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ONCE A JUNGLE AROUND NORTH POLE

Scientist Who Accompanied Lieut. Peary Makes Important Discoveries.—The Frigid Zone Once a Tropical Climate

(From Sydney Daily Post.)

The Roosevelt sailed from Sydney harbor at seven o'clock last night for New York, carrying on board every member of her crew except Commander Peary. Before he went on board, Professor McMillan gave the following exclusive interview to the Post:

"From discoveries which I made personally, I believe there is sufficient evidence to prove the theory that the Frigid Zone was once hotter than the equator is at present," he said. "I found large numbers of vegetable and marine fossils, which must be regarded as positive proof. In one huge rock, split open by frost, there was to be seen a perfect print of a great tropical fern. This was between latitude 81 deg. and 82 deg. 30 min. In the same region I discovered the petrified stump of a tree fully 18 inches in diameter. Evidences of whole forests in a state of petrification were not wanting. From latitude 81 deg. up to 82 deg. 30 min. I found some fine coal seams. At Watercourse Bay latitude 81 deg. 44 min., there was an especially rich vein. Near Black Cape, latitude 81 deg. 25 min., fossil remains of tropical animals were found." Professor McMillan pointed out that coal is only found where great forests have previously existed, and he considers that the nature of the veins he discovered goes to prove that the Arctic Circle was a jungle at some remote period in the world's history.

PROOF THAT THE EARTH WAS HOT, MOLTEN MASS.

"This gives material proof to the well known theory that the earth was once a hot, molten mass. The first places to cool were the poles, which were consequently covered with vegetation. As the earth cooled gradually the zone of vegetable growth moved from the poles toward the equator, which was the last to cool, and is not very cool yet. Hence it was the last to vegetate. In the meantime the poles were gradually becoming colder, and this cold wave spread gradually toward the equator. It may still be tending in that direction, and what I am going to say may assist in the formulation of such a theory. As far north as latitude 81 deg. 50 min., I found traces of former Eskimo habitation. This was at Laken Hazen. In Grant Land I also found ruined stone igloos, broken-down sledges and other traces of ancient Eskimo villages. Now the Eskimos are all living hundreds of miles further south, and the movement is away from rather than toward the North Pole. All the evidences show that these people were driven south, and it is most natural to ascribe such a result to changes in climate."

Professor McMillan has made a hobby of studying the Smiths Sound Eskimos.

"The Inuit villages scattered between Cape York and An-nor-a-tok on Smith's Sound form the most northern settlements in the world," he said. "They were first discovered by Sir John Ross, but little was known of them up until 1891, when Commander Peary went among them."

CHRISTIANITY AND THE ESKIMO.

Professor McMillan views with grave doubt any attempts which may be made to Christianize these people. "They are perfectly happy now," he argued. "Why disturb them with a religion which they do not understand? I doubt if the introduction of our faith would improve them. It was always a matter of surprise to me to study the social life of these queer little people who call themselves Inuits (the people). They have their inherited ideas of right and wrong. If one starves, all starve. If one catches a seal he shares it with the unfortunate. They will divide what they have with a white man but they will never issue an invitation to him. If he comes to their ig-

loos they take it for granted that it will help himself to shelter and food. No other course occurs to their minds. Each man feels that it is his duty to care for as many people as he can. Their social life is probably the purest form of socialism existing in the world today. These Inuits have succeeded in practising 'brutality' where many white nations have failed. They also believe in a future life. When an Eskimo dies his companions bury him in the rocks on top of which his sledge is placed. Then his dogs are strangled and put near the sledge so that he can hitch them up quickly and depart with their spirits to the far-away world."

HAVE OWN NAMES FOR CONSTELLATIONS.

According to Professor McMillan these strange people have their own names for the constellations. What we call "the dipper" they call "took-to," which means "bear's feeding on the hills." The Eskimos are a "pack of dogs surrounding a bear." In winter time they have a system of telling time by the stars. "Now," said the professor, "what will be the result if these people are forced into foreign customs and a new religion? White men will come and sweep away the game on which they depend for food. These poor creatures, like all North American aboriginals, will be degraded by contact with the dominant races which want to reform and civilize them."

"The Eskimos do not live in one large community," he continued. "They form small groups of five or six igloos each, and these groups are scattered all along the route from Cape York to An-nor-a-tok."

MISSION STATION AT NORTH STAR BAY.

It is interesting to learn that an attempt has been made this year to inoculate the Eskimos around Etah with a new religion. "A mission station was established this year at North Star Bay," said Professor McMillan, "in a little village called On-na-nin. Here two half-breed Eskimos from South Greenland have built two large stone igloos. They profess the Moravian faith, a form of Christianity. The interior of their buildings is decorated with medieval pictures of Christ and their song books have been translated into the Eskimo tongue."

EKIMOS OF ETHA AND GREENLAND.

He then contrasted the Etah Eskimos with those scattered about various other parts of the Arctic Circle. "Among the Labrador and Lancaster Sound Eskimos there are many half-breeds, owing to extensive inter-marriage with Indians. As a result these Eskimos are much inferior to those at Etah, who are particularly moral, honest and intelligent."

PROF. MACMILLAN IS OFF TO WORCESTER.

After arriving in New York, Professor McMillan will go directly to Worcester Academy, where the college term has opened. "You will get a great reception," it was suggested. "I heard that they were doing something of that sort, and I wrote them to stop it, or I would not come," said the genial pedagogue, who has a habit of keeping in the background. "I'm not going back into harness again," he continued. "I wired the board of Worcester Academy some time ago not to hold my position. Borup and I are going for a hunting trip through Canada during the autumn months, and after that I'll take a rest."

This seems reasonable when one considers that the honest schoolmaster has been working like a laborer for a couple of years, has had his feet frozen, his arm nearly shot off, besides enduring a host of minor discomforts.

Amherst Loses One of Its Captains of Industry

Amherst, N. S., Sept. 30.—The death occurred here, at 5 o'clock this morning, after an illness of little more than one week, of Mr. N. A. Rhodes, Vice-President of the Rhodes Curry Co., Ltd., and one of the best known and most highly esteemed business men of Eastern Canada. Last Wednesday week, while returning from Sydney, Mr. Rhodes was taken ill on the train, suffering considerably until he reached Amherst. After medical aid had been summoned relief was obtained, but during the night he became worse and his attending physicians realized that his condition was serious. Dr. McKay was summoned from Halifax and on arrival an operation for appendicitis was deemed advisable. The operation proved highly successful, and his many friends hoped for a speedy recovery. However, other symptoms developed, and it was found that his case was very serious. Two specialists were summoned, one from Montreal by special over C. P. R. via St. John, and another from Metanedia, by I. C. R. Both trains arrived during last night, but it was found that nothing could be done, and the end came at 5 o'clock this morning, Mr. Rhodes having been unconscious since Tuesday.

A sad feature of the case is that his only son, Edgar N. Rhodes, M. P., is in the West and cannot reach home for at least a week. In the death of Mr. Rhodes the town, the Province, the Baptist denomination all lose a valued and highly respected friend and helper. Mr. Rhodes could well be styled a captain of industry. He was identified with everything that was for the betterment of the community in which he lived. He was a valued member of the First Baptist Church, a Governor and generous contributor to Acadia University, a member of the Executive of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, and in fact prominently identified with nearly all schemes for the betterment of man.

He is survived by a widow and one son, Edgar N., M. P., for Cumberland, N. S., President of the Rhodes Curry Company, is a brother-in-law, and for thirty years has been identified with him in business. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon. He is 64 years of age.

Mr. N. A. Rhodes was born at Amherst about sixty-four years ago. He received his education at the common schools at that time being deprived of the advantages which so many through his generosity have since been able to obtain a college education. He served his time with Mr. Bayard Dodge, a builder and contractor who at that time carried on business here. After serving a thorough apprenticeship, Mr. Rhodes went to Boston then the great Mecca for Provincial mechanics. His great knowledge of his business and unusual ability to place and push work take a leading position. He acted as foreman in many important contracts in different parts of the States, his splendid workmanship commending him at all times to those employing him. He went into business for himself building and selling houses.

After seven years residence in the States he returned to Amherst which was then a small but promising town, and with that keen insight which characterized him throughout all his great undertakings he saw the possibility for future development. He secured the so-called Holmes property on Church St., and entered into partnership with Mr. Dodge who was in business in a small way. The business was wonderfully successful and good contracts had been secured both in the town and in different sections of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Then came the disastrous fire clearing out everything, plant and material, but with the courage that never says die, the young firm at once rebuilt on a larger scale. In the meantime Mr. Curry a brother-in-law of Mr. Rhodes who was engaged in car shops in California, returned and became associated with Mr. Rhodes in the business. Together they continued to build up their own business and the town.

Y. M. C. A. Convention

The Thirty-seventh General Convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations in the Maritime Provinces, City and Town, Student, Railroad, and all affiliated and branch associations, have been invited to meet at Fredericton, N. B., on Monday, October 11, at 8 p. m. October 12, Friday night, in the St. Paul's Presbyterian church, and closes with a "Dinner meeting" on Monday, October 23, (Thanksgiving Day) at 5.30 p. m. The Convention will be the guests of the Fredericton City Association, the University Association, the Women's Auxiliary of the City Association, and the Y. M. C. A. of the University of N. B. The 20th Intercollegiate Student Y. M. C. A. Conference unites with the General Convention this year. Representation is practically unlimited. Members of all Young Men's Christian Associations in the Maritime Provinces, as well as members specially chosen to represent Associations, and all others who are ready to join in a common effort in the interests of the young men and boys, and the Kingdom of Christ among them, are heartily welcome. Pastors, corresponding members, and all friends of the movement are invited. The Conventions have in recent years been self entertaining, and this one will be, in part. Both the City and Student Associations are arranging to entertain all students and others who wish entertainment and who will send their names to W. J. Osbourne, Chairman of Reception and Entertainment Committee, Fredericton, N. B., or to J. B. Alexander, President U. N. B. Y. M. C. A., Fredericton, N. B., before October 15. The same gentlemen will be glad to secure hotel accommodations for any who may wish to attend.

Special rates will be secured on railways or steamers, and such rates may be known on application to the nearest Association Secretary or ticket agent. The "Standard Certificate" plan will be used. The programme is being carefully worked out in the best interests of every thing within the compass of the work.

Friday night, Oct. 22, at 9 o'clock, a reception will be tendered to all students and graduates by the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. of the University of N. B., in the hall of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Monday at 5.30 p. m. The City Association and Women's Auxiliary entertain the whole Convention at a "Dinner Meeting" in Association Building. The "Arion Quartette" and a large male chorus will support the leader, Rev. George Wood, in the singing. Organ recital at the Cathedral. Visit to Shoe, Cotton, and Canoe Factories, University Buildings, and beauty spots of the City and environs.

Some of the speakers are: C. K. Calhoun, Canadian Field Secretary, Montreal E. C. Carter, International Secretary, New York; George G. Mahy, Men's Evangelist, Scranton, Pa.; Secretary Student Volunteer Movement; Thomas H. Billings, Student Secretary for Canada; Rev. M. A. MacKinnon, Halifax, N. S.; Rev. A. B. Cobbe, St. John, N. B.; Chancellor C. C. Jones, University N. B.; Fredericton, N. B.; Harry J. Crowe, Member International Committee, Toronto, Ont.; Rev. E. W. Forbes, Canoe, N. S.; Capt. J. E. Masters, Chairman Maritime Committee, Moncton, N. B.; Dr. R. J. MacDonald, Chairman Student Work Committee, Westville, N. S.; George E. Johnson, General Manager Cape Breton Railway, St. Peter's, C. B.; J. D. MacKay, Secretary Maritime Committee, Truro, N. S.; Dr. W. C. Kierstead, Fredericton, N. B.; Bishop Richardson, Fredericton, N. B., and others.

The history of Rhodes Curry & Co. is known to all. Today it is one of the largest and most important in Eastern Canada built up by the energy, pluck and indomitable will of these two captains of industry. Mr. Rhodes was a man who recognized an opening through which benefit would accrue to the town or the country, threw himself into the development of the issue and sheer push made it go. He was an untiring worker, a man who never gave up.

During Mr. Rhodes' residence in Boston he married Sarah Curry, sister of Mr. Nathaniel Curry, who survives him. By this marriage there were two children, a little daughter who died in childhood and one son, Edgar N., the present member for Cumberland in the Federal Parliament and a leading barrister of the town.

Rev. H. R. Grant Denies the Statement of Premier Murray

By request of the local branch of the Canada Temperance Alliance we are publishing the following statement regarding the Premier's statement on the liquor license act.

