want of enthusiasm Doreen had displayed at the idea of living with him again. What surprised him was that Avril should have jumped at the conclusion that he would have come back to Doreen. He was busy with politics now and an approaching general election. Avril saw very little of him. Almost without discussing the question they had given up the idea of a season in London. Neither owned it to the other, but both knew that it was not only for the sake of the constituents that they shunned the idea of appearing again in public that year. Avril did not regain her strength as quickly as she had hoped, and jumped at her parent's suggestion that she and the baby should go to her old home for a little while. Much as she loved Arthur, she realized that it would be a relief to be alone for a time to think things out. Yet, when the time for parting came, she wished she had not resolved to go.

"Will you be very lonely?" she said, and her heart ached when he said he thought he would to away as soon as the election was over. It seemed to her like the beginning of the end. During the journey she wondered whether she would see Mr. Harding.

A few days after her arrival she met him at the Park gates. She could see by his expression that he was startled at the change in her. He had meant to be commonplace, but his old habit of blurring out his thoughts was too strong.

"Married life doesn't seem to have agreed with you." There was a touch of brutality in his tone.

"If he only knew," she said to herself.

"Yes, you were right," she said, "quite right." He became sympathetic at once.

"Don't you get on?" The voice was anxious.

"He is very good to me."

Men don't indulge in "I told you so," so delightful to womankind. "You must make the best of it," he said. "That was what everyone told me."

"That is just what I know," she replied, and then they talked of other things.

"Is Monche with you?" he asked presently.

"No, she is with her mother."

There was a silence for a few moments. Then he said: "I'm glad of that—poor thing." He meant Doreen.

Avril's eyes flashed.

"Oh, she isn't so much to be pitied. She is going to be married, and, and still cares for her." For the first time Doreen rose in her mind. Why should this woman, this immoral woman, have everything, Monche and George Farquharson and Arthur and the Grosvenor Mine?

Standing there opposite Mr. Harding, there flashed on her brain the faint perception of how God balanced things.

"And what?" Mr. Harding was curious to know what was coming.

"And she is very rich," added Avril. He turned and walked back with a lay-monk, this hater of forms and conventionalities, this man who shunned society and his fellow men, had in his solitude learned to read hearts. Avril was miserable, and all he could do was to talk to her.

"What are you going to do?"

"What can I do? Do advise me."

"I wish you had married me," he blurted out.

Avril almost laughed.

"You never asked me."

"You were so gone on him."

"That I forgot right and wrong."

"It's all right legally, you know. For the child and all that." He spoke with a touch of cynicism. How could Avril tell him that she had found out that the "letter killeth"? She didn't know that he had found it out long ago.

"The Vicar, too, was right," she went on.

"Of course he was right, but why the devil don't the clergy help more? What is the use of one man holding back when others act differently? How can we be guided by men who have no unison of thought and action? What good are our Bishops if they can't make religious laws and stick to them?"

They have to make their own laws, work out their own salvation. Good heavens! it takes one half one's time to educate the clergy."

Avril was laughing now, but they were close to the house.

"Won't you come in?" But Mr. Harding felt he must think out this meeting with Avril.

"Not to-day, many thanks."

She lingered after she had said good-bye, as if she wanted to say something.

"I should like to talk it all out with you one day," she said presently.

"Perhaps you will advise me, I am so worried about it all."

"Oh, come now, you want to turn me into one of those long-coated, shovel-hatted, Noah-looking sort of chaps, Father-confessors, or what do you call them? Well, I expect I'll do as well as one of them." He laughed his hearty laugh. "I'll look in one day when you are alone, some day, eh?"

As she went into the house, Avril said to herself:

"I wish I had listened to him. Yet she felt a little comforted at the thought that she was near him. He had the gift of imparting a feeling of support to those around him.

Yet she was glad that he, too, took the view when they met again that it was no good crying over spilt milk.

"First of all, Mrs. Tref—what's her name? Doreen, as you call her, won't have him back at any price, and secondly, they'll never hit it off if they did make it up. It's against nature, and if she's going to be married you would only be making yourself miserable for nothing. No good would come of it."

