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APPLE MAGGOT OR RAILROAD WORM

All Spoiled Impo Fruit Should be Burned, Not Dumped and Spread of the Pest

The Apple Maggot (*Rhagoletis pomonella*) is one of the serious pests of the apple, particularly the early and fall varieties. The maggot is the larva of a fly, a small two-winged insect belonging to the family Trypetidae. In this family are a number of serious fruit pests, all difficult to combat on account of their mode of life. The Apple Maggot is quite widely distributed throughout the North-Eastern United States, parts of Ontario and Quebec. It is also reported from several sections of our province but it has not done any serious damage as yet.

The work of this pest may be readily recognized. The maggot lives in the pulp, burrowing back and forth between the core and the skin. The burrows are discolored, generally brown with small cavities here and there in the flesh. Several maggots may be found in a single apple and the flesh so honey-combed as to be almost ready to fall to pieces. In these burrows will be found a small footless maggot about three-eighths of an inch long, yellowish-white in color. These maggots remain in the fruit until mature, that is after the apples drop. The maggots then leave the fruit and change to small yellowish brown pupae. These pupae transform to the adults, two winged flies, the following summer. The fly is somewhat smaller than the house fly, of a general black color with yellowish head and legs and four dark bands on each wing. The eggs are laid throughout the summer just beneath the skin of the apple. As the adults appear at various times during the summer the egg laying extends over a considerable period. There is thus only one brood a season.

At the present time this pest has not been found in the fruit belt extending from Annapolis to Windsor. However, every day sees considerable early fruit coming into our province from the New England States and various parts of Ontario. The writer found nearly every apple infested in a small shipment of early fruit from some point in Ontario. This fruit is being distributed all over the province and all damaged or old specimens are dumped outside, under ideal conditions for the maggots to mature and transform to adults the following season. In this way we may look for several new points of infestation each year unless care is exercised in the handling of this kind of fruit. This note is especially prepared to warn all merchants and those buying early apples to see that all spoiled fruits are carefully burned or fed to animals, not dumped in some convenient place outside, thus allowing this pest to secure a foothold in our province. All fruit growers should exercise care and examine their apples and if any suspicious fruit is found to send samples to the Department of Agriculture at Truro, N. S.

In infested orchards about the only efficient means of control known at present is the picking up and feeding or burning all dropped fruit. This should be done about every week to ten days. Another efficient means is to allow the hogs to roam through the orchard and they will take care of all the dropped apples. It is to be hoped that all fruit growers, who are at all suspicious that their fruit is infested will adopt the control measures suggested and thus rid their orchards of a dangerous pest.

Fortunately this pest does not spread rapidly and may confine its attack to only a few trees in a single orchard for a few years before spreading to adjacent trees of the same variety. This habit is a very fortunate one and often enables the fruit grower if he exercises care to not only control it but to exterminate it when the infestation is a limited one. It is to be hoped that all persons interested in our fruit industry will be on the lookout for this pest and immediately report its occurrence to the Provincial Entomologist at Truro, who will at once recommend treatment and endeavor to prevent the spread of the pest.

ROBT. MATHESON,
Provincial Entomologist,
Truro, N. S.

A GOOD ENTRY LIST FOR THE NOVA SCOTIA PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

Only one more week and the Provincial Exhibition will be in full swing. The entries so far received are in many classes larger than last year, and it is especially pleasing to note that many of the exhibitors in Stock are those who have not exhibited in previous years.

One department that appeals to many visitors is that of the Fine Arts. Dr. Ritchie, Superintendent, states that the gallery will have an unusually large display. It is customary for the public to wait until the second day before visiting the grounds with the belief that the first day is "get ready day." This year it is planned to have everything ready for the opening on Wednesday at 2 p.m. The aeroplane man has arrived and will be ready for business by the first of the week. One of the best horse races on the programme will be on the opening day when nine horses will start in the 2.17 Trot and Pace, and if any one can pick the winner he is a wizard. The full vaudeville programme concluding with the best display of fireworks ever seen at this exhibition will be put on before the Grand Stand beginning Wednesday evening.

CHEAP FARES TO TORONTO EXHIBITION.

In connection with the Canadian national exhibition at Toronto, which will be held this year from August 23, until September 8, the Intercolonial Railway will give very low excursion rates which will give the opportunity to many to visit the Queen City on the occasion of its great annual fair.

The Toronto fair is the largest and most attractive of annual exhibitions in America, and this year new permanent buildings have been constructed and its extensive boundaries enlarged by new boulevards. Aside from the attractions of the exhibition a visit to Toronto at this season is sure to be enjoyable especially in view of the very low rates prevailing. From Truro the round trip will be \$25.95, good going Aug. 21, 23, 25, 26 and 27 and Sept. 3 and 4. A special rate of \$20.20 will prevail on Aug. 22 and 23 and on Sept. 2. All tickets are good to return Sept. 10. Maritime Province travellers will have their choice of two through vestibuled trains, the Ocean Limited and the Maritime Express, both of which connect at Bonaventure Union Station, Montreal, with the through Grand Trunk trains for Toronto. It will be well for intending travellers to apply early for reservations. 18-21.

From Bridgetown to New Glasgow by Auto.

In an Overland auto, with Mr. Ayard Beeler at the wheel, your success along the lines of comfort, speed and safety is assured. Mr. Beeler with a few others, whose good fortune it was to make up the touring party, started last Thursday, Aug. 19, on a trip from Bridgetown to New Glasgow. The journey leads through the garden of Nova Scotia to the great mines of the province, from the fruit covered hills of Canada's fairest province to the dark coal pits and iron industries of another portion of the richest province in the Dominion.