In a speech delivered in Yarmouth on the 8th ult., Premier Murray made this statement: "I realize that an effort has been made in some quarters to minimize the record of the government on many of the great problems with which we have dealt and attempt to force a single issue on the great question of temperance. I regard the question of temperance as an important one. My views on this question are well known, and, in a word, it is my conscientious opinion that the county of Yarmouth under the Scott Act, as amended by legislation, secured by our government, lives under the best piece of temperance legislation on the statute books of this or any other country.—(Cheers.) I am willing to be tried by the truth of this statement. I do not want to be tried by men who are not trained lawyers or jurists, but I would like to have that statement determined by men who are capable of judging of the effectiveness of legislation, for I am satisfied that no eminent authority in this or any other country who appreciates what drastic and effective temperance legislation means would exchange the Scott Act as it exists today, controlling the importation of liquor, for a provincial prohibition act with many imperfections."

Rev. H. R. Grant, in the Herald of the 20th ult., made the following reply:

"1st—The Scott Act does not control the importation of liquor into Scott Act counties through which the I. C. R. runs. Premier Murray is surely not aware of the decision given last June by the 'trained jurists' of the supreme court of New Brunswick.

"If Premier Murray referred to Scott Act counties not touched by the I. C. R. there might be some ground for the contention, but the words 'the Scott Act as it exists today, controlling the importation of liquor' are not accurate. Liquor is imported into every county through which the I. C. R. runs. The Scott Act does not prevent this.

"2nd—We do not want to exchange the Scott Act as it exists today for a provincial prohibitory act with many imperfections." We want a provincial prohibitory act with as few imperfections as possible. We do not want a provincial prohibitory law exactly after the pattern of the Prince Edward Island law. That has "many imperfections." Premier Murray could give us a first class prohibitory law.

"3rd—We take issue with the statement that the Scott Act is "the best piece of temperance legislation on the statute books of this or any other country," and could cite provisions in the Ontario act, the Manitoba and the Prince Edward Island laws far superior to the provisions in the law cannot be familiar with provincial Scott Act. The premier of this province in several of the prohibitory laws in the United States or he would not have called the Scott Act "the best piece of temperance legislation."

"4th—It does not appear to us that 'trained lawyers or jurists' are alone capable of judging of the effectiveness of legislation dealing with the liquor traffic. The man who makes a hammer may not see the flaw in it, while the man who uses the hammer will find out its ineffectiveness. It does not require a trained jurist to see that the 'options' and 'loopholes' and inadequacy of the enforcing authority and the paltry penalties of the Scott Act are not effective.

"5th—The Scott Act is not the law of this province. More than one-half of the people are under the liquor license act. The great issues in Nova Scotia today is not Scott Act or prohibition, but provincial license or provincial prohibition. We now have provincial license or rather the only provincial legislation in regard to the liquor traffic is the liquor license act. Why not the liquor prohibition act?"

"How does Premier Murray propose to deal with the provincial license act?"

"How does he propose to put an end to the Halifax trade by which the province is being cursed?"

"Let us have the great issue discussed by the premier, PROHIBITION or LICENSE."

"The moral sense of the people of Nova Scotia is strongly opposed to license and this issue the premier of the province should face."

"We have had enough of Scott Act."

COOK INTERVIEWED BY REPORTERS FOR THE NEW YORK PRESS

The World Reports that He Stood the Fire Unscathed.—Will Submit Scientific Memoranda to University of Copenhagen

The New York World of late issue has a full account of the interview of Press representatives with Dr. Fred A. Cook, the North Pole explorer, and this great man stood the fire as unscathed as he did a similar ordeal in Copenhagen before representatives of the European press, headed by the great editor, W. T. Stead.

The World, in part, says: Smiling and calm, his long legs crossed and his lean hands thrust into his trousers pockets, Dr. Frederick A. Cook confronted yesterday afternoon in the Waldorf-Astoria forty or more representatives of the press, not only of America, but of the world. They piled him with questions, pertinent and otherwise, concerning his discovery of the North Pole, and at the end of an hour and a half he produced for their inspection a pocket note book, containing in close set, minute writing, his diary of the expedition that made him famous.

Never during the long examination did the explorer falter or contradict himself. For every question he had an answer, and though he had had no chance to prepare himself by a foreknowledge of the things he would be asked, there was no hesitation at any time, and the answer was always complete enough to satisfy the audience.

COOK DID NOT KNOW WHITNEY.

When Dr. Cook met Harry Whitney on his way back from the Pole he was ignorant of the identity of the young sportsman and Whitney had to introduce himself.

That is a side issue. The people from end to end of the province understand it, know its good and bad points, and want the premier to discuss the main question, prohibition or license.

"H. R. GRANT, General Secretary N. S. T. Alliance."

SNATCHED FROM DEATH.

A gallant rescue was made at the Grand Trunk station, Cornwall, Ont. About one hundred people had gathered to send off Mr. and Mrs. P. Flynn, who were married at St. Andrew's. As the train was approaching the crowd jostled about, with the result that Miss McIntosh, a cousin of the bride, was thrown off the platform prostrate across in front of the train, which was about 100 feet away and running twenty-five miles an hour. The crowd stood powerless. Hugh Kippen, a singer at Starland, saw the lady fall, and rushed to her aid. He dragged her from the tracks as the engine passed, the pilot striking her feet. The airbrakes had been applied, but the train could not be stopped. Miss McIntosh was able to return to her home, uninjured, but very much affected by the shock.

Cook said he enjoined Whitney, Pritchard and the two Eskimos who had been with him to the Pole to absolute secrecy, because he did not want the news of his success to reach Peary before he, Cook, could get back to civilization and tell his own story. His scientific memoranda will be submitted first to the University of Copenhagen, because the Government authorities of Denmark have endorsed his claim to have discovered the Pole by honoring him with medals and academic degrees, and Dr. Cook believes that the first opportunity to examine these records should go to the people who first recognized and endorsed him.

These records will not be ready for submission to anybody for at least two months as they cannot be verified until Whitney returns in October with the instruments from which the records were made, and it will take some time then to embody all the loose memoranda into one consecutive record of the trip from the scientific standpoint.

KEPT PEARY IN THE DARK.

Cook said he used every means to conceal from Peary that he had reached the Pole, because he did not see why Peary, a rival explorer, should have the News before the rest of the world could get it from Cook's own lips, and for other reasons which he does not care to divulge at present.

A large parlor on the second floor on his way back from the Pole he was ignorant of the identity of the young sportsman and Whitney had to introduce himself.

NOW FOR THE SOUTH POLE.

Dispatches from England leave no room for doubt of the British determination to do everything that money and trained explorers can do to equal in the antarctic the achievement of Commander Peary in the north. Within ten months it is expected that the famous commander of the "Discovery" expedition of 1901-4, Captain Robert F. Scott, will be at the head of a well-fitted ship ready to sail from England with the firm determination of nailing the Union Jack to the South Pole. Capt. Scott has appealed to the British nation for \$200,000 to equip his expedition, and he has the united assistance of the press behind him in asking for donations that the honor of finding the pole at the other end of the world shall be gained by a Briton.

Happily the citizen of this country need not roll in wealth to be a happy man. We recall the reply made by Jay Gould to Dr. C. B. Pritchard, when he wished to find out from the multimillionaire's own lips how happy he was. "Happy!" replied Jay Gould. "I have never known a day's happiness since I left off herding my father's cows on the hills of Vermont."

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Richard the Brazen

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CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY,
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EDWARD PELLE,
Author of "A Broken Rosary," "The Prince Chap," etc.

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Meanwhile Mr. Renwyck, having scored decisively on Uncle Michael, enjoyed his dinner as a victor should. He was in the best of spirits, not alone because of his triumph, but because of certain cheerful developments which had come to light at the meeting of the stockholders of his new deep water harbor company. He was so elated over his certain success that he cast out broad hints which were mystifying enigmas to all present with the exception of Richard, who understood only too well. To him they meant the collapse of his father's cherished hopes, while he, a dutiful son, was forced to sit calmly and watch an enemy gloat.

Dinner was scarcely over when callers were announced. They were old friends of the family, claiming the attention of Mr. and Mrs. Renwyck and Miss Schermerly, which left the four young people to their own devices. For this Richard thanked the visitors fervently and wandered with Miss Harriet across the lawn, where they seated themselves on a favorite bench and enjoyed a long and uninterrupted chat. Had Uncle Michael been present instead of sulking in his lonely bachelor home he might have had cause to exchange his frowns for chuckles. In view of the fact that a certain young scamp was assuredly making progress. The progress was not of tremendous moment, after all, yet Richard forgot

recto and then lay back in his deep leather chair and laughed till the tears ran down his face. The mystified Texan smoked on in polite silence, patiently waiting for some explanation of the old man's humor. He could wait quietly, since it was evident from Mr. Renwyck's exuberant joy that Richard had nothing personally to fear—that his secret was still his own. After a time his host wiped his eyes with his handkerchief and apologized for his merriment.

"Forgive me, Lord Croyland," he begged; "but, to tell you the truth, I just can't help it. Affairs in Texas are not only drifting my way, but the whole situation has become intensely humorous. Why, it is a regular play. Old Bill Williams represents tragedy, my company will shortly supply melodrama, while a third corporation has appeared on the stage and is furnishing both sides with comedy. Let me explain."

"Do so, I beg you," murmured Richard, striving not to look as uncomfortable as he always felt when this Texas business came up. The financier laughed again and proceeded: "As I told you before, Bill Williams' company is working for a deep water harbor at Matagorda City, while my company is equally anxious to operate at Longport. Very well. Now, listen. I learned today that a new corporation was organized last month under the laws of the state of New Jersey which styles itself the Peace and Good Will Realty company. Think of it! The very name will kill it in its teething stage."

"Who are back of this corporation?" asked Richard, greatly interested in this new development. "I don't know. They are probably so ashamed of themselves that their names are kept secret," laughed Mr. Renwyck. "But I thought the incorporators—"

"Dummies, like my own company, only in this case all of them are real dummies in fact as well as in theory," "I see."

"It develops that the promoters of this company, whoever they may be, have gone down to Texas and invested their capital in the state's largest and most generous product."

"And what is that?" asked Richard in some surprise. "Hot air," returned Mr. Renwyck in a paroxysm of mirth. "It's cheap, but they seem to want it."

"I will enlighten you. They have a ministerial looking representative of the name of Fishell, whose innocence can only be described as infantile. This precious old lamb called upon a firm of promoters, Hill & Eaton, who in strict confidence—brought to him my agents, and asked their advice with regard to a location for a deep water harbor on the Texas gulf coast they intend to construct with the assistance of a hoped for legislative appropriation. Once more Mr. Renwyck was so overcome by amusement that he was forced to pause in his story. "Now, my company—I myself, you understand?" he began at length.

but various circumstances have placed directly into my hands. Senator Frank Klawatt, president of the Texas state improvement committee of the legislature was closeted with me for two hours this morning. He is now on his way to Austin, where my father bill will be passed by both houses immediately upon his arrival, and the legislature will at once adjourn."

"You—you mean," stammered Richard, "that you have bought Klawatt—that?"

"Tut, tut!" protested the crafty old schemer. "True, I bought the gentleman a lunch at Sherry's, together with a few cigars, a couple of cold bottles, and there were some incidental expenses which ran the price of the meal up—well, up into six figures, but beyond this— Mr. Renwyck paused and smiled. "No one in this enlightened age would dream of buying an entire legislature, my dear boy. Horrible!"

Richard rose from his seat, took a turn up and down the library, then faced his exultant host.

"Mr. Renwyck," he asked, "aren't you losing sight of one important factor in the game? From what I have heard of him, Bill Williams is scarcely the man to be lying around in a hammock while you are putting through your deep water harbor bill. In my humble opinion, you are going to have a fight on your hands that will make you sit up and get busy."

This was the most un-English language which the supposed nobleman had employed, but it did not attract the notice or awaken the suspicion of Mr. Renwyck at that time, owing to his deep interest in the matter immediately in hand.

"Ah," he cried, "now you've laid your finger on a beauty spot! Of course Williams will fight me with tooth and nail; but, by the Lord Harry, he can't!"

"Why not?"

"Simply because he will not be in Texas when my bill is passed."

Richard stared at his host in fear and wonder, while Mr. Renwyck continued jubilantly:

"I could not have had matters turn out better if I had arranged it all myself. It seems that Williams' fool of a son was up here in New York last week and got himself badly smashed up in an automobile accident."

"What, you don't mean?"

"Yes, it's true," added the speculator quickly without noticing Richard's look of astonishment. "Michael showed me a greatly exaggerated newspaper account yesterday morning."

Superintendent McKay & Advocates Simplified Spelling

The following communication has been received from the Superintendent of Education for Nova Scotia, who is an advocate of the simplified spelling movement:

Dear Sir: In the course of the past year I have taken the liberty of addressing to you thru the "Simplified Spelling Board" of the English speaking people and the "Simplified Spelling Society" of Great Britain, some of the bulletins of those societies. Counting upon a continuance of intelligent sympathy of the Nova Scotian press with a movement destined to ameliorate our spelling in the interest of the oncoming generation and of the universality of the English language, I am now offering for your consideration the calendar of the Nova Scotia Normal College printed in accordance with the recommendations of these societies.