"It's only from a moral point of view. Because I have done wrong, it does not follow that I ought to go on doing so."

"I don't think it would be fair on him," Harding confessed to himself that it was a difficult case. "Anyhow, don't do anything rash. It's wonderful how things settle themselves unexpectedly sometimes."

"Nothing but the death of one of us could settle it really," said Avril, and so frail and delicate she looked that Mr. Harding felt a little lightening at his heart-strings.

"I expect there are worse things than death," he said, not quite knowing what he meant.

The remark was so gloomy that from mere dreariness Avril laughed.

"Yet, somehow, one clings to life, and these days she wrote long letters to Arthur, in which she poured her heart out, and, as usual, craved unflinchingly for the knowledge of his inmost thoughts.

"Don't spare me," she wrote. "Tell me what you think we ought to do. You know that I shall abide by your decision, and that whatever you decide I shall think right, whether I am with you or away from you. I can never cease to love you, and surely love is holy, and holiest of all when it sacrifices itself." But she rejoiced when Trefusius, who was feeling very lonely and depressed, wrote.

"I cannot do without you. I cannot think it is right that we should part."

A few days after this letter he ran down to see her. In the evening when they were alone, he comforted her by saying with the earnestness of truth:

"I am quite certain now that whether you left me or not, whether she marries or not, I will never go back to Doreen." And Avril was content to leave matters so, for she cared for him more than she had ever done, and the few days she spent with her in her old home seemed like a fresh life, and nature has a way of budding over again and again in human hearts just as the spring bursts each year from the old hoary bosom of winter. It seemed to Avril that all life was full of tender, pathetic things that had escaped her notice, that the facts of life and of existence were only gradually becoming dear to her. She felt like a dried leaf that has been hurled along by the stream of a river and has now been caught by a twig in the bank, and rests, and has time to look about and notice the little budding things of the wayside, the colour of the sky and the water, and to listen to the song of the birds, and to wonder at it all, for we are forty before we can understand the things we were supposed to know at twenty. She felt now that she had, so to speak, got inside Arthur's mind and could turn round in it, and for a time scruples were laid to rest, merged into the pleasing certainty that Arthur needed her and that to leave him would be cruel.

"I will wait and see how we feel when Doreen is married."

Yet now and then it floated across her mind that Doreen, with a popular husband, would have still more persuasive force in her lives than she had at present, for she, too, shunned London in the season now. But what would she do when she was married, for the world forgives a great deal to a woman who inherits a million and marries a respectable man?

"Can it be that I grudge her her happiness?" she often asked herself.

We are always surprised when people do not take our advice, and it was a matter of wonder for Avril that Doreen notwithstanding all she had told her, "She has ceased to care for Arthur," she thought, and wondered how any woman could cease to care for one so far above ordinary humanity as her fancy had made Arthur Trefusius.

But Doreen had not ceased to care. She cared too much to have him back with the yawning chasm of the past years' secrets between them. She her pretty house in London for the first sign from George. It came the past would rush back to both. That if it was not made evident in words, a telegram.

"Frightfully disappointed at not finding you. Writing."

The telegram was followed by a letter in which he announced his intention of coming to see her the next day.

"I shall try my luck again," he said in the letter, little knowing that she had made up her mind to marry him. But she wrote and told him that she would not hear of his coming to see her "ill after his father's death. You might be away when he died," she said, "and I would never forgive myself."

She did not realize that her wish to put off the visit was her fear of the talk she had to tell, not only for the result it might have, but for the manner of the telling.

How hideous, how revolting, was the tale she had to tell! All her woman's modesty revolted against it. Looked at now across the hiatus of years gone by, it seemed to her incredible that it could be herself who had done this act. The telling of it brought to her mind a shivering horror, a hundred details, which, at the time, had not existed. It was not repentance that she felt, but a disgust of self.

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"He is quite devoted to you," she said, but promised, and now Doreen had nothing left to do but to wait in years' secrets between them. She her pretty house in London for the first sign from George. It came the past would rush back to both. That if it was not made evident in words, a telegram.