From Bridgetown to New Glasgow you get a taste of every kind of road in the universe. Up and down, good and bad, rocky and smooth, narrow and wide, crooked and straight. Certain portions of this great thoroughfare are severe tests to a man's grace—if he has any. But for the most part the road is about the best that the province possesses. The asphalt road making must fall to Western Nova Scotia. From Kings to Yarmouth are our smoothest and best highways.

A flying trip such as the Beeler party took last week opens one's eyes to the marvellous possibilities of our province by the sea. Our sons and daughters have not yet been awakened out of sleep. The dream of far-off fields is yet upon us and so the great tide of western emigration still flows on.

Have you ever stopped to think of all the varied industries a short auto drive of a little more than two hundred miles will embrace? From the fruitful Annapolis Valley to the coal hills of Pictou you can raise every thing that a nation craves for. Out of all the varied products you can build a navy and equip the same. The old cry of "Poor Nova Scotia" is the fool's cry of the past. The only poor thing is our faith. The only useless thing is our discouragement. We were struck, too, with the unprecedented development in transportation. The old days of coaches and especially slow coaches, are forever gone. Now you have the speed and comfort of the automobile.

Coupled with delight and utmost safety thus the world moves on in mighty strides of advance and we doubt not that "The thoughts of men are widened With the progress of the suns." —Contributed.

LOWER GRANVILLE

Lower Granville, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Harold Clarke and little son, and Miss Ella Schaffner, left for Boston on Saturday last.

Mr. Ritsco Longmire spent the week end with friends at Granville Centre. Mrs. W. A. Greaves and children are spending this week with friends at Belleisle.

Miss E. Betts, who has been visiting friends in Digby and Deep Brook, returned home yesterday.

Mr. Fred Connors of Lynn, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Connors.

Mr. Howard Crocus has men employed and is having the foundation laid for the new barn he is going to have built.

DOUGLASVILLE

Douglasville, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Bertha Gibson spent a few days last week with her niece, Mrs. Norman Crawford.

Mr. Leonard Bruce of Boston, is visiting friends at this place.

Miss Gladys Slocumb of Middleton, spent the 24th with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Slocumb.

Mrs. Hallet Daniels and Mrs. Milledge Slocumb spent the 21st with friends at Outram.

Mr. Thomas Charlton and family of Williamston, spent Sunday with Mrs. Charlton's sister, Mrs. C. H. Uhlman.

G. H. Leaman writing to the Truro Sun says that estimates give the number of eggs to the pound of shad spawn at 55,000 and that he has taken as high as three pounds of spawn from one mother shad or 165,000 eggs from one fish. Mr. Leaman emphasizes the necessity of protecting the mother fish if the shad fishing industry is to be saved.

St. James' Church Annual Sunday School Picnic

An ideal day, a large good-natured, enthusiastic crowd a super-abundance of provision for refreshment and entertainment, these were the things which combined to make this annual event an unqualified success. The younger portion of the party assembled at the church at 8 a.m., whence, in five hay wagons, they were taken to Hampton. Other vehicles had been chartered privately until, all arriving about noon on Friday last, commenced on the property of Mrs. Hiram Young occupied by Mr. Archie Bent. Mr. Bent, who does considerable general smithing work, had kindled a fire in the yard for the purpose of accomplishing a piece of work he had in hand and it is presumed that a spark must have been carried from this by the wind and lodged unobserved on the roof of the barn near by. The first intimation of trouble came from his little boy who noticed the smoke coming from the barn roof. Unfortunately Mr. Bent loaned his ladder and before another effective one could be secured, the fire had eaten its way through the roof and dropped into the hay (about two tons) stored in the barn. With a rapidity than can better be imagined than described the fire spread to all parts of the building including the half used as a second workshop, destroying everything—gasoline engine and tools.

As the workshop end of the building was separated from the dwelling house by only a few feet every attention had now to be given to saving that house. Fortunately it was dinner hour, word had been quickly passed and a large number of men had gathered. Every one worked with a will carrying water from the nearby brook and removing things from the house. The dwelling was eventually saved by the placing of poles against the burning barn and pushing it bodily to the north. But the disaster was not to end here. Whilst this had been in progress, the strong wind blowing to the east had carried fire in some form about 150 yards and lodged it on Mr. Frank Bent's wood-house and stable, and this was only observed when it was too late to save either of its contents. Again attention had to be turned to the dwelling house and again by dint of most strenuous labor under trying circumstances house and furniture, (which had all been removed from the house) was saved. But the story was not yet finished. Situate about seventy-five or one hundred yards further to the east lives Mr. Clifford and Miss Annie Bent. Hither fire was also carried igniting the carriage house and here was the heaviest individual loss. Mr. Frank Bent lost wood house full of wood, hog pen—the two hogs being so badly burned as to necessitate their being killed) and a flock of hens Mr. Clifford Bent lost a light carriage an express wagon, two sleighs, a cream separator, harness, and the many sundries usually lying about a carriage house, beside the building itself being totally burnt and six tons of hay. Here, too, the house was in imminent danger and everything was removed from it, but, for a third time, the house was saved, and here, fortunately, the heroic workers were able to get the fire under control.

Had it been otherwise, it is hard to say where the great matter which the little spark had kindled would have ended. Everything was dry as tinder, water was scarce, and with such a high wind prevailing no man's property to the east was safe, and every one was becoming fearful for his own. Too much praise cannot be given to the friends and neighbors from near and far who worked so valiantly against such odds. Mrs. Hiram Young, Mr. Archie Bent, Mr. Frank Bent, and Mr. Clifford Bent appreciate the help so ungrudgingly given and as they may be unable to thank each one individually, we are asked to do so publicly on their behalf. We understand the only insurance was the sum of \$100 held by Mr. Clifford Bent on his carriage house. The combined loss is undoubtedly serious, but a feeling of thankfulness pervades the neighborhood that in each case the home was saved and that the men were able to bring the fire to an end where they did.