You will, I believe, find the appearance of the printed page of the calendar not nearly so shocking as some would-be humorists would have us expect it to be; not nearly so alarming or so hindering to easy reading as would a return to Shakespearean spelling be to one not familiar with the orthography of that poet and his contemporaries. And yet, the cares to which I would ask your attention embody the most advanced stage of simplification yet definitely agreed to—a simplification which affects in all some 3,500 words.

It is not proposed to adopt the amended spelling at present in the Normal College. The object is rather to promote in teacher and public familiarity with the nature of the simplification proposed, in the belief that voluntary adoption by the public of some or all of the new forms will be hastened. It must not be thought that it is any part of the intention of the reformer to harass busy writers or those who have inalterably fixt their orthography in accordance with present tradition. For these persons the old spelling will always be in good form. Indeed, it is hoped to enroll among the advocates of reform many who continue to use the old orthography; for, in a measure, one is a spelling-reformer provided he merely advocates the adoption at some future time of the amended forms for those first learning to spell.

In the meantime the press of Nova Scotia can materially contribute to the movement by continuing to correctly interpret it to their readers as a rational endeavor on the part of the scholars of the English-speaking world to accomplish for our language the simplicity and uniformity of spelling which have been brought about by academic or legal enactment in other great languages. In no community of English-speaking people has the press discuss the movement with more seriousness and good judgment than in our own province; and it is this circumstance that has encouraged the Education Department, the Normal College, the University of Dalhousie and other institutions of learning to permit in teachers and students the use of the new orthography.

If in an unofficial way as an independent citizen I can be of any service to the press, especially in this movement, it will be my delight. Officially, of course, I am also at your service, I shall be glad to supply the Nova Scotian press personally, with the Simplified Spelling Bulletin which is issued quarterly reporting progress, if you do not object. I propose to publish these highly authoritative recommendations, as in the past, in the Journal of Education which will be sent you regularly twice a year. Fuller information giving reasons for the changes approved and other valuable articles can be had by communication with the Secretaries of the "Simplified Spelling Society," 44 Great Russell Street, London, W. C., England; or "Simplified Spelling Board," 1 Madison Ave., New York City, U. S. A.

I am, yours very truly,
A. H. MacKAY,
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FAULT OF THE DENTIST.

The family of Miss Stella Levv, 33 years old, of Pittsburg, Pa., who died in great agony, say her death was caused by a dentist's needle, which slipped down her throat. Miss Levv would not permit him to finish filling a tooth. She went home, where after a violent spasm, she coughed up a part of the needle.

A doctor was called, but he could not help his patient. The needle, or part of it, worked close to the heart in less than a week, causing intense agony. Finally it reached that vital organ and the suffering woman died. The family is having an investigation made and some action is anticipated. The Levys are well-to-do and live in a fashionable section of the city.

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WIDTH OF THE SWATH NOT THE TRUE TEST

(From the Hamilton Spectator.)
The young man who lives with a high salary limit and has some to spare may possibly not cut so wide a swath as some of his companions, nor may he seem to enjoy life as the world estimates enjoyment. But the width of the swath is not the true test of a good time, nor is the judgment of the world always a safe guide in the matter of real enjoyment.



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A Modern Aladdin's Lamp at Chignecto Mines

(The Moncton Transcript.)

"An automobile outing from Amherst to Fort Cumberland, described a few days since in these columns, drew aside the veil of obscurity from the past and recalled the scenes of historic interest enacted therein. This outing was organized by the business men of Amherst for the entertainment of members of the Maritime Press Association and their friends.

"Turning from the west the automobile party soon rolls back to Amherst and through its busy streets, away down the long road, by Amherst Point, bounded on each side with splendid upland farms, bordering on great stretches of rich marshland. All the country is well cultivated and settled, and many of the houses are the homesteads wherein the members of illustrious families in Cumberland's history first saw the light of day. To merely mention the names of some of these would be to suggest many pages of Nova Scotia's history. The landscape boasts of no pronounced hills, though beyond the marshes much of the land is rolling."

"On leaving Amherst the party crossed the I. C. R. tracks from north to south, but after traversing the country for a few miles, they again crossed the track at Nappan, with the Experimental Farm buildings looming up to the right, the automobiles soon dashed rapidly along the roads for many miles in which the appearance of the country, but repeated itself. Leaving the main road, and a somewhat rougher country, we noticed the electric power line following our course on the right. Suddenly turning from the road which was obscured with well-defined second growth, the auto soon reached a splendidly constructed road, evidently leading from the bush to some place of considerable importance. Like a flash, houses appeared on the right, and then on the left, and before us there was a deep valley whose banks seemed strewn with the debris from great excavations. On the other side of the valley could be seen two or three streets lined with frame houses; but in a second the automobiles stopped at the very crown of a very steep descent leading to the valley below, through the centre of which ran a somewhat discolored and sluggish stream, the well-washed stones and boulders in which, however, indicated that there must be frequent occasions on which the stream is not sluggish.

"Across the stream, in the middle of the valley slope, the enclosed mouth of a mine shaft, the present power-house, and a gang of men busily erecting extensions of the same of reinforced concrete, we beheld a group of buildings accounting for the presence of the busy village, so far from the ordinary line of travel. It was the village of Chignecto Mines.

"The reader need not turn to the pages of the Arabian Nights Entertainment to read the story of Aladdin's Wonderful Lamp, and the unlimited power which it exerted for its fortunate holder and merely toss the story aside as an amusing, but purely imaginative piece of fiction; because here at Chignecto Mines are almost equally marvellous achievements in the dawning years of the twentieth century, in which the reality is stranger than the fiction.

"In 1902, some seven years ago, Chignecto was a deserted village, the mines' bank-head was tumbled down the windows of the few houses boarded up or smashed out; the streets were overgrown with grass; desolation and deplorable decay was in evidence everywhere. Over a quarter of a century before some mining operations, largely of a surface character, were conducted, but these had ceased long since with the result described. Six or seven years ago two houses only are said to have been occupied at Chignecto Mines. Today, how changed the scene. There are profitable mining operations; electric power is being created for sale; additional power-houses are being erected; scores of houses have been built; and instead of only two houses occupied, there are over five hundred residents, one hundred and fifty of whom are children attending public schools. How came this change about? The ex-member for Cumberland, Mr. Hance J. Logan, is too modest to tell the story, and hence it must be told for him. He had persuaded Senator Mitchell and his associates to purchase the property. They were commencing the development, and Mr Logan happened to be reading in a magazine articles crediting to Mr. Thomas A. Edison, the well-known electrical wizard, the idea of creating power at the coal mine's mouth, when water power is not available, and transmitting the power by wire to the manufactories, instead of hauling the coal to far-off distances. Turning around to Senator Mitchell, Mr. Logan explained the article, and said: "Why can't you do that at Chignecto mines, and supply Amherst

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and other places?" Senator Mitchell, so favorably viewed the suggestion that together with Mr. Logan, he went to see Mr. Thomas A. Edison at the latter's home. They submitted the proposition, and Mr. Edison, naturally was delighted that some one would experiment on his proposition, and he made additional suggestions which were incorporated into a plan, which has created and established at Chignecto Mines the first electrical power plant on the continent in which power is manufactured from refuse at the pit's mouth for transmission and sale at distant points.

"The proposal has been so successful that not only is Amherst now supplied with power, but the plant is being duplicated, for the purpose of supplying other points.

"The duplication is not a mere proposal on paper, but the work is actually in course of progress, and the additional plant will be erected by snowfall.

"Since acquiring this mining property, the new company sunk to 1,900 feet, where levels were run; then to 1,400 feet, where others levels were run off, and then to 1,900 feet. The experience was that the coal improved with the depth, and the output is 250 tons a day. About \$200,000 have been spent on the mines, the up-to-date bank-head and the residences for the workers. A power-creating plant costing over \$100,000 has been erected as well as a power line conveying 11,000 volts to Amherst and other places. As indicated, this power plant is now being duplicated, so that the risk of the power being cut off through accidents will be minimized, and additional power made available for sale. The future prosperity of this industry it is difficult to exaggerate.

"Apart from the Chignecto Mines the Mitchell Company has also purchased the areas of the old Jorgens Mining Company together with the water areas, outside of the Jorgens'. This Jorgens property is estimated to contain 200,000,000 tons of mineable coal. These workings also were abandoned some years ago. One of the best slopes in Nova Scotia has been opened near the beach and a slope sunk to the depth of over 2,000 feet. An endless haulage system has been established and the output is expected to reach within a few weeks 500 tons a day.

MORE THAN ENOUGH IS TOO MUCH.

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At a large meeting of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty, the matter of employing children in factories was fully discussed. It was shown that children of tender years are being employed in certain factories from 6.30 in the morning to 6.30 in the evening, in continued violation of the law. A letter has been written to the Factories' Inspector, stating the views of the Society, and asking that the law be at once enforced.—Halifax Chronicle.



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Don't wait to put all of your affection and gratitude and reverence for her into a costly ton of marble inscribed "Mother."

These words are written for some one particular man who reads this page. I do not know his name, but I know his story.

He is a middle-aged man, married, prosperous. He is a good man, highly respected, and he hasn't an idea but what he is doing his full duty to his poor old mother who lives in his home and whom he supports. He supplies her wants. She eats at his table sheltered by his roof, is warmed by his fire, is decently clothed by his hands; but that is all.

He neglects her.

He never says a word of affection to her.

He never pays her any little attentions.

When she ventures an opinion he cuts it short with curt contempt.

When she tells her carolous old stories, as old people will, he does not even try to conceal how much he is bored.

In a thousand unintentional ways the old mother is made to feel that she is a member of the crowd, an impediment in the household, an old-fashioned and useless piece of furniture of which every one will be glad to be rid.

Under this coldness and neglect the poor old mother's heart is breaking, and in a letter, written in a trembling and feeble handwriting, she asks me if I cannot say something that her son will read, and that may make him think.

Ab, if I could only!

If I could only say to him, "Man, man, give love as well as duty to your mother. Give her the wine of life as well as the bread. Don't forget the woman who never forgets you."

Of course the man will say, and truly, that he is busy, overworked, care-burdened; that he has the claims of wife and children upon him; that he is often irritable through sheer physical weariness and overstrain.

Granted. But your mother's life has not been easy. Your father was a poor man, and from the day she married him she stood by his side fighting the wolf from the door with her naked hands, as a woman must fight.

She worked not the eight or ten hours' day of the union, but the twenty-four hour day of the poor wife and mother.

She cooked and cleaned and scrubbed and patched and nursed from dawn until bedtime, and in the night was up and down getting drinks for thirsty lips, covering restless little sleepers, listening for croupy coughs.

She had time to listen to your stories of boyish fun and frolic and triumph.

She had time to say the things that spurred your ambition on.

She never forgot to cook the little dishes you liked.

She did without the dress she needed that you might not be ashamed by your clothes before your fellows.

Stop, man, and think what life would have been to you if she had treated you in your childhood as you are treating her in her old age!

Supposing there had been no warm caressing mother love?

Suppose there had been no soft breast on which you would weep out your childish sorrows, no clinging arms to enfold you and comfort you when the things of your world went wrong?

Would it not take away from you the memory of all that is best and sweetest in life? Is there anything else so pitiful on earth as the little child that is motherless—that is an alien in a strange home—that has no one to love it?

Yes, there is just one other figure more forlorn than the little unloved child, and that is the old mother who is unloved by the children she has raised and who is doomed to spend the last years of her life in a glacial atmosphere of neglect, her devotion, her labors, her sacrifices forgotten.

Remember them now while there is yet time, while she is living, to pay back to her in love and tenderness some of the debt you owe her. You can never pay it all, but pay down something on account this very night.

Go home and put your arm around the shrunken old figure. Kiss the drooping old mouth with a real live, warm kiss instead of giving her a perfunctory peck on the cheek. Tell her that she is the greatest mother a man ever had, and that all you are she made you.

It will cause her very soul to leap with joy, and make the world a place of circling joy, and life itself swim in a rosy mist of bliss for her—if she doesn't drop dead—with surprise.—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Great Discovery after 2000 years.



Two thousand years ago the usual method of healing skin injuries and diseases was to apply certain essences and juices obtained direct from various healing herbs and roots. The gladiators of Ancient Rome and the athletes of Greece adopted this means of healing their injuries, and with wonderful effect. A gladiator would emerge from the ring having sustained terrible cuts and bruises, yet on the application of his favourite herbal balm, within a few days he would again be ready for combat.

As centuries rolled by, the secret of making these herbal extracts was lost, and ointments and salves made up of animal fats took the place of the pure herbal balm.

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The choice of the right herbal juices and their refinement comprised the next step, after which came the more difficult problem of finding out just the exact proportion of the different ingredients which would give the best healing results. Early disappointment and costly experiments are often the forerunner of famous discoveries, but at length, when success arrived, the investigators found themselves in the possession of a substance of fine consistency, of slight yet agreeable odour, and unique for its marvellous healing, soothing and antiseptic value. The original medicinal power of the respective ingredients was found to have been multiplied many times by reason of the scientific and novel manner of their combination as they exert in

Careful tests established the exceptional value of the new balm, its constant reliability, and its unvarying success even in certain obstinate cases of eczema and ulceration.