"Frightfully disappointed at not finding you. Writing."

The telegram was followed by a letter in which he announced his intention of coming to see her the next day.

"I shall try my luck again," he said in the letter, little knowing that she had made up her mind to marry him. But she wrote and told him that she would not hear of his coming to see her "ill after his father's death. You might be away when he died," she said, "and I would never forgive myself."

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TIME TABLE STR. "DOROTHY N" 1913

I. R. C. TIME TABLE

The I. R. C. summer change of time which went into effect on Sunday, June 2, 1912, is as follows:

DEPARTURES—EAST
Night Freight, No. 40, 2.50
Local Express, No. 36, 10.45
Maritime Express, No. 34, 5.10
Ocean Limited, No. 500, 13.22

DEPARTURES—WEST
Night Freight, No. 39, 3.20
Local Express, No. 35, 14.10
Maritime Express, No. 33, 21.10
Ocean Limited, No. 159, 16.25

INDIAN TOWN BRANCH

Blackville, dep., 8.30
Morton, dep., 8.54
Newcastle, arrive, 9.29
Newcastle, dep., 9.50
Morton, dep., 10.05
Blackville, arrive, 10.10
Newcastle, dep., 10.15
Morton, dep., 10.30
Blackville, arrive, 10.35

The way freight carries passengers and runs daily between Moncton and Campbellton, but has no stated time for arriving and departing at the different stations.

Commencing on April 25th, the Str. "Dorothy N." will run on the Red Bank route, daily (Sunday excepted) calling at all intermediate points, as follows:—

Leave Newcastle for Redbank at 5.30 a. m., every Monday and will leave Redbank for Newcastle at 7.45 a. m., daily.

Leave Newcastle for Redbank every day at 2 p. m., except Saturdays when she will leave at 1.30 p. m., returning will leave Redbank for Millerton at 3.30 p. m.

Tuesdays will be excursions days from Redbank and intermediate points to Newcastle, return fare 35 cents.

Excursion tickets good for date of issue only.

Excursion on Saturdays will be held over until early Monday morning trip.

Str. will be open for engagements or excursion parties every day, except Saturdays, from 10 a. m. until 2 p. m., and any evenings from 7 p. m.

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Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land regulations

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta.

The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-agency for district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties: Six months' residence upon cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3 per acre.

Duties: Must reside upon the homestead or pre-emption six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may enter for a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3 per acre. Duties: Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.

W. W. COLY, Deputy of the

THE WEEK IN NEWCASTLE

For additional local and personal news see page six.

Christmas Opening

Dickison & Troy announce their Christmas opening for Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 2nd and 3rd. A splendid display of Christmas goods will be shown.

Born in Newcastle

Hon. C. R. Mitchell, attorney-general and minister of education for Alberta, was born in Newcastle, N. B., on Nov. 20, 1872, going west in 1898. He has since practised law in Medicine Hat.

Observed Feast

The Cecilian Musical Circle of St. Michael's academy observed the feast of their Patron Saint, St. Cecilia by a musical recital on Friday afternoon, to which the parents of the pupils were invited. This proved a most enjoyable and successful affair.

Hood vs. Italians

The case of Hood vs. the eleven Italians who were arrested last week for debt on account of transportation, which came up before Justice Malby, resulted in seven of them paying up \$511.50, three others going back to work at the quarry, while the eleventh man was remanded to jail.

See Advt on Page 5

We are pleased to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of H. Williston & Co., which will be found on page 5, of this issue. This old established jewelry firm is well known for the practical manner in which they conduct their business, and we ask our readers to follow their advt. throughout the Christmas season.

Sunday Evening Addresses

On Sunday next, Nov. 30th the Rev. Dr. Cousins will deliver the 4th address of the series viz: "How, whom, what, when, am I to believe?" Dr. Cousins will also reply to several interesting and practical questions which have been forwarded to him. An opportunity will also be given for further questions. Service will commence at 7 o'clock. All seats free and unappropriated.