Church Notes—Parish of St. James

ST. JAMES CHURCH. At the congregational meeting held on Monday evening, after full discussion, it was decided to accept Mr. Aea Whitman's contract for the work needed to be done in the church preparatory to consider the further question of heating. With this in view the meeting was adjourned to meet again on Monday, Sept. 8th.

ST. MARY'S, BELLEISLE. At a recent meeting of the congregation attending St. Mary's, it was decided to purchase a Bell organ from the Johnson Piano & Organ Company, Halifax. The instrument will be installed in a few days. A pleasing feature about this is the necessary funds being available the organ will be installed free of any debt.

At the same meeting it was decided to hold a combined congregational and Sunday School picnic on Saturday next (30th inst) at Milberry lake, starting from the church at 8 a.m.

ANOTHER MUNICIPAL OFFERING

Our recent purchase of Halifax 4 1/2 per cent Debentures was immediately absorbed without advertisement. The Amherst 5 per cent Debentures which we had previously advertised also met with a ready reception and our holdings of this issue are now exhausted.

This activity conclusively shows that discerning investors recognize the present price level of all municipal debentures as being unusually attractive. Just now we offer a block of New Glasgow 5 per cent Debentures, due 1955, at 99 1/4 per cent and interest to yield over 5 per cent. Undoubtedly this lot will likewise be promptly taken up. Further information available on request.

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Serious Fire at Belleisle

The most serious fire in years in Belleisle occurred at noon on Friday last. It commenced on the property of Mrs. Hiram Young occupied by Mr. Archie Bent. Mr. Bent, who does considerable general smithing work, had kindled a fire in the yard for the purpose of accomplishing a piece of work he had in hand and it is presumed that a spark must have been carried from this by the wind and lodged unobserved on the roof of the barn near by. The first intimation of trouble came from his little boy who noticed the smoke coming from the barn roof. Unfortunately Mr. Bent loaned his ladder and before another effective one could be secured, the fire had eaten its way through the roof and dropped into the hay (about two tons) stored in the barn. With a rapidity than can better be imagined than described the fire spread to all parts of the building including the half used as a second workshop, destroying everything—gasoline engine and tools.

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Bridgetown-Wolfville Tennis Tournament

A very interesting and warmly contested tournament was held on the grounds of the Bridgetown Tennis and Quoft Club on Friday and Saturday last between the members of the Wolfville Tennis Club and the members of the Bridgetown Tennis Club. A great deal of interest was centered on this contest, owing to the fact that these Clubs had met before in the last few years, each having won twice, and it seemed as if this match was to test the supremacy of the two Clubs. The first day Bridgetown was decidedly ahead, winning five of the eight events played and leading with twenty-four games, but on Saturday the Wolfville team rallied, gathered together their strength and succeeded in finally winning out by eight games the events being even, each Club winning nine events. The courts were in splendid condition, and as one of the visiting members, who had recently returned from the Nova Scotia tournament, expressed himself, far superior to the courts on which the Nova Scotia tournament was played. Friday evening the visiting members were entertained at a dance held in the Ruggles Block, Mitchell's orchestra having been engaged for the occasion, and before their departure for home expressed their pleasure at the regal way they were entertained during their short stay in town.

The following is a summary of the events and games played:

Gents' Singles
R. W. Tufts defeated LeMoine Ruggles. 6-1, 6-3.
Austin Chute defeated Henry B. Hicks. 6-2, 6-3.
Ronald Ruggles defeated Dr. J. F. Roach. 6-2, 6-0.
A. F. Little defeated E. R. H. Tucker. 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.
F. R. Beckwith defeated W. H. Chase. 6-4, 6-3.
Ladies' Singles
Miss Enid Tufts defeated Miss L. Ruggles. 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.
Miss M. DeWitt defeated Mrs. F. R. Fay. 6-3, 6-2.
Miss Marjorie Chute defeated Miss Constance Lloyd. 6-2, 6-0.
Miss Dodo Lloyd defeated Miss Nellie DeWitt. 6-1, 0-6, 6-4.
Gents' Doubles
R. W. Tufts and A. Chute defeated LeMoine Ruggles and H. B. Hicks. 6-2, 6-1.
Dr. J. T. Roach and E. R. H. Tucker defeated F. R. Beckwith and Ronald Ruggles. 6-1, 0-6, 6-2.
A. F. Little and A. F. Hiltz defeated D. Borden and R. Borden. 6-0, 6-3.
Ladies' Doubles
Mrs. F. R. Fay and Miss L. Ruggles defeated Miss Enid Tufts and Miss M. DeWitt. 6-0, 6-3.
Miss M. Chute and Miss N. DeWitt defeated Misses Constance and Dodo Lloyd. 6-2, 6-3.
Mixed Doubles
A. F. Little and Mrs. F. R. Fay defeated Dr. J. T. Roach and Miss M. DeWitt. 6-2, 6-1.
Austin Chute and Miss Chute defeated Henry B. Hicks and Mrs. Hicks. 6-1, 6-1.
F. R. Beckwith and Miss C. Lloyd defeated D. Borden and Miss W. DeWitt. 6-1, 6-0.

It is said that the five men who assisted Thaw in his escape from Mattawan prison received \$25,000 for the job. Evelyn Nesbit expressed great joy at the news of his arrest.

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The beacon light, which has shown the way into St. John harbor for over one hundred years, was set on fire and burned last week, wiping out the wooden structure. The remainder of the beacon is to be removed as dredging operations destroyed its usefulness. The first beacon was built in 1810 and the last one in 1866.

Tupperville Defeats Round Hill at Tennis

Eight members of the Tupperville Tennis Club met a corresponding number of the Round Hill Club on Friday afternoon at the Simpson Court. The playing began at three o'clock and continued until six. Much interest was displayed on both sides and each game closely contested, Tupperville keeping the lead and finally winning by seven games.