From the first Zam-Buk has born out in practice what its discoverers expected of it from a practical standpoint. In four continents it has now become the favourite household balm. Cheap substitutes made up to look like Zam-Buk, and sold at so-called "cheap" rates, are constantly being produced, but the careful housewife, the mother, bearing the responsibility and the welfare of her ailing children, or the bread-winner, who once wastes money on them never repeats the experiment. There is no "cheapness" in nature. If one wants her treasure her price must be paid, and now people don't waste money on "cheap" imitations.

Zam-Buk, so pure yet so powerful, is good for young and old. The delicate skin of babes benefits from its application and it is widely used by nursing mothers for the rashes and chafings of very young children. Men of experience and of great attainments in varied walks of life have tested it, and speak of it in the highest terms.

Dr. Andrew Wilson, whose name as a scientist is familiar all the world over, in one of his recent medical works ("Homey Talks on First Aid") says: "Wherever a box of Zam-Buk is handy the preparation may be relied upon as an antiseptic dressing which requires no preparation and has the particular advantage of possessing unique healing properties."

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All the estate, right, title, interest, claim, property and demand of the said James Awalt, deceased, in and to all that portion of the real estate of the said deceased, situate on the east side of the Morse Road, so-called, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point two rods distant from the south-eastern corner of land belonging to Robert Barnes, thence running southerly along the eastern side line of said Barnes' property and properties of Frederick Foster and Oliver McGowan to a point on the eastern side of said Morse Road, distant from said first mentioned bound seventy-two rods, thence easterly at right angles to the said Road eighteen rods, thence northerly parallel to said first mentioned line seventy-two rods, thence westerly eighteen rods to the place of beginning, containing eight acres, more or less, saving and excepting that portion thereof, now in the possession of Oliver McGowan, being in length along the said Oliver McGowan's east line and said road twenty-one rods and in width eight rods, containing an acre and eight rods, more or less.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1909.

For many years the town of Amherst has been held up to the rest of the province as a standard example in industrial progress. Consequently when the Nova Scotia Press Association decided to hold its annual excursion to that place it was with the purpose of learning incidentally what made Amherst a model town and how it had earned its prestige.

Amherst is a town of 9,000 people. Its population having doubled in the last ten years through its flourishing industries. The estimated value of its taxable property is in round figures \$5,000,000. Its chief industries are Rhodes, Curry and Company's car works and wood factories, Robb Engineering Co.'s engine and boiler works, Amherst Foundry and Enameling Works, Hewson Woolen Mills, Amherst Boot and Shoe Co., red sand-stone quarries and numerous other smaller industries.

Amherst has seven churches, good public schools, many fine private residences and public buildings, and their places of business are in handsome modern structures and compare favorably with cities of much larger growth. Wide paved streets are a most notable feature of the town's progressiveness. \$600,000 has already been expended in paving the streets and each year will see an increase of expenditure until the town is covered. Best of all, street cleaners are kept constantly at work and tokens of further "up-to-date-ness" are found in the conspicuous signs along the thoroughfares, "Do Not Spit on the Sidewalks." A spitting gang of loafers on the street corner or before store doors would not be tolerated in Amherst as in some other towns we might mention. In only one particular does Amherst fall short of the standard of a model town and that is in the inadequateness of her hotel accommodation. It is the marvel of all visitors that the hotels are wofully behind the times and the deficiencies in their management are all the more conspicuous by the wide-awake progressiveness displayed in every other detail of the public service.

The hospitality of the citizens of Amherst was most ample and generous. Mayor Lowther was extremely attentive, and by his courtesy a number of the visitors enjoyed a carriage drive in and about Amherst. The agricultural districts which surround the town give evidence of the prosperity which comes through intelli-

gent farming. It was an unusual sight to see the extensive marshes stretched out in a panorama-like view, dotted over with barns into which the season's hay crop was being stored. The Board of Trade signified their hospitality by a banquet at the Terrace Hotel at which a number of members were guests, and private citizens placed at the disposal of the visitors about twenty of the handsome touring cars for which the town is noted, most of the owners driving them in person, courtesies which were highly appreciated and will never be remembered by their guests as tokens of the hospitality and kindness characterizing the citizens of Amherst.

We cannot close these brief notes without referring to Amherst's "grand old man," Mr. N. A. Rhodes, who with his son, Mr. E. N. Rhodes, M. P., were among the citizens to whom we have referred above as showing courtesies to the Association, and who were with the party in the motor trip to Fort Cumberland and Chignecto. Mr. Rhodes, the senior, though apparently then in perfect health, within this brief space of time is now numbered with the hosts of the departed. Mr. Rhodes, whose obituary notice appears elsewhere, was a man whose rugged wholesomeness and dominating personality instantly won and held esteem. His true worth is not measured by the immense business he was instrumental in building up, but by his generous true-hearted, whole-souled nature. Amherst is immeasurably poorer by his loss but the good he has done will remain with her citizens as an inspiration and as a lasting memorial of one who was a kink among men.

Obituary.

JONAS BANKS.

After a very brief illness of pneumonia, Jonas Banks passed peacefully away, on Sept. 27th, at his home at Port Lorne, at the age of 54 years. Mr. Banks had been suffering from a cold for eight days but did not seem to suffer more than the effects of an ordinary cold. He was out-of-doors every day till Sunday and Monday morning got up as usual and said he was feeling better, but before noon showed signs of serious illness and a doctor was summoned whose efforts to relieve were in vain. His heart was very weak and almost before his neighbors knew he was ill he passed away at 7 p. m. It cast a deep gloom over the entire community. A man of industry and integrity, a good neighbor and highly respected by all, was thus taken away in the prime of life. His widow was a daughter of the late Deacon Uriah Johnson. She, with one son, Wilbur, of Lawrencetown, and two daughters, Mrs. David Hall, of St. Croix, and Nina, at home, are left to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father. Parker, a brother of the deceased, after an absence of twenty-nine years had just come home for a short visit and was present at the funeral which was conducted by W. S. Smith (Lic.) speaking from St. Mark, 6:48. "And he saw them toiling in rowing for the wind was contrary unto them."

WAS THIS PREACHER A CLEVER ROGUE?

The Coast Guard published a letter from an individual in East Publico regarding a lecturer who preached in many towns in the province last year, including Bridgetown, under the auspices of churches, Y. M. C. Associations and temperance societies. We append herewith the letter and the Coast Guard's comments:—"Dear Sir,—It has been reported here about one week, that Dr. Edwin Smith, doing a patent medicine business in this place, was drowned on the Jersey coast in a boating accident. I have not seen anything in any of the American papers of the accident. The man has secured a loan from Caleb Larkin of \$1,200, and I am told that he has a few watches from some women here that he was taking to New York for repairs. He also has \$50 from our minister to buy some clothing for his wife. He was to be married to a young lady of this place about the 27th of this month, so I have been told. Do you know if this Smith was drowned or not? Please answer through your paper or letter. Your reply will be of assistance to me and others, and will be considered a favor."

(The Coast Guard has a pile of impeachments against that fellow-letters from clergymen whose names had been forged to testimonials, and also a picture from the Rogue's Gallery, Brookline, Mass. These will be published if that will comfort the victims. The writer warned sundry Baptist ministers in the Province but all in vain. Their consciences should smite them now.—Editor the Coast Guard, Sept. 23rd.

The German printers and publishers of picture postal cards are already beginning to feel the effect of the new American tariff law. Heretofore they controlled this industry, and the illustrations of American views were "made in Germany" and shipped to American dealers. All is changed now and the art printers of Berlin, Leipzig and Munich are seeking other channels for a large part of their production. It is a hard blow for the German postal card industry.

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As soon as delivered at our Factory. Bring along all your Cider Apples and get the best market price. Any quantity in barrel or car load lots accepted. M. W. Graves & Co. Bridgetown, Sept. 20th

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TRAIN SERVICES.

Wednesday, October 6th, and Thursday, 7th—Train leaves Middleton for Annapolis at 6.30 p. m. Thursday, October 7th—Special trains leave Middleton at 10.30 p. m. for Windsor and Kingsport, and at 6 p. m. for Lunenburg and Caledonia. Friday, October 8th—Special leaves Middleton for Digby at 9.30 p. m. Excursionists come to Middleton by all regular trains. FARES. One fare on the D. A. R. and H. & S. W. R. On Thursday from Windsor to Port William, \$1.00, from other stations East of Middleton, one first-class fare. On Friday from Digby to Upper Clements, \$1.00, from other stations West of Middleton, one first-class fare.

BRIDGETOWN OPERA HOUSE Monday, Oct. 11th

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Our pork products are positively of the highest quality. Our sausages are made from carefully selected stock, seasoned with the best and purest seasoning on the market. You'll be back for more if you try one pound. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

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STREAMERS, .25 to .40 TIN DIPPER, 2 qt. .12 AGATE PRESERVE KETTLES LONG HANDLE DIPPER, 1 qt. .10 AGATE BOWLS, .20, .25 and .30 MILK KETTLE, 2 qt. .18 AGATE BOWLS, .15, .20 and .25 DISH PAN, 14 qt. .20 AGATE PIE PLATES, .08 and .10 TIN FUNNEL, with strainer. .10 AGATE COFFEE POTS, .30 POT COVERS, .05 to .15 COAL HODS, .25

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An UNPARALLELED TOWEL SALE

We got a chance to buy a lot of Towels at a right price, so we can give our customers—

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in Towels next Saturday. We'd like to have more of the same lot, but we hope there are enough Towels for everybody who comes to our store next Saturday, though they'll hardly last the day out at the sacrificing figure we quote.

LOT I Consists of— Linen, Cotton and Linen, Damask, Turkish Bath, hemmed or fringed. Your choice each 8 1-2c. LOT II Consists of— Linen, Damask, Turkish Bath. Hemstitched, hemmed and fringed edge. Your choice each 12 1-2c.

Come Early and Buy All You Want

This Sale will be only for one day. The lot cannot last longer

Table with 3 columns: GROCERIES, GROCERIES, GROCERIES. Lists various items like SUGAR, SALMON, TOMATOES, etc. with prices.

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Storage for Apples

At New Warehouse accommodation for 10,000 barrels. Consignments solicited for shipment. First class agencies London, Liverpool in and Glasgow. The best insurance effected and every attention-given shippers. FRANK H. FOWLER Bridgetown, Sept. 7th, 2 mos.

The ladies of Bridgetown and vicinity are cordially invited to be present at MISS CHUTE'S opening display of Fall and Winter Millinery on Friday and Saturday of this week.

10 DAYS ONLY GRAND SLAUGHTER SALE

Being fortunately able to secure, while away on a trip, \$10,000 DOLLARS WORTH OF CLOTHING, including Gentlemen's Furnishings, Boots and Shoes and Dry Goods for less than cost of raw material, in order to turn same into cash, I have decided to treat the public to seasonable goods at prices never before heard in the country.

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LOCAL AND SPECIAL

Moose meat in the market this week.

Patten and Perry are coming. See their advertisement.

Don't forget Mrs. Brown's special sale of Kitchen Furnishings.

The Owl train made its last run for the season on Monday morning.

A retail merchants' association was organized in Halifax last week.

Digby County exhibition will be held at Bear River to-morrow, 7th inst.

A Kings County farmer is reported as having sold his orchard crop of apples for \$5,000 this season.

Bridgetown now has three dentists and four medical doctors in active practice besides one retired physician.

The evaporator opened for business on Monday, but was not in operation yesterday. Eight or ten hands are employed.

The Bridgetown Tennis Club will probably give the public another of their choice entertainments within a few weeks.

County Court opened at Annapolis yesterday, Justice Townshend presiding. There is but one criminal case on the docket.

The marriage of Mr. Harry Fitz-Randolph, of Round Hill, to Miss Grace Syda, of Digby, took place on Wednesday last.

Mass will be held at St. Alphonse's Church on Sunday next, Rev. Father Grace officiating, at 11 a. m., with vespers at 3 p. m.

There are but four boats a week now on the D. A. R. line between Yarmouth and Boston. The Bluenose trains run only on boat days.

The auction of a lot of land belonging to the estate of the late John L. Cox, on an avenue facing Granville Street East, takes place tomorrow.

Mr. J. B. Whitman and Principal Bustin went out South on Saturday and in a few hours returned with a fine moose which they had captured.

The special train arrangements for the Middleton exhibition advertised today, were unfortunately received too late for publication in an earlier issue.

The fall tides are the highest for years. In Maine and New Brunswick great damage has been done, but the losses reported in our province are slight.

E. A. Poole, of the Swastika A. A. A. ran from the Clifton House, Annapolis, a distance of nearly twenty miles, in 1 hour and 59 minutes.