S. of T. Division

The attendance is increasing at the S. of T. Division and members are joining nearly every night of meeting. Last evening there was a good programme an instrumental solo by Miss Merle Bell, a reading by Miss M. Dunnett, vocal solos by Messrs. F. E. Locke and Arthur McMurray. These numbers were heartily encored. Tomorrow evening (Thursday) there are to be twelve five minute speeches—strictly limited to five minutes—and variety is expected in that hour.

Pie Social

The Pie Social to be held in the Town Hall Friday night promises to be the event of the season. Owing to the cause for which it is being held it is being given good support, and the young ladies who are looking after the baking part of the affair are doing their utmost to make a good impression upon our young men. A good program of music, etc., will be carried out, in which Newcastle's best local talent will be heard. We have been requested to ask these young ladies who are furnishing pies to kindly bring two forks and a knife.

W. C. T. U.

On Saturday evening the members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of the President, Mrs. James Troy, and filled "Comfort Bags" for the sailors which are to be sent away in time to reach them for Christmas. Each Comfort Bag contained useful articles such as finger stalls, strips of cotton for wounds, sticking plaster, pencils, shaving soap, soap, boxes of salve, darning needles and yarn, buttons, besides other useful articles which are not always easy to procure at sea. There are two apartments and in the other side there was a bible for each bag, besides a good variety of literature including the best magazines. Generous donations were given from the stores by a number of the business men.

PNEUMATICA STOP YOUR PAIN or breaks up your cold in one hour. It's marvelous. Applied externally. All Druggists.

First Snow
About one inch of snow fell during the night, giving the town a more wintry appearance.

For the Boys
An article appears in our editorial column under the heading, "To our boys" which we advise our boys to read.

Destroyed by Fire
The home of William Crouse, at Smith's Corner, York County, was destroyed by fire at five o'clock on Saturday morning. The fire started from an overheated pipe.

Occupying New Offices
Mr. J. R. Lawlor, Registrar of Deeds, has taken up his new office in the new Court House, as has also Mr. E. P. Williston, Secretary-Treasurer for the county.

Fingers Amputated
Walter Shepherd, an employe of the Vulcan Iron Works, St. John, got his right hand terribly lacerated. Thursday afternoon by having it crushed beneath a heavy mould. He was taken to the hospital, where the two middle fingers were amputated.

Christmas Announcement
The Christmas opening of Dickison & Troy will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 2nd and 3rd, when a full line of Christmas novelties will be placed on sale.

Birthday Party
A birthday party was given to Master Douglas McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McKay, last evening, by about twenty-five of his young playmates. A very enjoyable evening was spent in games and amusements.

The Marsland Millinery Co.
We call the attention of our readers to the advt. of the Marsland Millinery Co., on page 5, for a genuine clearance sale of Millinery, Fancy Feathers, etc., commencing to-day. Good values are being offered which the ladies of Newcastle should take advantage of.

Wedding at Chatham
A quiet wedding took place at St. Michael's Cathedral this morning when Miss Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dower, and Joseph Currie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Currie, were united in marriage by Rev. M. A. O'Keefe. The bride looked charming in a pretty suit of cream serge and was attended by her sister Miss Annie Dower. Wm. Dick was groomsmen. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents and the young couple left by the 10.30 train for a honeymoon trip, accompanied by the best wishes of a wide circle of friends.—Commercial.

New Division Organized
A new Sons of Temperance Division, New Era, No. 115, was organized at Nelson, Monday night, 24th inst. The organizer was Harold C. Stothart of Douglastown Division, and he was assisted by Miss Josie Appleby of Whittemville Division, B. W. Hutchinson and W. C. Day of Newcastle, Clyde Morris of Chatham; and Stirling R. Wood, Chas. Johnston and David Bass of Douglastown. The new Division has 18 members and meets on Monday evenings. The officers for remainder of present quarter are: W. P. Miss Annie Crocker; W. A. Walker; McKenzie; R. S. Miss Bertie Crocker; A. R. S. Fred Brown; F. S. Geo. McLeod; Treas. Leslie McKenzie; Chap. Miss Henrietta McLeod; Cond. Miss Gladys Drillem; A. C. Miss Muriel Bateman; I. S. Cecil Flett; O. S. Frank Doucett; S. Y. P. W. Miss Lillian Coughlan. There are now 13 active divisions in this county with 700 members and also 4 Bands of Hope with 181 members—total S. of T. 881. Besides these are several C. T. A.'s and W. C. T. U.'s.