At the close of the contest the Round Hill players were escorted to a nearby field where the annual Methodist Sunday School picnic was being held. Supper was served, followed by a general good time. Round Hill was voted "allright" by the Tupperville Club and all parted excellent friends.

The following is the score:—

Mixed Doubles
Miss M. Armstrong and Mr. S. Kent defeated Miss G. Williams and Mr. H. McLaughlin. 2-0.
Miss Gibson and Mr. R. Baily defeated Miss A. Kent and Mr. K. Bent. 2-1.
Miss E. Bent and Mr. L. Bent defeated Miss G. Sargent and Mr. C. LeCain. 2-0.
Miss F. Rice and Mr. L. FitzRandolph defeated Miss M. Bent and Mr. O. Armstrong. 2-0.

Ladies' Doubles
Miss A. Kent and Miss E. Bent defeated Miss G. Williams and Miss Gibson. 2-0.
Miss Armstrong and Miss M. Bent defeated Miss F. Rice and Miss G. Sargent. 2-0.

Ladies' Singles
Mr. R. Baily and Mr. H. McLaughlin defeated Mr. K. Bent and Mr. S. Kent. 2-1.
Mr. L. FitzRandolph and Mr. C. LeCain defeated Mr. L. Bent and Mr. O. Armstrong. 2-0.

Ladies' Singles
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Men's Singles
Mr. H. McLaughlin defeated Mr. S. Kent. 2-1.
Mr. K. Bent defeated Mr. R. Baily. 2-0.
Mr. L. FitzRandolph defeated Mr. O. Armstrong. 2-0.
Mr. C. LeCain defeated Mr. L. Bent. 2-1.

Games won: Tupperville 21; Round Hill 14.

Annapolis County Sunday School Association

The annual convention of the Annapolis County S. S. Association will be held at Torbrook, Sept. 16. The first session will be 10 a.m.

Each Sunday School is asked to appoint delegates who will be sure to go, and such names are to be sent to J. H. Parker, Torbrook Mines, stating whether they wish to be met at Nictaux Falls or Wilnot station, and time of arrival. If driving, please mention same.

All delegates and others in attendance will be entertained.

W. C. MacPHERSON,
Secty-Treas.

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Middleton

Mr. Wm. Taylor has leased the Central House.

Mr. P. H. Reed has rented Mr. A. B. Gates' house on Gates' Ave.

Rev. N. A. MacNeill of Bridgetown, occupied the Baptist pulpit on Sunday.

Mrs. Handel of Havana, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. O. MacDonald.

Miss Mahon of North Sydney visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Spurr recently.

Mr. Fred E. Cox attended the Maritime Press Association in St. John the past week.

Miss Ruby Eaton of Canning, visited at the home of Mr. C. H. Wright the past week.

Miss Eva Haverstock of Wolfville, visited her friend, Mr. Wm. Baker, during vacation.

Miss Irene C. Balcom of Annapolis Royal, spent the past week with her friend, Mrs. F. R. Elliott.

Miss Mabel Marshall of Central Clarence, was a guest of Miss Adelaide Baltzer the past week.

Miss Ruth Parsons has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Westbaver of Mahone Bay.

Mrs. A. W. D. Parker of Bellisle, was a guest of Mrs. Schaffer at the American House this week.

Mrs. N. H. Parsons, Ross and Mena of Wolfville, are visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mrs. W. L. Magee, master Ronald and Max Brown spent a few days at the Willow House, Margareville.

Miss Robena Gates of Vancouver, B. C., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gates.

Dr. Chipman of the United States, and Mr. Ross Chipman of Kentville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Starr.

Mr. W. A. Bent and family and Atwood L. Bent of Melville, Saskatchewan, are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bent.

Invitations are out for marriage of Mr. Arthur Andrews and Miss Susie Marshall to take place Sept. 3, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Burling.

Mrs. (Rev.) C. K. Morse of Winnipeg, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Marshall. Mr. Morse's mother, from South Williamston, will accompany her on return trip.

PORT GEORGE

Port George, Aug. 24.—Mr. O. E. Steeves of Nictaux Falls, occupied the Baptist pulpit, Sunday, Aug. 24.

Doctor and Mrs. Bemis of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. Nelson Rhodes.

There are four motor boats at this port ready to carry passengers on excursion trips.

Mrs. Joseph Weaver of Lynn, spent a week with Mrs. Willett Oliver, and is now at Prince Albert.

Mr. Granville Reed and Miss Florence Keene were calling on friends of this place Thursday, Aug. 21st.

Schooner "Virginian" from Little River, discharged a cargo of fertilizer for Mr. J. I. Nickson this week.

Miss Jane Fowler has returned to Lynn, after spending her vacation with her grandfather, Mr. James Parks.

Mrs. Donally, who underwent an operation Friday, Aug. 22, is doing as well as can be expected, at the time of writing.

Mrs. Joseph Weaver and Miss Maggie Oliver spent the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, Aug. 20, at Mr. James Parks', Bayside Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spidle of Margareville, Mrs. John Woodworth and Miss Jennie Mosher of Victoriavale, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Swallow, on Sunday, Aug. 24.

Recent visitors at the Bay Side House: Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Shaffer and children, Mr. Carmen Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reed and Max, Muir and Glen Reed all of Middleton; Mr. A. S. Vedito, Nictaux Falls; Miss Florence Parker and Miss Anna Murray, Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. Whitman, Lawrence, Mass.; Miss Stella Bleakney, Wolfville.

SPA SPRINGS

Spa Springs, Aug. 25.—Miss Hazel Woodbury has gone to take charge of the school at Mt. Hanley for the coming year.

On August, 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Coulstan, a daughter.

Mrs. Starratt Marshall was visiting friends at Kingston the past week.

Mr. Ralph Robertson of Lynn, is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Milledge Bowly.