The west-bound express was delayed two hours at Windsor Monday by a freight train running from the plaster quarries at Newport to Windsor becoming derailed and obstructing the track.

A tea meeting was held in the church at Ingleside on Thursday, Sept. 30th. The unfavorable weather prevented quite a number from being present. The sum of thirty dollars was realized.

A painful shooting accident occurred near Gaspereau on Sunday when the daughter of Noble Caldwell was dangerously injured in the thigh by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of her father.

The Halifax Exhibition closed on Tuesday, the dates having been extended two days on account of the very unfavorable weather. The attendance was the smallest ever recorded, doubtless on account of the weather. Hardly a day out of the ten but had its downpour of rain.

Bridgetown is called upon to part with two of her fair daughters today when Miss Winnifred Hoyt becomes the bride of Mr. James H. MacDaniel, manager of the Union Bank at Lunenburg, and Miss Minnie Figgott becomes the bride of Mr. Charles A. Bent, of West Somerville, Mass.

The launch of the Jeanne A. Pickels took place on Wednesday noon last in the presence of about one hundred and fifty people. Undoubtedly more would have been present but for the heavy rain. Steamer Granville II, brought up a party from Annapolis. The launching was very successful. The schooner is still in dock and will take on a cargo of lumber for Havana, Cuba, which Mr. Shafner, her builder, is exporting.

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

The Horticultural Exhibition opened at Middleton today, and we trust the expectations of its promoters will be fully realized. Bridgetown will have a good display of exhibits, we understand, and doubtless there will be a good attendance from this section of the county.

A tragedy occurred in the Gaspereau Valley on Sunday last when by a boating accident five people, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and two children and the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robie Stevens were drowned. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens were the only survivors of the party.

Hymeneal.

MORSE-LLOYD.

A cheerful group of friends gathered at the home of J. E. Lloyd, Esq., merchant, of this town, father of the bride, on Wednesday morning last, to participate in the festivities connected with the marriage of Miss Leonora Belle Lloyd to Alfred Osborne Morse, Esq., druggist, of Boston, and son of Albert Morse, Esq., barrister, of Bridgetown. Notwithstanding the copious showers which drenched the streets the wedding was a very pleasant and attractive one, the decorations of flowers and autumn leaves giving a special charm to the home of the bride. Rev. W. H. Warren was the officiating clergyman. The bride, who is a general favorite in the community, was very prettily dressed in crepe de chine; and the numerous and appropriate presents which were displayed on the occasion gave evidence of the high regard in which both bride and groom are held by a host of friends. A dainty repast followed the marriage ceremony, after which the happy couple, amid the merry salutations and expressions of goodwill connected with their departure, set out on a wedding tour in the neighboring republic. Their many friends wish them bright and happy days and all the blessings of united lives.

WADB-REEVES.

The marriage of Miss Mabel Marion Reeves, daughter of Mrs. George Reeves, Kentville, to Mr. Frederick Ernest Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wade, Belleisle, Annapolis County, was solemnized at St. James church, Kentville, at high noon Wednesday, Sept. 29th, the ceremony being performed by Rector Rev. C. DeW. White, in the presence of the immediate relatives. The bride looked lovely in a travelling suit of blue broadcloth with large blue picture hat, and was attended by her sister, Miss Millicent Reeves, who was most becomingly gowned in a pretty suit of black and white cloth with hat to match. The groom was supported by Mr. Alfred H. Morash. After a wedding dinner the bridal couple left on the Bluenose en route to Boston. The large number of beautiful and useful gifts received testify to the popularity of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Wade will reside in Kentville on their return.—Kentville Advertiser.

Carpenter-Morton Roofing can be used with very satisfactory results on either a flat roof, slanting roof or peaked roof. It is a non-conductor of heat and cold. The upper rooms of a dwelling are cooler in summer and warmer in winter than when other roofing materials are used. Mr. N. E. Chute carries a full stock. Booklet and sample furnished free.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of the late Jonas Banks of Port Lorne, desire through the columns of the Monitor-Sentinel to express their sincere appreciation of the kindness of neighbors and friends for the sympathy shown them during their sad bereavement and for flowers sent by friends from a distance.

THE STANDARD'S SOUVENIR NUMBER.

The Montreal Standard's Special Number has come to hand, and is a most creditable production. It has a magnificent cover in colors, painted by one of America's best known artists. The Number contains nearly 150 half-tone plates devoted to subjects of general interest, and has two superb panoramic views of Montreal suitable for framing. The printing is first class, and we understand that many thousands of the issue have been sent to friends abroad.

You may survive the lack of confidence of the world—if you are honest you may get along fairly well even though everybody else denounce you; but if you go back on yourself, if you prove a traitor to that principle which is nearer to you than your breath, closer than your heart-beats, how can you expect to get the confidence or respect of others? If you do not believe in yourself, you cannot expect others to do so.

PERSONAL

Miss Stella Roop, of Boston, spent the week end visiting friends in town.

Mr. E. C. Young was among the exhibitors at the Halifax exhibition.

J. B. Whitman has been promoted to the position of Provincial Forest Ranger.

Mr. Ernest Morse of Norwood, Mass., attended his brother's marriage here last week.

General Manager E. L. Thorne of the Union Bank of Halifax was in town yesterday.

Misses Muriel Lockett and Muriel Lloyd spent the week end in Halifax, returning Monday.

Mr. F. L. Longley, of Lynn, visited his father, Mr. Isaac Longley, of Paradise, last week.

Messrs. W. D. Lockett and C. H. Strong were among the visitors to Halifax last week.

Mrs. Hugh Fowler, of Wolfville, has been the guest of her brother, Mr. J. E. Morse, recently.

Mrs. E. B. Elderkin, of Amherst, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Hicks, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fay leave on Friday for a trip to New York and will be absent about a month.

Mrs. William Manthorne and little daughters, Lena and Gena, spent a few days at Torbrook recently.

Mrs. Morton, formerly of Centrelea now of Worcester, Mass., has been paying a brief visit to the Valley.

Miss Adelaide Ritey, of Nictaux Falls, is engaged for the present term as principal of Selma School, Hants.

Miss Lulu Withers, of Granville Centre, and Miss Alice Kent, of Tupperville, leave for Truro today to enter Normal School.

Mr. Ellison Grimm returned to his home at Springfield on Friday, having spent several days here, the guest of his brother, Mr. Stanley Grimm.

Mr. Albert Benson and daughter, Carrie, of Amesbury, Mass., and Master Cyril Benson, of Lowell, are visiting Mr. Benson's sister, Mrs. Fred Rice.

Rev. Z. C. and Mrs. Beals, returned missionaries from China, were at Tupperville for a few days last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Kent.

Mr. Ellis, of Canard, who is relieving some of the staff of the Annapolis branch of the Union Bank, visited Bridgetown on Saturday in company with Manager MacDaniel.

Rev. W. H. Langille went to Sackville last Wednesday, says the Hants Journal, to accompany his son, Carman, who is entering Mt. Allison College to take an engineering course.

Rev. T. Trotter, D. D., L. L. D., of Toledo, and recently president of Acadia University, has been appointed Professor of Homiletics and Theology at McMaster College, Toronto.

Mrs. Loring Hall and daughter have returned from Sackville and will occupy the house of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foster, who are to spend the winter with relatives in Boston.

Miss Bess Ruggles is visiting friends and relatives in Halifax and will remain until after the wedding of her brother, Mr. Joseph W. Ruggles, whose marriage takes place in that city this month.

Mr. J. L. Claxton, of the Union Bank of Halifax, left on Tuesday for Halifax, in response to a telegram announcing that his brother had been accidentally killed in New York. Mr. Claxton's mother lives on Robie St., Halifax, and she has not as yet received particulars of her son's death.—Charlottetown Patriot. Mr. Claxton and his mother were former residents of Round Hill.—ED.

THE ANNAPOLIS VALLEY FRUIT & PRODUCE CO., LTD.

The Annapolis Valley Fruit and Produce Co., Ltd., are now receiving and shipping apples and potatoes at their new warehouse, Lawrencetown. They have disposed of their Gravensteins, Kings, Ribstons and Blenheims through their manager, Mr. S. E. Bancroft, at very satisfactory prices. The past year's business was very gratifying to the members of the Co., after paying all running expenses, insurance, etc., a dividend of over \$250 was realized. Five new members have been added since the Company was incorporated and now comprises twenty of the leading farmers of Lawrencetown and South Williamson. The officers of the Company are J. H. Bishop, President; T. G. Bishop, Secretary; and W. A. Bishop, Treas.

If a cow coughs when not eating dry feed the cough is suspicious, and it will be well to have her tested for tuberculosis.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

New Valencia Layer Raisins @ 81c. per lb. at J. E. LLOYD'S.

FOR SALE.—18-ft. Canvas-Covered Canoe.—W. C. YOUNG.

FOR SALE. A lot of PURE BRED WHITE ROCK CHICKENS, hatched in April. O. F. RUFFEE.

Olive Branch Division intends holding a Pie Social on Monday evening October 18th. Proceeds for new organ. Everybody welcome.

Highest in quality lowest in price. you will certainly find our Biscuits all right.—J. E. LLOYD.

HOUSEMAID WANTED. Wanted, a girl or woman for general housework in small family, in Annapolis Royal. New house with all modern conveniences. Best wages paid to capable person. For particulars apply at MONITOR OFFICE.

CHANCE FOR BOY. Any boy in his teens, having a fair education and a mechanical turn of mind, and willing to work for small wages at the beginning, may learn of a good opportunity, with rapid advancement if found capable, by applying at THE MONITOR OFFICE.

STAVES. STAVES. Any person requiring Staves can get any quantity required at my mill at Mt. Hanley. Or will ship them by the Halifax and Southwestern at Brooklyn, or the D. A. R. at Brickton. E. L. BALCOM. Paradise, Sept. 20th. 2m.

Auction! Auction! To be sold at Public Auction at one o'clock, October 7th, one LOT OF LAND on Sandava Avenue, belonging to the estate of the late John L. Cox, sale to take place on said lot. R. A. Crowe, Executor. Bridgetown, Sept. 20th.

DRESSMAKING. Mrs. William Todd is opening dress-making rooms in the Ruffee building, and will be prepared for customers after Sept. 20th.

The rivers of bargains flow steadily on six days in the week at J. W. Beckwith's.

MONEY TO LOAN.—On First-Class Real Estate, securing Loans to O. S. MILLER.

FOR SALE. One standard bred Mare, 6 years old, good driver and worker, sold for no fault. Also two good Working Horses, one a good driver. Have too many horses and want to sell three of them. JOHN HALL. Lawrencetown, July 28.

For Middleton Exhibition, October 6th, 7th, and 8th, Dominion Atlantic Railway will issue Excursion Tickets from October 5th to 8th, good returning till 9th October, at One Way First Class Fare for Round Trip.

SPECIAL EXCURSION. On Friday, October 8th, Special Train will leave Middleton for Digby, 9.30 p. m.

Special Excursion Tickets \$1.00 going and returning on that date only from all Stations Upper Clements to Digby, both inclusive, other Stations regular one way fare.

Accommodation Train No. 93 will not depart from Middleton for Annapolis before 6.30 p. m. on Wednesday and Thursday, 6th and 7th October. P. GIFFKINS, General Manager.

WHEN THE HARVEST DAYS ARE OVER. Great Down East Play.

If you have the blues or want a tonic to adjust your nervous system, go to the Opera House, Bridgetown, Monday, October 11th, and see the big comedy success, When The Harvest Days are Over. It is one of those good old New England plays that is full of unexpected happenings, interspersed with bright comedy and exceptionally good musical numbers. The company is a large one and carry a good band and orchestra. Special scenery is used for this production, and the effects are all good. Seats are on sale at Beckwith's Store and the Company is under the management of Mr. Perry, of Patten & Perry Jerry from Kerry fame, they will be sure of a good house.

SECRET MEMORIES. I know it to be a fact that some of the best remedies known to man are not advertised in newspapers. They are not handled by merchants or any outside of Doctors and Druggists. Some of the best educated people among us tell me they never heard of them. REED'S EARTH CURE is advertised in newspapers. I tell you all that it can do. I supply all who want it. There is no remedy to be found that will cure more ailments, or can be had as cheap as R. E. O. N. H. REED, H. D. Shelburne, N. S.

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Ladies' Hosiery Ladies' Hosiery

5 DOZEN Ladies' Plain CASHMERE HOSE Embroidered spots, usually sold at 35c. On sale Friday and Saturday... 24c.

5 DOZEN Ladies' Plain CASHMERE HOSE, Embroidered Spots, great value at 50c. per pair this Saturday..... 29c.

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20 DOZEN only Ladies' Long Sleeve Fall and Winter VESTS, 19c. each. in Grey and White. Only.....