ARNBURN-NISBETT
At the Methodist parsonage yesterday, by Rev. Dr. Wm. Harrison, James W. Arnburn was married to Mrs. Julia Nisbett, both belong to Newcastle and will reside here. The groom is in the blacksmith business and recently moved here from Renous.

Sliced oranges and shredded cocoanut put into a dish in alternate layers is a delicious dessert.

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INDIANTOWN TRAIN WRECK

Several Cars Badly Smashed up But No Loss of Life

The Indiantown Branch of the I. C. R. was the scene of a bad smashup on Wednesday morning last when No. 304 left the rails at Underhill. The train which was in charge of Conductor Long and Driver Cowperwaithe left Loggieville for Fredericton at 4.45 and was travelling at good rate of speed at Underhill when the car next the engine left the rails and piled high up in the bank. Four more cars followed it smashing the first car into kindling wood and turning the next two completely upside down and doing considerable damage to the roadbed. The cause of the accident is thought to have been a broken rail, and that the engine passed over it safely seems almost a miracle. The auxiliary crew was sent from Newcastle and managed to get the road clear after five hours hard work. The "Whooper" was held at Newcastle until near six o'clock as the result.

The quarterly session of the Baptist 10th District Meeting (Restouche, Northumberland and Kent Counties) was held on the 24th and 25th inst. at Lower Derby, Rev. J. H. Jenner presiding.

BAPTIST 10th DISTRICT MEETING

Delegates present were: Campbellton—Rev. J. H. Jenner. Newcastle—Rev. Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Cousins and Chester C. Hayward. Lower Derby—Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Amos, Mrs. Alex. MacKay, Mrs. James Lyons.

Blackville—Rev. A. K. Dunlop, who was appointed Secretary-treasurer for remainder of year vice Rev. J. G. A. Blyden removed to Fredericton. Jet. Underhill—Mrs. Morehouse, John Underhill, Mrs. John Corning, Miss Arbeau.

Grangeville—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. B. Smith.

Whittemville—Rev. W. E. Piper, Miss Agatha Forsythe.

Meeting opened Monday night with an evangelistic service led by Rev. Dr. Cousins. Rev. Mr. Dunlop gave an address on Prayer, and Rev. C. P. Wilson, secretary for Home Missions, conducted a social service.

The next session was at 10.30 Tuesday morning. Encouraging reports were received from the different churches of the district.

At 2 p. m. the Ladies' Aid Society held its meeting. Mrs. H. T. Cousins presided. Following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Charles Morehouse; sec., Miss Agatha Forsythe. Mrs. Cousins gave an address on Christian Work.

At 3 p. m. the allotment of church assessment took place, the allotments being made considerably higher this year. Rev. W. E. Piper spoke on the vital relation between finance and the spiritual work of the Church. Revs. Wilson, Dunlop, Cousins, Jenner, and others took part in the discussion which was very helpful.

Last night Rev. I. H. Jenner preached, and Rev. C. P. Wilson conducted an evangelistic service.

Rev. C. P. Wilson continues his evangelistic meetings in Lower Derby till Friday. They are being well attended and much interest is being displayed.

The large hearted son of Erin was digging post holes one day when the boss rambled along to size up the job. "How are you making out, Pat?" asked the boss. "Fine as silk," answered Pat, keeping right on with his work, "as yes will notice yourself."

"The work looks all right, Pat," joked fully responded the boss, "but do you think you will ever be able to get all that dirt back in the hole again?" "No, nor, not as it is now, nor, but it's me intention to dig the hoe a little daper."

PRESENTATION AND ADDRESS

Given to Reverend Mother Superior General on Her Official Visit to St. Mary's Academy

The Reverend Mother Superior General of the Congregation de Notre Dame, Montreal, arrived in Newcastle on Thursday to pay her first official visit to the convent here and also to St. Mary's Academy.