FALKLAND RIDGE

Falkland Ridge, Aug. 23.—Mrs. Elwood Mason and little daughter, Doris, of Boston, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Mason.

Two weeks of glorious fine weather; not a dull day.

Bernice Sproule returned the 20th from Torbrook.

Arthur Scivier has commenced work on a new ell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mason left on Monday for Yarmouth.

M. Rolston has returned from a week's stay at Dalhousie.

Bertie and Eva Marshall spent a few days at East Dalhousie.

John McMullen cut his foot quite severely. Dr. Dixon dressed it.

Carrie Mason and brother Elwood arrived home the 15th from Boston.

Reta Marshall and Helen Mason were successful in obtaining their Da. Lizzie McNayr of Pepperville, Mass. is visiting her father, Silvanus McNayr.

The Union Sunday School picnic was held on the grounds of F. F. Mason.

Mrs. Jacob Stoddart, who has been under the doctor's care for blood poisoning, is better.

Principal G. R. Marshall and wife of Halifax are visiting at the home of his brother, Charles Marshall.

Mr. C. Whynot and little grand-son, of New Germany, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. John McMullen.

Mrs. E. Saunders and Miss Annis Saunders of East Dalhousie, are spending a few days with Mrs. Lorraine Roon.

By the breaking down of a swing at the picnic on Tuesday, Mabel Marshall was thrown to the ground and was rendered unconscious. She was carried into the house and a doctor at once sent for and at present she is a little better, but not out of danger.

MARGAREVILLE

Margareville, Aug. 25.—Mr. J. S. MacLean of Lawrence, Mass., is spending his vacation with his family.

Mr. James Cleveland has gone to Halifax for medical treatment.

Miss Ida Fales of Boston, is visiting her mother, Mrs. I. S. Coulstan.

Mr. L. M. Morton is spending a few days with Capt. and Mrs. S. O. Baker.

There are quite a number of visitors at the Ocean Spray and Willow House.

Mr. Frank Ray, who has been in the United States for the past year, is at home for a few weeks.

Mrs. F. H. Parks returned from Boston last week on account of the illness of her little son Frederick.

Rev. and Mrs. Farquhar and daughter Grace, of Lunenburg, are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Merry.

Mr. C. E. Balcom, accompanied by his wife and her aunt, Mrs. Lee, Ellis and Arthur Taylor of St. John, enjoyed an automobile trip to Digby, visiting places of interest on the way.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Balcom and Miss Georgie, Miss Haidie McMurtery, Miss Hallie Baker, Mr. H. U. De Wolfe, Messrs. E. Jeffery and C. D. Baker were camping at the Sand Banks a few days last week. On Sunday afternoon Rev. Mr. DeWolfe and Mr. Jeffery held an open air service that was well attended.

MELVERN SQUARE

Melvorn Square, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Mary Gates returned on Saturday from a visit with her relatives in Bridgetown.

Mrs. Mary Phinney is visiting her relatives in Bridgewater.

Quite a number from here attended the sports at Aylesford on Tuesday.

Mr. E. E. Phinney is improving his house by building a larger piazza in front.

Miss M. J. McMurtery of Margareville, is spending the week with friends here.

Miss Almira Burns of East Pepperville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Adelbert Weaver.

Miss Alice Burns of Winter Hill, Mass., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Brown.

Mr. W. C. Spurr is improving his already very fine looking front lawn by the addition of two concrete walks.

Mr. Vinton has very much improved the appearance of his house by building a new front piazza and painting the house.

Mrs. Edgar Spurr of Middleton, and her friend, Miss Munn of Sydney, spent one day recently at Mrs. W. C. Spurr's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Phinney of Farmington, spent Sunday the guests of their sister, Mrs. Percy Demmons.

Miss Muriel Lantz left on Saturday to take charge of the school at Tremont. Fenwick Pearson has charge of the school at Mather's Corner.

The members of the Methodist Sunday school held their annual picnic at Margareville on Thursday of last week. All report having a fine time, the day being ideal.

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Lawrencetown

Everybody come to the Farmers' Picnic!

Miss Muriel Bishop is spending a week in Wolfville.

Miss Reta Phinney has returned from her vacation at Port George.

F. G. Palfrey is having his vacation and Mr. Schurman is acting manager.

Miss Miller of Yarmouth, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop.

Miss Annie Phinney spent the week end at home. She is in the office of N. H. Phinney & Co at Halifax.

The Baptist pulpit was occupied on Sunday by Mr. Haughn, a student from Acadia, who is on the Albany circuit.

Miss Vivian Phinney commenced teaching school in North Williamston and Miss Pauline Layte in Mt. Hope. Success to them.

The schools opened on Monday under favorable auspices with Mr. B. Banks as Principal, Miss Whitman as Intermediate, and Miss Morgan as Primary teachers.

Forest fires are running on the South Mountain. Is there no way to teach men not to set fires in the summer time? They not only endanger other peoples' property, but lives as well.

Mrs. Chipman Foster was laid to rest in the Daniels Cemetery on Saturday afternoon. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. H. G. Mellick, assisted by Rev. Haddon Balcom. The large funeral evidenced the esteem in which Mrs. Foster was held by all who knew her.

The Annapolis S. S. Association Annual Convention will be held in Torbrook, Sept. 16. Every one kindly bear the date and the importance of the gathering in mind, and all who can possibly attend make arrangements to do so. The hospitality at Torbrook is well known, so let us test it to the limit.

SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, Aug. 25.—Misses Myria McNayr and Hilda Grimm spent a few days at New Germany this week.

Dr. Dickson spent a few days at New Germany recently.

Miss Nellie Wilson of Farmington, is the guest of her mother.

I. W. Roon made a business trip to Middleton on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Christopher has returned after a few weeks visit at Queens County.