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On and after October 4th, 1909, the Steamship and Train Service on the Railway will be as follows (Sunday excepted):

FOR BRIDGETOWN.
Anson, from Annapolis, ... 7.20 a. m.
Accom. from Richmond, ... 5.15 p. m.
Bluenose from Halifax,
Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat., 2.29 p. m.
Express from Yarmouth, 2.08 p. m.
Express from Halifax, ... 11.24 p. m.
Bluenose from Yarmouth,
Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat., 12.53 p. m.

Midland Division

Trains of the Midland Division leave Windsor daily (except Sunday) for Truro at 7.05 a. m., 5.15 p. m., and 6.15 a. m., and from Truro at 6.20 a. m., 2.30 p. m., and 11.30 a. m. connecting at Truro with trains of the Intercolonial Railway, and at Windsor with express trains to and from Halifax and Yarmouth.

Boston Service

Commencing Monday, Sept. 20, the Royal Mail S. S. Prince Arthur and Prince George leaves Yarmouth, N. S., Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday, immediately on arrival of Bluenose trains from Halifax, arriving in Boston next morning. Returning, leaves Long Wharf, Boston, at 1.00 p. m.

S. S. PRINCE ALBERT

Makes daily trips (Sunday excepted) between Parrsboro and Wolfville, calling at Kingsport in both directions.

St. JOHN and DIGBY

ROYAL MAIL S. S. PRINCE RUPERT.
Daily Service (Sunday excepted.)
Arrives in Digby ... 10.45 a. m.
Leaves St. John ... 7.45 a. m.
Leaves Digby same day after arrival of express train from Halifax.
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Read down	Stations	Read up
11.00	Lv. Middleton Av.	15.20
11.28	* Clarence	14.52
11.45	Bridgetown	14.36
12.13	* Granville Centre	14.11
12.29	Granville Ferry	13.56
12.46	* Karsdale	13.40
13.05	Ar. Port Wade Lv.	13.20

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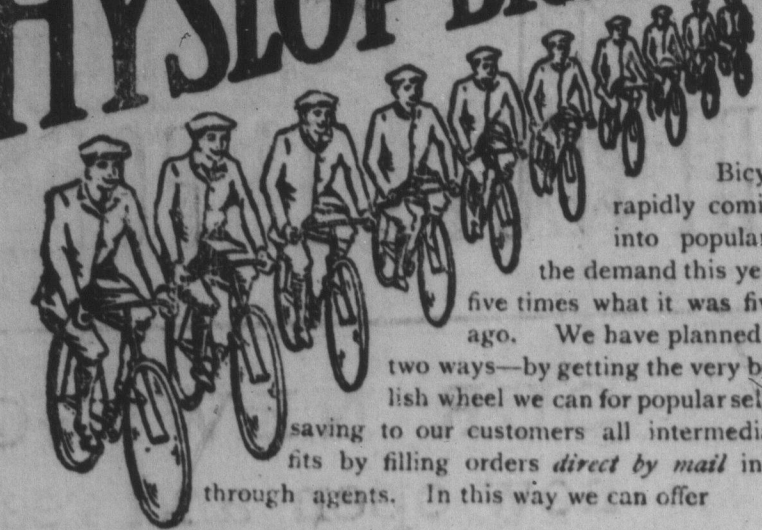
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AGENT GENERAL HOWARD FAVORABLY IMPRESSED

Nova Scotia as a Fruit Growing Centre Unexcelled.—To the Sportsman a Paradise.—Great Possibilities in Dairy Farming

(Continued from last issue.)
Fresh from a visit to Nova Scotia, where he had gone to see the important developments now taking place in the Province, Mr. Howard reports that he is most favorably impressed with the present and prospective conditions of the country. A tour of the famed Annapolis Valley has confirmed his belief that as a fruit-growing centre Nova Scotia is unexcelled. Over 600,000 barrels of apples were exported from the Annapolis district last year, and as a result of the establishment of experimental orchards in every county of the Province it has been found that apples can be successfully cultivated practically in any district. This has resulted in the fruit area being largely increased, and it is estimated that there are two million apple trees in Nova Scotia, although hardly a fraction of the land suitable for apple culture has yet been planted.

Fruit growing in conjunction with mixed farming offers exceptional openings to men with a capital of £500 and upwards. Most of the farms have an orchard attached, and this can be extended by planting as opportunity occurs. During the growth of the trees the farmer should make a comfortable living from the products of the farm proper and from small fruits, etc., etc. (which are usually set between the apple trees), with the certainty of a substantial revenue from the latter—according to the extent of his orchard—when the trees arrive at full bearing. To the man with larger capital, and in a position to acquire a more extensive orchard the returns are immediate, and as the life of the Nova Scotian apple tree may be taken at from 80 to 100 years it will be seen that it is also a good investment for those who come after him.

Dairy farming is another industry of Nova Scotia which brings many inquiries to the Agent-General's office. The full possibilities of the industry are, indeed, only just beginning to be realized in the Province. A recent report of the Secretary for Agriculture states that "the local market is as yet far from being supplied and access to the export markets is exceedingly easy. As Western Canada fills up and our people, instead of looking towards this field, turn their attention to their own possibilities, the dairying industry, for which Nova Scotia is so well adapted, will undoubtedly receive an enormous impetus. In the meantime too much at-

Perpetual Motion

"Has he discovered the secret of perpetual motion?" asked the perplexed persons who see the "dry power" engine invented by Joseph Sutkatis, of Naugatuck, Conn., which, he asserts, will revolutionize the present methods of supplying power for the running of machinery. No fuel, the inventor says, is used to keep the driving rods in motion, nor has it any gas or electrical connection. The wheels turn and the driving rods perform their work with little noise and the building is not jarred in the slightest degree by the action of the machinery.

Everyone who has inspected the machine has concurred in the opinion that whether the perpetual motion problem has or has not been solved, the engine is certainly a remarkable invention. Sutkatis has been at work on it for five years. He has applied for a patent and has had the machine inspected by patent attorneys. He refuses to say what runs the engine, nor will he explain the interior parts, for therein lies the secret, and he is guarding it carefully until the patent shall be granted. All he will say is that the engine runs without fuel of any kind and without water power or electricity, and that it will run on and on until the machinery wears out. In a test recently the engine ran steadily for seven days. He says it is simply a "dry power" engine and that the power will never give out.

The engine on a larger scale, he adds, will run any manufacturing establishment. It must remain stationary, however, and cannot be used in locomotives, steamboats, or anything movable.

The model is seven feet long and two feet high, and there are two separate engines, one at each end, with the driving wheel between tin boxes, in which the engines are enclosed. To start the engine, the inventor does something to one of the little gears and immediately the

wheels begin to turn. He goes through the same operation at the other side of the machine, and the engine is running smoothly and continues to revolve until the inventor stops it by touching the same gears.

HOW TO CUPE A COLD.

The world reserves its big prizes for but one thing and that is initiative in doing the right thing without being told. Next to doing the thing without being told is to do it when you are told once.—Jo Anderson, of Sacramento.

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A traveller in Tennessee came across an aged negro seated in the front of his cabin door basking in the sunshine.

"He could have walked right on the stage for an Uncle Tom part without a line of make-up," says the traveller. "He must have been eighty years of age."

"Good morning, uncle," said the stranger.

"Mornin', sah, mornin'," said the aged one. Then he added, "Be you the gentleman over yonder from New York?"

Being told that such was the case, the old darky said, "Do you mind telling me something that has been botherin' my old haid? I have got a grandson—he runs on the Pullman 'cars—and he done tells me that up thar in New York you all burn up youah folks when they die. He is a powerful har, and I don't believe him."

"Yes," replied the other, "that is the truth in some cases. We call it cremation."

"Well, you suttlenly surprise me," said the negro, and then he paused as if in deep reflection. Finally he said "You-all know I am a Baptist. I believe in the resurrection and the life everlastin' and the comin' of that Angel Gabriel and the blowin' of that great horn, and Lawdy me, how am they evah goin' to find them folks on that great mawmin'?"

It was too great a task for an off-hand answer, and the suggestion was made that the aged one consult his minister. Again the negro fell into a brown study, and then he raised his head and his eyes twinkled merrily, and he said in a soft voice:

"Meanin' no offense, sah, but from what Ah have heard about New York I kinder calculate they is a lot of them New York people that don't want to be found on that mornin'."

THE DIVIDED UNCLE.

The girls had seen a picture of the life-saving fire corps organized by the young ladies of an English town, and decided to form a similar brigade. The drill consisted in getting around a large blanket and holding it to catch unfortunates who should jump from the second or third stories of burning dwellings. But the fair members of the corps wanted some real practice. After much persuasion a young man, deeply enamored of one of the members, was prevailed upon to fall into the blanket from the top of a barn.

The life-savers gathered one afternoon, attired in becoming uniform, and twelve gathered around the blanket and took a firm grip. Then the accommodating young man climbed up on the roof of the building, made ready, and jumped. Each girl was gazing upward, and at the terrible sight of a man falling through the air they were all so shocked that without thinking, twenty-four hands went up to many eyes to shut out the view. The brave young man is still confined to his room.

THE GROUP OF LITTLE GIRLS.

The group of little girls was standing on the sidewalk, when a man passed who was generally disliked by the children of the neighborhood on account of his austere manner and the fact that he always ignored them. When he was out of hearing, various uncomplimentary remarks were made, and there was some derisive laughter. No one happened to notice that little Agnes was present. Suddenly she was heard from.

"You can just stop talking about that gentleman," she remarked with some heat. "He's as good as you are. He's my half uncle."

"Oh, we forgot," said Ruth, hastily. "Besides, we were talking about the other half, anyhow. Of course, your half is all right."—Woman's Home Companion.

A BAD CONDITION OF AFFAIRS.

"Look here," said the guest, "things around here are just about as rotten as they make them. When I went to lunch today I found hair in the ice-cream, hair in the honey and hair in the apple sauce."

"Well," exclaimed the genial proprietor, "the hair in the ice-cream came from the shaving of the ice. And I suppose the hair in the honey came off the comb. But I don't understand about the hair in the apple sauce. I bought those apples myself, and every one was a Baldwin."

A man living in Charleston during the earthquake three years ago felt that his duties required him to remain there to do what he might for the sufferers, but sent his six-year-old son out of the danger and confusion to the youngster's grandfather in New York. Three days after the boy's arrival the Charleston man re-



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In the window of a little bookstore in Eighth Avenue, New York, was recently heaped a great pile of Bibles, marked very low—never before were Bibles offered at such a bargain, and above them all, in big letters, was the inscription: "Satan trembles when he sees Bibles sold so low as these."

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"I take pleasure in saying that I have kept Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in my family medicine chest for about fifteen years, and have always had satisfactory results from its use. I have administered it to a great many traveling men who were suffering from troubles for which it is recommended, and have never failed to relieve them," says J. C. Jenkins, of Glasgow, Ky. This remedy is for sale by W. A. WARREN, BRIDGETOWN, A. E. ATLEE, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, and BEAR RIVER DRUG STORE.

The greatest strike of natural gas ever made in Eastern Canada has been made on the property of the New Brunswick Petroleum Company in Albert County, N. B. From one well alone a volume of gas more than sufficient to light and heat the city of Moncton is flowing and preparations are being rapidly made for sinking other wells in the confident expectation of increasing the quantity ten-fold. The discovery of such a quantity of gas, important in itself, has even greater importance as a sure indication of large oil deposits in the vicinity. Arrangements for reaching these are going rapidly forward.

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Mr. Herbert Bauer, of Davisville, says he owes Gin Pills a debt of gratitude which he can never repay. He suffered for years with Bladder Trouble, and could not pass urine except by much straining which caused great pain.

Mr. Bauer sent for a free sample of Gin Pills. The first dose did him so much good that he ordered six boxes and began to take them regularly. A month's treatment completely cured him.

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Gin Pills are a special remedy for three special diseases—Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Troubles. For these, Gin Pills are sold with an absolute guarantee of prompt relief or money refunded, 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50. Write National Drug & Chemical Co., Dept. NS Toronto, for free sample.

THE HOME

PATIENCE AND CARE ARE NECESSARY.

(H. Addington Bruce, in "Success Magazine.")

"Begin by educating the child in early infancy, in the sublime art of thinking for himself. For this purpose I know of nothing better than the alphabet block method, which I have used in William's case. All that is needed to make it successful is the exercise of great patience on the parents' part. They cannot expect the child to apprehend, in a moment, the relation between the letters and the sounds they represent.

"When I wished to interest my boy in geography, I bought a revolving globe for him, and then, without telling him anything, got him interested in a game of 'finding places' on the globe. Either his mother or myself would join in the game with him and sometimes all three of us would be hard at it for half an hour or more, seeing which of us would be the first to 'find' New York, London, the Indian Ocean, or whatever place we might name.

"He learned typewriting through seeing me operate a typewriter. His curiosity was aroused; he wanted to be 'shown how,' and I showed him. Sometimes, however, as in the case of learning arithmetic, he did not want to be 'shown how.' Then I had to stimulate his interest, by becoming interested in arithmetic myself, and by gradually inspiring in him the belief that arithmetic was 'good fun,' and ought to be studied.