Friday morning a reception was held in her honor by the students of St. Mary's Academy, at which she was presented with a handsome bouquet of flowers and an address by the students. Miss Margaret Callahan making the presentation, while Miss Florence Newman read the address. The Reverend Mother then presented each of the students with a handsome motto card. Friday afternoon was spent in the inspection of the different grades of the academy, and on Friday evening Reverend Mother General was the guest of the Children of Mary and ladies of the congregation at the convent, where after a short programme, Miss Sadie B. Hogan on behalf of the former students of the academy, presented her with the following address:

Reverend Mother Saint Mary Josephine, Superior General of the Congregation de Notre Dame.

Your presence in our midst excites in the mind, feelings to which language can with difficulty give expression.

That feeling is one of gratitude which, as the poet put it, is "The exchequer of the poor." But the rich and poor alike can show it in act, although not always in language.

Those of us who have come here this evening, to greet you, and bid you welcome, are pupils of former days who experienced much kindness at the hands of the nuns.

You can well say with the Apostle "We have left all and followed thee: What reward shall be ours?" Those official visits, amid many and varied duties, have been a source of inspiration.

We have had in the person of every Superior General, the successor of the Venerable Margaret Bourgeois, whom the Church has so much honored. A child of fair France, she cast herself off from all that humanly attracts. Her work has extended far and wide, and between two oceans are found the elite of every city and town who eagerly avail themselves of opportunities offered.

Heroes and heroines have not disappeared from the earth, every where are found those who sacrifice all that human nature holds dear.

To you then Mother General and to your Reverend Companion, we, in your earnest, bid welcome to this town, which has felt your salutary influence for good, and to this convent, the very walls of which re-echo your praise.

Newcastle, N. B. Nov. 21, 1913.

Reverend Mother General then gave a short address, which was listened to with much interest by all present.

WEDDING AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Mary's Church, this morning by Rev. P. W. Dixon, when Miss Maud McEachren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McEachren, was married to Mr. Denis Savoie, of Nelson. The wedding ceremony was held at the nuptial mass at 9 o'clock when Miss Quinn presided at the organ, assisted by members of the choir who sang.

Miss Mary McCullum acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. George Dick, of Chatham, supported the groom. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the residence of the bride's father where the wedding breakfast was held.

The bride was very becomingly attired in a suit of navy blue whipcord with black hat, the costume of the bridesmaid being the same.

The groom's present to the bridesmaid was a beautiful sapphire ring and a pair of gold cuff links to the groomsmen.

Their many friends in town wish them a long and happy wedded life.

PREPARING I. C. R. FOR BUSY WINTER

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 24—The management of the Intercolonial is making extensive preparations for the increased business expected this winter. Orders have recently been given for large quantities of additional rolling stock, including 29 locomotives, 5 of which are switch engines and the balance heavy freight, four of the Pacific type and 20 consolidated.

Of the locomotive orders fifteen go to the Montreal Locomotive Works, nine to Kingston and five to Toronto Works. Hundreds of additional cars are already being procured and the railway will doubtless be in a position to handle the greater traffic in an expeditious manner.

Overshoes and Leggings

Men's, Women's, Misses and Children's Overshoes in 1, 2 and 3 Buckle. Also Men's and Women's Blizzards and Women's and Misses High Cut Leggings.

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Hampster Lined Coats 50 inch. Sable collar and lapels. Shells, brown, blue or black.	Fur Collar Coats with Saskatchewan lining and German Otter collars.
Saskatchewan Coats 50 and 54 inches long, Mink Marmot collar and lapels.	Cloth Coats Marmot lined, and with Astrachan collars.
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Canned Goods have opened low this year, but the demand will be great we cannot tell how long they will remain at these prices. TOMATOES CORN, PEAS, BAKED BEANS BEANS, and STRAWBERRIES for the present 10c. per tin. DRIED FRUITS are now in, Raisins, Currants, Peels, Figs, Dates and Nuts. See our Windows the goods are there.

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