Mr. Gifford Grimm of Halifax, is spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Maplebeck of Margareville, was a guest at Lambert McNayr's recently.

Mr. Hallett Allen and Miss May Deans spent Tuesday of last week at Bridgewater.

Miss Gertrude Whitman of Williamston is a guest at the home of Mr. George Durling.

W. A. and A. L. Bent of Melville, Saskatchewan, spent the week end with friends here.

Miss Flossy Young left on Saturday last for Albany where she has accepted the school.

Mr. Gifford Grimm and Miss Frances Saunders spent Thursday of last week at New Germany.

Mrs. L. A. Christopher and two daughters of Boston are spending their vacation at I. W. Roon's.

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Bridges Was a Doctor

New Poet Laureate Widely Known in Hospitals.

Mr. Robert Bridges, D.Litt., has been appointed Poet Laureate in succession to the late Mr. Alfred Austin.

Mr. Robert Bridges, who has been described as Britain's only classical poet, is sixty-eight. He was born in Kent, and from Eton he went to Corpus Christi College at Oxford, the university which just a year ago honored him with the degree of Doctor of Letters. After leaving Oxford he settled down to study medicine in London, at St. Bartholomew's, where he eventually became casualty physician. Assistant at the Children's Hospital, Great Ormond Street, was his next post, followed by a period as physician at the Great Northern Hospital. In 1882 he retired from medical practice, and a couple of years later married the eldest daughter of the late Mr. Alfred Waterhouse, the well known artist. He lives at Oxford.

Mr. Bridges is undoubtedly one of the surest of immortality among our contemporaries. His work maintains throughout an extremely high standard; little, if any, of it has suffered from hurry; he has never allowed the quest for popularity or gain to tell against its perfection or beauty, but careful and studied finish has ever been his motto.

His output includes eight poetic dramas, a couple of masques, numerous lyrics and several pieces in classical prosody. He maintains that English prosody depends on the number of stressed syllables in a line, not on the number of syllables, and that poetry should follow the rules of natural speech. A number of essays stand to his credit, and he has strong and, in some particulars, curious views on spelling reform.

The new Poet Laureate has been particularly successful in the writing of odes. The following is from that written for the bi-centenary commemoration of Henry Purcell:

The sea with melancholy war
Moateth about our castled shore;
His world-wide elemental moan
Girdeth our lives with tragic sons.

Yet shall his storm and mastering
wave
Assure the Empire to the brave;
And to his billowy bass belong,
The music of our patriotic songs,
When to the wind his ripples go
In furious following, careering a-row,
Lashed with hail and withering snow,
And ever undaunted hearts outside
His rushing waters wide.

The beauty of his masques, too,
compares well with that of the greatest
of this form of expression, and
his epic, "Eros and Psyche," is distinguished
for delightful melody. His lyric gift
is also remarkable. We quote the following
from Shorter Poems, Book I:

I heard a linnnet courting
His lady in the spring;
His mates were idly sporting
Nor stayed to hear him sing
His song of love—
I fear my speech distorting
His tender love.

The phrases of his pleading;
Were full of young delight;
And she that gave him heed
Interpreted aright
His gay, sweet notes—
So sadly marred in the reading—
His tender notes.

And when he ceased, the hearer
Awaited the refrain,
Till swiftly perching near
He sang his song again,
His pretty song—
Would that my verse spake clearer
His tender song!

Ye happy, airy creatures!
That in the merry spring
Think not of what misfeatures
O'er care the year may bring!
But unto love
Resign your simple natures
To tender love.

The salary of the laureateship is £70, with an allowance of £27 in lieu of a butt of sack. Dr. Bridges himself contradicted a report early this month that he had been offered the vacant post.

The exterior of Sir Henry Mill Pellatt's two million dollar residence at Spadina Hill, Toronto, has been completed, and the interior will be finished a year hence. It is to be the finest residence in Canada.

Joseph McGill of Shelburne Dead

He Was a Prominent Shipbuilder of That Town.

Shelburne, N. S., Aug. 10.—Joseph McGill, the well known ship builder, died at his home here at seven o'clock last evening. He went to Boston about three weeks ago with the hope that expert treatment under specialists might improve his condition, but in spite of everything that could be done, he failed to improve. He returned home and passed away last evening.

The news, though not unexpected, came with a great shock, as no man in this community was held in more esteem than he, and in his removal Shelburne town and County loses its most foremost citizen, particularly in industrial matters, as Mr. McGill had built up a large business in vessel building here, and the result of which being that the name of Joseph McGill stood for the very best that could be had in Canada in the shape of shipbuilding to such an extent that the class "built by Joseph McGill" was recognized as superior to any by shipping people throughout the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland.

It is very gratifying to know that Mr. McGill before his death completed arrangements for the continuance of the business heretofore carried on by him, and that no interruption in that respect will take place on account of his death. Mr. McGill was about sixty-four years of age, and was unmarried, the members of his family remaining being his brothers James P., William J., Chas. S., and Johnstone A. His sisters are Mrs. Eliza Allen, Mrs. Charlotte Pentz of Shelburne.

MORE NOVELTIES FOR THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

Manager Hall Has Secured Several of these for the Fair at Halifax. The Strong Amusement Feature.

The amusement features of the Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition will be striking and interesting as experience, careful selection and judicious expenditure of money can provide. This phase of the big Fair which opens at Halifax on September 3 and continues for a week make the show interesting alike to young and old and well repay a visit to Halifax, whose attractions, apart even from the exhibition, are great at this season as well as other seasons of the year.

In the regular departments the exhibition will be no less complete than on its amusement side, and there will be novelties to be seen which will amply repay the visitor who wishes to keep abreast of the times. One of those interesting to dairymen, which Manager Hall has secured for demonstration is the Milking Apparatus. With the aid of this machine milking cows by hand is done away with altogether, the apparatus filling the cans from the cows. An electric motor is used and with the individual machine for each cow a whole herd can be milked at once.