"This, let me emphasize, is the one thing needful after the preliminary stage of thought-training has been passed—to appeal to the child's interest. Don't try to drive him to his books, his slate, his multiplication table. He will go to them willingly enough if you only make them attractive to him. To do this, let me repeat, you must be interested in them yourself, and by your interest, if you are sincere and tactful, you may always feel sure of arousing his. It means infinite patience and a great expenditure of time, but the result will more than repay your efforts."

THE LATEST SCHOOL COURSE.

"Harold will be ten in November," observed an American wife to her husband the other day.

"Well, what of it," he answered, though in his heart of hearts he had observed all through dinner there was something on her mind.

"Don't you think it time he went to flying school?" she asked.

He sniffed indignantly. "Why can't he learn by himself—all the others did."

"But just think," she answered, "all the trouble they had handling their first monoplane. They broke arms and legs and were knocked about generally. All the boys at Harold's school have safety bicycles of their own."

Looking pretty far ahead, isn't it? But we oughtn't to be so sure about that. Didn't Louis Bleriot, who flew across the British Channel, say that fifty years from now aeroplanes will be as common as automobiles are today? Alexander Graham Bell thinks that all the impossible has been past in aerial navigation, and Edison asserts that in ten years we shall be flying in our airships at one hundred miles an hour.

IN BUTTER MAKING

A mistake is often made in butter making, says one authority, in putting the cream into the churn without straining it, and that is why we sometimes see little white specks in should not have been in the cream, and which would have been kept out of the churn if strainer had been used. This butter not only has a poor appearance, but poor keeping qualities as well.

In choosing churning temperature let us remember that a great many things have an influence, such as richness of the cream, amount of cream in the churn, the feed the cows are getting, length of time the cows have been milking, the temperature of the dairy room, etc., etc. And so we will choose the temperature that will bring the butter in nice firm granules in from twenty to thirty minutes.

PEANUT PLANTS.

Five cents worth of roasted peanuts can be made to last a long time if you are not too hungry, but did you ever think how much longer they would last if you planted fresh ones? Try planting a few kernels in a pot or box of loose mellow earth. Keep in rather a warm place, and water moderately. The kernels will soon sprout and the plant grows quickly. As the foliage spreads over the pot you will be surprised to find how

beautiful the plants are. Indeed florists grow them for sale. They are well worth the slight care they require, and the plant has some interesting habits that sharp-eyed boys and girls will enjoy watching.

Keep an old pair of shears in your kitchen—you can always find use for them. Trim the rind from slices of bacon, and clip the edges to keep them from curling as they fry. Cut your vegetables for salad with your shears. Dried beef and cold boiled ham can be trimmed into shapely pieces for serving. Trim the edges of steak, and cut out the bone before broiling.

A GOOD MOTTO.

In the home of Dr. E. E. Hale, the great rule was "Accept the universe." The training was to take what happened and carry it through. At bottom was the magnificent faith that the universe was not made for us, but that we are made for the universe. Be always ready to fall back upon the great axiom, "That you can have what you like by liking what you have."

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Cure all forms of kidney suffering. Bridgetown testimony proves it. Samuel F. Randolph, of St. James Hotel, Bridgetown, N. S., says:

"I had felt miserable with a dull, nagging pain in my back and retention of the urine, which seemed to weaken me and make me feel heavy and tired. I could not walk without having to sit down and rest and would feel all out of breath. I had tried a number of remedies looking for something to help me but with little success and on seeing Booth's Kidney Pills advertised I thought I would give them a trial. I procured a box at S. N. Wear's Drug Store and I am pleased to say that I found them just what was wanted. They have cured the pain in my back, the kidney secretions are free and regular and I feel a great deal better generally."

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Between 3.50 and 3.32 o'clock on the day of E. H. Harriman's funeral the affairs of the Erie R. R. came to an absolute stop, and there was a tribute of silence to E. H. Harriman who had been the master mind of the railroad world.

Every train, no matter where it was, halted. The ferryboats that chanced to be in midstream came to a stop and drifted. In the machine shops and power houses not a wheel turned. Even the selling of tickets ceased. No man in the service lifted a hand during those two minutes to do a stroke of work.

Many of the train crews lifted their hats and bowed their heads. Hundreds of the passengers, too, paid a like honor to the man who had made their travelling possible.

So it was on the Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Illinois Central and all the other Harriman lines. There had been no such widespread funeral tribute since the day President McKinley was laid away in Canton.

DIALOGUE.

Teacher—Name the Greatest Empire on Earth.

Scholar—Empire Liniment.

Teacher—It is an excellent article, but why do you class it with other Empires?

Scholar—Because it Cures while other Empires are exercising their utmost ingenuity to Kill.

Teacher—Correct. Go to the head.

WORLD'S RICHEST WOMAN.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman, widow of the railroad king of America, has learned that the estate left by her husband to her exclusive control and use totals in value about \$100,000,000. This makes Mrs. Harriman the world's richest woman. She has received an almost complete inventory.

About half the estate is represented by railroad securities. Another large part is in bank, trust company and insurance company holdings. The remainder is in real estate. The latter consists of 45,000 acres in Orange county, New York, and the two Fifth avenue residences owned by Mr. Harriman.

On the Second Coming

In the Congregational Church, of St. John, last evening, says the Sun Rev. S. B. Antony, speaking on the Christ, spoke in parts as follows:

Many, from time to time, declare their conviction that Christ is to come in visible presence. When he comes, an audible trumpet is to be blown and the disciples are to be caught up to meet Him in the air. The great result looked for is the putting down of evil and the establishment of good in the world, not by moral, but by physical agency. The belief is essentially that moral agencies are insufficient for the conversion of the world and must be supplemented by irresistible divine force.

Christianity, however, is the power that overcomes evil with good. Faith love and goodness are the forces with which Christianity has achieved its success, and if Christ re-enters in the earth, he must do so by these means; and if men are compelled to submit by a revelation of power, then it is clear they do not bow to Christ and worship Him, but bow to force and worship that.

We are not to be concerned with the outward and visible coming, but the inward and spiritual. Which is better, to be caught up outwardly to meet Him in the air or inwardly into communion with His Spirit? If he should come sitting in clouds, surrounded by angels, blowing trumpets, with power to work miracles it would be no real coming to those unprepared. He would no nearer them than he is now.

This is what Christ's coming means to me. He is not a historic Christ who lived centuries ago a few short years and then departed to be an absentee Christ and is to come again in some far off age. For if anything is clearly taught in the New Testament it is that the coming of Christ is perpetual. And He who lived then, lives now. He touches hearts and they become homes; touches laws and they become just; touches music and art and they become high and pure; touches marriage and it becomes a sacrament; touches the cradle and the babe becomes a child of God; touches the grave and it becomes a door to immortal life. He is here touching sorrow, righting wrong, reaching the ignorant, transforming men and women and aiding them to live pure and noble lives in imitation of the Divine example and in the hope of a glorious immortality. Therefore, do not ask how shall Christ come, or when shall he appear for we will not find an answer by studying prophecy or calculating the seventy weeks of Daniel.

He is here now. Whenever we try to do our duty, trusting in God; whenever we will help and comfort some weary soul; whenever we will forgive those whom we think have injured us; when we will put out of our heart envy and low ambition and self-conceit and give ourselves to what is generous and true and lovely, then we will discover that Christ has already come, for His hour cometh always and is now."

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Lawrencetown.

Church services for Sunday, Oct. 10—Baptist, 11 a. m.; Methodist, 11 a. m.; Episcopal, 11 a. m.

R. J. Schaffner returned home on Saturday after seven weeks in P. E. Island.

Mr. Oakes, of Weymouth, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Mr. Harris Armstrong, of Union Bank staff of St. John, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Palfrey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Jones, of Digby and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Jones, of Bridgetown, were recent guests of Mrs. E. L. Hall.

Mrs. F. B. Bishop spent a few days of last week in Halifax.

Mr. R. J. Lightbody, of Truro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hall.

Mr. R. H. Whitman, of Providence, R. I., is in town.

Mrs. L. H. Stoddart is in Massachusetts visiting friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. Durkee and Mrs. Croft left last week for Boston.

Mr. Herbert James and wife, of St. John, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Postmaster and Mrs. James.

E. R. Daniels, of Brockton, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Daniels.

Mrs. Longmire and children returned to their home in Massachusetts after three months visit, the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller.

Miss Foster has resigned her position with Schaffners, Ltd., and Miss Lizzie Feltus has taken her place.

West Paradise.

Apple picking and potato digging is the routine of labor in these parts.

A number from here attended the exhibition at Halifax last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baker and daughter, Ruth, after visiting Mrs. Baker's sister, Mrs. F. J. Poole, for a short time, have returned to their home in Wellington, Mass.

Mr. Blackadar and daughters, of Clementsport, have been visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. Trimper.

Mrs. George Balcom and friend, Miss Gilmore, who have been spending a few weeks with Mrs. Balcom's brother, Deacon N. Longley, have returned to their home in Lynn.

Mrs. White and children, of Youngs Cove, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sabaneas.

Miss Lottie Saunders has gone to Boston to visit friends and relatives for a short time.

Mr. Charles Bent, of Aylesford, is calling on friends in this vicinity.

On Sunday, the 19th ult., Mr. McCutcheon preached his farewell sermon in this place to a large and appreciative audience. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Avaril Beeler, of Bridgetown, Mrs. Hugh Fowler, of Wolfville, and Mrs. William Bishop, of Williamston.

Miss Millie Whitman and sister, Pearl, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitman.

Mr. Alonzo Daniels, after spending a year of more in the United States, is home again for the autumn months securing his crop of apples, which is a very fine one. We are pleased to see him with us again.

Clementsvale

Mr. Charles Trimper, our regular post-master, is enjoying a well-earned vacation, having accompanied his daughter on her return to her home in Boston. Mr. Elias Rawding, post-master at Clementsport, has charge of our mail service during his absence.

Mrs. Maynard Brown and little son have returned home, after a lengthy stay in Boston.

Mrs. Harry Warne of Digby is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Beeler.

Quite a number from here purpose attending the Yarmouth exhibition, which is held this week.

Mrs. Alex Millet entertained guests at the week end.

A series of special meetings will be held during this week in the U. B. church, under the leadership of the Rev. O. E. Steeves.

Middleton

(Sept. 30th.)

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Moffatt, of Truro, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Merritt.

The "Valley Farm" held on Tuesday evening was greatly enjoyed by a large audience. The proceeds, about seventy dollars, go toward the expenses of building a new parish hall for Holy Trinity Church.

Mr. Henry Jacques' little daughter, Pauline, was successfully operated on for appendicitis by Dr. Chisholm, of Halifax, on Friday, Sept. 24th.

Mrs. W. B. Ross entertained her lady friends at a five o'clock on Thursday last.

Miss Irene Balcom, of the Primary Department, is attending Halifax Exhibition.

Mr. A. W. Blanchard left on Sept. 23rd for Winnipeg. Before his departure he was presented with a purse of over \$50.00 from the citizens of Middleton. He was very public spirited and will be greatly missed. We wish Mr. Blanchard success in the West.

Mrs. Mary Clattenburg, of Hyde Park, is a guest of her brother, H. L. Elliott, at Mountain Lodge.

We understand Dr. Louis Saunders intends taking a post graduate course in dental work at Baltimore.

A young man, giving his name as Marshall Longard, had been in the employ of the Clay Works for about a week when he suddenly vanished, taking with him about \$100 stolen from the trunks of other employees. The authorities are searching for the stranger.

Mrs. L. P. Schaffner and son, Karl, are visiting relatives in Boston.

The American House is being greatly improved by the addition of a large piazza in front and a new coat of paint.

The home of Thomas Charlton was saddened by the death of his eldest daughter, Gladys, aged twenty years. She has been in failing health a year and a great sufferer. She has had spinal trouble since a child. She is a grand-daughter of Silas Chute, Berwick.

Tupperville.

F. H. Willett has been putting up a government wharf, which will be completed in a few days, and will make an improvement in shipping from this place.

Herbert Starratt, Esq., has been buying fruit for the London market in this place and has been offering fair prices. Also F. H. Willett and E. J. Elliott, agents, have been and still are ready to buy fruit for the English market.

We had no preaching on Sunday as Dr. Jost was away.

Miss Spurr, from Paradise West, is teaching here now.

Miss Bessie Kent is teaching in Kings County.

The farmers are very busy now harvesting and shipping their fruit. The fruit is a fair crop and good quality.

Dictaur.

"Good Weather and Success" to the exhibition in Middleton.

Rev. Melbourne Parker and wife, of River Hebert, Dr. Will Parker and wife, of Massachusetts, and Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Parker, of Medford, Mass., have been recent visitors at the home of Deacon and Mrs. W. A. Morse.

The "Ready Workers" will meet with Mrs. Whitman Ruggles, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Thelbert Rice, of Bear River, has stopped work in his granite quarry here for this season but Mr. Hoyt is still operating his.