The exhibition dates are early this year so that visitors will have the advantage of warm weather adding to their other pleasures of a visit to the capital.

Low rates as usual will prevail on all railway lines.

Arrangements have been made for a Lodging Bureau in case of large crowds seeking for accommodation.

HELEN KELLER HEARS MUSIC.

For the First Time and Was Exhausted From Excitement.

Potosky, Mich., Aug. 13.—Miss Helen Keller, the blind, deaf and dumb prodigy, has heard music for the first time. With her teeth held against the bridge on a violin, she caught the vibrations of the notes, and they were carried to her brain. Prof. Franz Kohler, of the Berlin Conservatory, played for Miss Keller. The first note was sounded on the E string of his violin.

Miss Keller was astonished. She had her teeth fairly against the instrument, while Kohler played strains from Saint Saens, using both the high and low registers.

"Like the voices of singing angels," said Miss Keller, communicating to Miss Macey, her teacher. She was exhausted from excitement. Miss Macey said that this was the first musical sound that has reached the brain of Miss Keller, despite reports of her previous knowledge of notes.

CLANDESTINE LETTERS.

Our General Delivery Much Abused by Crooks and Others.

The restriction of the "general delivery" system at the postoffices, is one of the matters submitted for the consideration of the Postmaster-General Pelletier.

The "general delivery" in cities where there is a postal delivery is responsible for many evils, which up to the present time the Postal Department have been unable to overcome, but through the efforts of Dominion Inspector George Ross, under instructions of the Postmaster-General, these evils have been reduced to a minimum in the larger cities.

The general delivery is for the purpose of supplying transients with their mail at a convenient place and time, and it was never intended that a resident served with a house delivery should be privileged to secure mail at the general delivery. However, this cannot be avoided, and one of the greatest abuses is the vast amount of clandestine mail that passes through the wicket at the General Delivery of the Toronto Postoffice. The fictitious names are in some instances sufficiently unique to attract attention, and where they are too common there is many a mix-up.

This system is employed by husbands to carry on correspondence with young girls and the wives of other men. Any person who makes the postoffice one of the "habitués" soon learns to spot the "habitué" at the wicket. Mrs. So-and-So presents herself at the wicket, and half the time gets her letters without the formality of even asking the name. Not a few cases like this are known, where the husband and wives, carry on illicit correspondence.

The general delivery is the haunt of young girls and young men, who every day at the noon hour and in the evening stand in long rows waiting their turn.

The crook and the thief, but very rarely the expert criminal, uses the mails and the general delivery. This is one of the sources from which the secret service men operate, and the haunt of a number of private detectives who "shadow" people day in and day out.

The bungling criminal is usually caught through correspondence in some way or other, and only the most expert of the underworld are sufficiently well versed to leave the mails alone as they know the immense possibilities of being traced by means of this system, which is both sacred and secret, as far as the public are concerned.

No person rents a box at the postoffice to receive mail unopened. In case it is a business, it must be explained to the postmaster. If the man is carrying on a business through advertising, he must submit copies of his literature and advertising matter to the postal authorities for approval before he may use the box, even if he has been using the mails for his schemes. A number of schemes which prey upon poor people have been killed by this practice, and several of these very questionable enterprises are now under investigation by the authorities at Ottawa.

It has been estimated by officials of the morality department of the churches that from 75 to 80 per cent. of the mail which goes through the "general delivery" wicket is clandestine.

Canada's Backbone.

During Sir Wilfrid Laurier's recent tour through Ontario the following incident occurred:

At one place Laurier's "special" car was side-tracked and he was resting there alone, with the exception of Hon. Geo. P. Graham. Presently there came to the door of the car an old Scotchman bringing some papers for Mr. Graham. The old man knocked at the door and Mr. Graham, thinking it was the chief's nephew, returning from an errand for his uncle, opened the door wide. The rugged Scot walked right in, and there straight before him he saw Sir Wilfrid, in a chair, reading.

The old man exclaimed in a tone of mingled surprise and delight, "Why, it's the auld chieftain himself!" and tears began to trickle down his weather-beaten face. Sir Wilfrid was deeply touched. Rising from his seat he came forward and laid his hand on the old veteran's shoulder. "It is just such stalwarts as you," he said, in a moved voice, "who have made Canada what she is to-day."

A Western Pioneer.

Winnipeg lost an esteemed pioneer, a few days ago, by the death of John Harrison O'Donnell, who had lived in that city for over forty years. He was born in Simcoe County, Ontario, in 1844, and graduated in 1861 from Victoria University College. He was for many years a member of Manitoba's Legislative Council, and was Speaker of the House for some time. Also he was president of the College of Physicians and Surgeons until 1877, president of Winnipeg General Hospital staff till 1882, and a member of the medical board of examiners from 1882 until his death.

While traveling in what was then the Northwest Territories he was taken prisoner by Louis Riel at the time of the rebellion, remaining in custody for ten weeks. He was later instrumental in the capture of Riel, signing the warrant for his arrest along with others.

Potato Canker.

The Canadian Department of Agriculture has decided to prohibit the importation into Canada of potatoes from Europe, Newfoundland and the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, thus protecting as far as possible Canadian potatoes from the potato canker which has done much harm in Europe, and the Department of Customs has issued orders to that effect.

The Canadian potato crop this year in the western provinces is a large one and of excellent quality, and imports to this country are being spoken of to make up the deficiency that has occurred over wide areas owing to the past inclement season.

The First Japanese in America.