Mrs. Abner Morse is still in Boston where she was called several weeks ago on account of the severe illness of her son, Elwood Spinney. Since then Mr. Spinney has passed away. We extend sincere sympathy to the sorrowing wife, two little boys and mother.

Miss Lucy Parker, trained nurse, of Amherst, and Miss Cora Parker, of Belleisle, who have been with their sister, Mrs. F. A. Chipman, left for their homes one day last week.

Annapolis.

Bishop Worrell has signified his intention of being in St. Luke's on October 17th.

On Sunday, 10th, the Harvest Festival will take place in St. Luke's. Great pains are being taken with the music. Mrs. Byers will sing a solo. The Te Deum in Simper's. The anthem Goss' "O Taste and See." Bunnett's Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis will be sung in the evening, and a duet by Miss Whitman and her brother, Charlie.

Rev. George Johnson collected \$37.50 for the Mission and very kindly preached in St. Luke's both morning and evening on the 26th ult. His evening sermon will long be remembered.

Rev. John Lockward was in town over Monday evening.

Miss P. Odell, who has been spending several weeks with friends in Halifax, has returned home.

Dr. Porter, lecturer and organizer of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, is to lecture in Annapolis Royal on Friday evening, October 22nd. Dr. Porter should have a large audience on this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore, of Boston are visiting Mrs. Gilmore's sister, Mrs. A. Fullerton.

Mrs. Sanford Bishop left on Monday for Boston accompanied by her son, Harold, who is going into the Massachusetts General Hospital to undergo an operation.

Mr. C. A. Gilliat, of the Union Bank staff, returned from his vacation on Tuesday. Mr. Lloyd Potter, teller, left the same day to spend his vacation.

Mrs. John Shaw, who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Corbett has returned to her home in Cobalt.

The Rev. G. P. Raymond, of Berwick, preached in the Baptist Church here on Sunday.

Rev. D. H. and Mrs. Simpagn and family left last week for their new home at Barss Corner, New Germany. The best wishes of the people of this community go with them.

Mr. Charles Buckler, of Melrose, Mass., and Mr. W. S. Buckler, of Providence, R. I., spent a few days with their brother, Mr. W. H. Buckler, returning to their homes on Saturday last.

Mr. A. B. Crowe, who is attending Dalhousie College, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. Tom Buckler, of Middleton, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. Reginald Roop, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Savanna-La-Mar, Jamaica, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Norman Roop.

The Supreme Court opened here on Tuesday. Chief Justice Townshend presiding. The docket consists of one criminal and four civil cases. Among the barristers in town are W. G. Parsons, Middleton; H. Ruggles, F. L. Milner and O. S. Miller, Bridgetown; F. Jones, Bear River; J. J. Ritchie, Halifax; and W. E. Roscoe, Kentville.

The first apple steamer to load at this port arrived here on Friday last and docked on Saturday. She commenced loading on Monday and expects to sail on Saturday, with a cargo of about 9,000 barrels. This cargo alone has disbursed in this county as far as Lawrencetown some \$22,000.00, besides what apples are being shipped by the growers on consignment.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Annapolis Royal Board of Trade was held Monday evening. Among the matters discussed were "The Ferry Service," "Bridge Improvements at the Railway Crossing" and "Better Roads." In regard to the ferry service it was brought out that the ferry company can run either a row or steam boat and still live up to the terms of their contract. This certainly was not what the people asked for when they petitioned the County Council for an improved service.

Messrs. A. M. King & Son's Pumpkin Contest proved quite a success as regards entries, the windows being filled with pumpkins. Mr. Ed. Collins of this town won the first prize of \$3.00, his being the largest, weighing 56 1/2 pounds. Mr. Robert Hardwick, of Allen's Creek, won second prize of \$2.00, with a pumpkin weighing 43 pounds.

Dr. and Mrs. Horsfall returned on Saturday from an automobile trip to Yarmouth.

Miss Wade, of Bear River, is visiting Mrs. William Farnsworth.

Mrs. Cliff Herbert and Miss Bertie Herbert are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hiltz, Halifax.

Miss Jennie Edwards left Monday on a visit to Halifax.

Mrs. John and Miss Minnie Jackson of Paradise, are the guests of Miss Louise Harris.

Port Wade

A surprise was given Willie Ryder of Malden, Mass., Friday evening, when he boarded with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burke, when a large party of girls and boys rushed in to spend the evening with him. Games and plays were indulged in, and goodies passed around and a general good time was enjoyed.

Mildred and Harold Rogers, of Springvale, Me., who have been spending the summer here, returned to their home on Thursday last.

William Johns returned to Lynn on Saturday, after a vacation of some weeks with his parents here.

It is reported that William McGrath has resigned his position as captain on the ferry boat "Port Wade" for health, and that Edward Keans will have controlling interest and manage the boat. Mr. Alec Nelson is acting as engineer at present while Mr. Keans is getting his papers as Captain.

William Ramsay, of Dalhousie, will again set his mill in this vicinity and cut lumber for J. F. Morrison and others this fall.

We had quite a display of shrimps lately when there were two large barques lying off here, one loaded with lumber by A. D. Mills & Sons, Annapolis, the other in ballast. The B. B. Hardwick and Mercedes were also lying at anchor awaiting a chance out, loaded with lumber and Cant. McNeil, was unloading freight piling for Boston. The Correnilla here at same time.

Schooner Albert J. Lutz, Capt. Apt. is fishing off this shore now selling at Digby. Haddock are plentiful.

Mr. Charles MacWhinnie and wife will occupy their fine new cottage this week. We wish them every happiness and success in their new home.

Some of a prophetic turn of mind are predicting more marriages in the very near future.

Two more homes here have been gladdened recently by additions to their families. James MacWhinnie's and Frederic McNeil's are the recipients. They are both girls.

John W. Snow will take a load of farm produce across the Bay this week in his little vessel, the Elmer.

M. W. Graves & Co., Bridgetown, are having a car loaded with elder apples here this week.

The Turbull Brothers, of Digby are here this week finishing Charles MacWhinnie's cottage.

Schooner Onaway, Capt. Johnson, came into port Saturday evening. She will load piling here and probably make one more trip before hauling up.

The Schooner Valdaire, Capt. Avery Johnson, went out Friday, loaded with lumber. This was another vessel along with the others lying off here awaiting a chance out last week.

St. Croix

Mr. William Poole, of Lynn, is visiting friends and relatives here after an absence of many years.

Mrs. Israel Poole spent a week in Beaconsfield at the home of Lansdale Hall.

Mr. Minard L. Brinton, after an absence of two years in New Hampshire is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brinton.

Bradford R. Hall leaves today for Truro where he will take a year's course at the Normal College.

Miss Susie L. Hill has returned to Boston, after spending the summer months with her mother, Mrs. Marion Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cook and son Donald, of Lynn, were guests of Mrs. Cook's brother, Mr. Thomas Brinton last week.

Mrs. James Hill, returned Saturday from Yarmouth, where she spent a few days with her son, George Hall.

Miss Pearl Whitman, of Paradise is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Poole.

S. C. Beardsley went to Annapolis Monday to attend court.

Miss Bessie A. Hall spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Charlton, at Port Lorne.

Mrs. John Phinney and Mrs. Wm. Phinney, with son Frank, were visiting relatives here last week.

South Williamston.

Mr. Shankel, of Liverpool, was the guest of his brother last week.

Mr. Alfred Morse had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse on Monday, and a short time ago a valuable cow.

Mrs. C. J. Bishop and mother spent the past two weeks with relatives at Clementsport and Clementsvale.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF.

Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Durling, Mrs. John Mullock, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Saunders and children are visiting friends in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conrad are spending a month in Boston.

Mr. Hughes, assistant to Rev. J. O'Brien, left on Thursday to resume his studies at Mt. Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harnish are spending a few days at Annapolis Royal.

Messrs. J. C. and Ellison Grimm, Dr. Dixon and V. L. Rupp attended the exhibition at Halifax.

Mrs. S. T. Lohnes spent Monday at Middleton.

Miss Georgie Morrison spent last week at Middleton.

Miss Daisy Morrison left on Monday for Roxbury, Mass., where she will spend a few months the guest of her brother.

Mr. John Grimm is spending a few days at Annapolis and Bridgetown.

Mr. L. E. Carter made a business trip to Bridgewater on Friday last.

Mrs. William Durling and little daughter, Jennie, spent Sunday at Bridgewater.

Miss Beatrice Grant left last week to spend the winter with relatives in Massachusetts.

Death has removed from our community, after a painful illness, a bright and promising young maiden, Miss Gladys Charlton, daughter of Mr. T. R. Charlton. We tender the family our sympathy in their bereavement.

Fred Bishop is assisting Mr. Bancroft at the farmers' fruit warehouse, Lawrencetown.

Messrs. Phineas Charlton, F. W. Morse and Fred Keith, who have been on the sick list, we are pleased to report are improving.

A few from here attended the exhibition at Halifax last week.

Messrs. J. O. and F. C. Marshall have returned to the United States after spending a few weeks with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Stewart Joyce, of Winthrop, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. F. Randolph.

Port Lorne

The schr. J. L. Colwell is in port with a cargo of fertilizer for the Bradley's Co., of Boston.

The eastern pier is being elevated a few feet to complete the portion built last year.

The Supper on Friday evening netted \$25, which goes toward paying debt on church extension.

Mrs. Frank Charlton and children are spending a few days with relatives in the village.

We are glad to report an improvement in Capt. John Anthony's health.

Mrs. Israel Banks is spending a week in St. John.

Latest reports from Vernon Brown, of Watertown, Mass., police force, are that he has been taken to his home from the hospital and rapidly gaining strength.

Mrs. James Miller, who has been with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. John Anthony, for some weeks, returned to her home in Boston, Monday, the 4th inst.

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To the Sunday School Workers:

We are pleased to report that the County apportionment to the Provincial Association (\$160.00) has been met. As the other seven requirements have been fulfilled Annapolis has reached the standard for Banner County.

The County Association has now begun another year's work. Let it be our aim during the year to induce each Sunday School to put itself in the best possible condition for efficient service.

We hope that several teacher-training classes will be started within a few weeks.

A resolution was adopted by the Annual Convention urging the schools throughout the County to organize a Home Department in connection with schools and especially where the schools are closed during the winter months. Literature bearing on the different departments of the work can be secured from the Superintendent of Department.

Amount received since Sept. 1st—

Spa Springs, Bapt.	\$1.00
Victoriavale, Bapt.	1.00
South Williamston, Bapt.	1.00
Mount Hanley, Bapt.	1.00
Per Col. Cards—	
Roy Balcom (Lic.) Albany	1.00
William Creelman, Clarence,	1.00
Miss M. Wright, Brooklyn	2.00
Mrs. Fraser, Clementsport,	1.60
Miss Mae Banks, Brickton,	1.32
Miss F. Young, (bal. on card)	.35
Springfield	.35
Miss J. Stoddard, Falkland Ridge	.65
Rev. M. C. McCutcheon,	.50
E. J. Elliott,	.50
E. J. Schaffner,	.25

Yours in the work,
A. E. YOUNG,
Lawrencetown, October 2nd, 1909.

TO FLY AND SWIM LIKE GULLS, SAYS BLERIOT.

London despatch—Bleriot, the aviator, who lately flew across the English Channel, was banquetted recently by the Aeroplane Club, of London. In the course of a speech he said that aeroplaning would soon cease to be a mere sport and would have a practical use.

He hoped that within a few months he would have created a novelty that would transform the English Channel into a very easy road which could be traversed pleasantly. Travellers would be able to alight on the sea and rest like sea gulls, and then start flying again. This was not a dream. He fully hoped soon to make it a reality.

Margaretville

Mr. R. Early and daughter, Grace, and Mr. Milton Munroe have been attending the exhibition at Halifax.

Mrs. Almira Landers left on Saturday to spend the winter in Lawrencetown with her daughter, Mrs. Primrose.

Rev. W. N. Hutchins occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom have returned after spending two weeks very pleasantly in Lawrencetown.

Mr. Ross Stronach, of Charleston, Mass., is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. Fred L. Harris, who has been spending the summer with his parents left today for Somerville, Mass.

Mr. Chester Greaves arrived a few days ago from Boston and will spend the winter with his mother.

Mr. Charles Deviney, of Berwick spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Deviney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moody have returned from their wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Nixon held a reception on Saturday evening for their son, Ewert, and bride.

Rev. Mr. Farquhar is holding special services in the Methodist church this week. He will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Phillips, of Middleton.

The W. M. A. S. will hold their monthly meeting in the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon.

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North Williamston

Gilbert Beals arrived home last week from Worcester, Mass.

Miss Elsie Durling, of Leominster, Mass., returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Z. Durling and daughter, Miss Grace Durling, of Inglisville, Miss Annie Marshall, of Dalhousie, Mr. and Mrs. M. Todd and two children and Miss Bessie Wade, of Bridgetown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Delaney during the past week.

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