The first Japanese who ever came to America as far as is known was Manjiro Nakahama, a fourteen-year-old lad, who was picked up by the captain of an American fishing vessel in 1841.

twelve years before the coming of Commodore Perry to Japan. Nakahama, with four companions, had sailed out into the ocean on a fishing expedition, their boat had been wrecked by a storm, and they were finally washed ashore on a desert island in the northern Pacific. Three months of dire privation were passed on the island before the little party was rescued by the American vessel. His companions were left in Hawaii, but Nakahama, who became a great favorite of the captain, was brought to the United States and sent to a New England school. And when Commodore Perry came to Japan, Nakahama was able to act as interpreter in the negotiations carried on between the American envoys and the Japanese feudal government authorities.—Dr. Jokichi Takamine in Oriental Review.

Beavers' Work.

The beavers not only cut down trees for the purpose of making dams, but also use the smaller upper branches as a storage supply of food for winter use. These branches, from two to four inches in diameter, are cut into lengths of two or three feet and then by wonderful engineering ability are carried beneath the water and into the beavers' houses, or the burrows, with which the bank of every beavers' dam is honey-combed. Here they are carefully stored. The green bark is the staple article of food throughout the winter. The dams are of varying height and length, according to the particular location. I found a dam in Mesa county, Colo., which was just six feet from bottom to top and impounded a body of water six feet or more in depth and covering an area of several acres. This dam was perfect in construction. It was composed entirely of willow bushes, as no large timber grows in the vicinity.—Our Dumb Animals.

His Cheapest Poker Game.

In a mining locality is a miner who feeds his money into the games around town as regular as pay day comes around. One Sunday, as the story goes, the "gang" was "sitting in" a game at the regular meeting place. There was no room left at the board for any one else to "sit in." Presently the habitues heard the familiar tread of the miner. He knocked on the door with the reputation secret tap as a sign that he wished to deposit some more money in the bank. The crowd was very busily engaged, and one wit in the crowd yelled out to the miner: "No room in this game for you, Skinny. Just throw your money over the transom, and we'll divide it up!" And Skinny shot a two dollar bill over the transom.

That night he met the regulars downtown. "Say," he exclaimed, with a grin, "that was the cheapest poker game I ever 'sat in'—Indianapolis News.

Handy With His Fists.

Admiral Wilson of the British navy won his Victoria cross at the battle of El Teb in 1884. There was a gap in the square, and five or six of the enemy made a vicious rush forward, attempting to get inside. Captain Wilson, who was present with the naval brigade, advanced to meet them alone, but his sword broke in the endeavor to cut one of the intruders down. Hereupon the officer, instead of beating a hasty retreat, stood his ground and began bowling over the enemy with his fists. Either from the nature of the ground or, as the record puts it, "the surprising nature of his attack," Captain Wilson escaped with a few wounds and was rescued by the square closing up round him. Sir Frederic Bull described the act as the most courageous he ever witnessed.

Not Likely.

Mrs. Morton (angrily)—Tommy Horton, what made you hit my little Johnny?
Tommy Horton—He struck me with a brick.
Mrs. Morton (angrily)—Well, never let me hear of your hitting him again. If he hits you you come and tell me.
Tommy Horton (sneeringly)—Yes; and what would you do?
Mrs. Morton—Why, I'd whip him.
Tommy Horton (in disgust)—What! He hits me with a brick and you have the fun of licking him for it? Not much!—London Telegraph.

Matched.

Towne—Met Gabbie and Perkins at a smoker last night and introduced them to each other. Brown—Oh, say, it's a shame to introduce a bore like Gabbie to anybody. Towne—It's evident you don't know Perkins or you'd see the humor of it.

The Proper Head.

Husband (studying his wife's accounts)—There are several items you haven't entered here: Doing up the furniture, your hairdresser, dentist, trip to the sea, for instance. Wife—Oh, those all come under "repairs."—Pilegende Blatter.

A Will and a Way.
"Where there's a will there's a way," quoted the wise guy.
"Yes," assented the simple mug; "there's generally a way out of it."—Philadelphia Record.

Will Persist In Trying It.
"What is an optimist, pa?"
"An optimist is a man who comes home late and thinks he can get in without his wife knowing it."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27, 1913.

—Lord Grey, than whom Canada
has not had a more popular and
democratic Governor General, has not
forgotten us since his return to the
Mother Country, but, in various ways
has continued to show his high ap-
preciation of the people, the resources
and the possibilities of our widely
extended domains. At present he is
deeply interested in a scheme for the
centralization of the London Agencies
of all the Dominions and Colonies.
These Agencies are now more or less
widely separated, some of them in
somewhat obscure localities, making
unnecessary drafts upon the time of
busy officials and interested visitors
who desire to gather information
from them on matters which it is
their business to furnish. Lord Grey
wishes to obviate these difficulties
and make it easy for the various
parts of the Empire to be more ade-
quately represented and better known
by each other. He has had his eye
upon an area in the very centre of
the life and work of London, nearly
three acres in extent and admirably
adapted to serve the desired purpose.
It is equidistant from five great rail-
way stations, quite near the Thames,
and easily accessible. The land is
owned by the London City Council,
who are willing to lease it for ninety-
nine years at a fixed rental. Lord
Grey has organized a syndicate, under
the name of "The Dominion Site,
Limited," and secured an option on
the property for three years. The
Canadian member of the syndicate is
Mr. George McLaren Brown. Other
members represent South Africa,
Australia, New Zealand, and London.
If the various governments favor the
scheme, and are willing to contribute,
each may erect a building upon this
site for offices and rooms where the
products of the mines, the fisheries,
the fields and forests may be kept on
exhibition, and the various buildings
being connected with each other, visi-
tors may, without difficulty or waste
of time, go from one to the other
and gather information from all parts
of the Empire.

Australia has already endorsed the
proposal. On a Thursday morning, a
few weeks since, King George, in the
presence of two thousand invited
guests, laid the foundation stone of
"The Australian Commonwealth
Building." When Canada and the
Colonies follow this lead, as they in
all probability will, and erect their
own buildings, they will be the rally-
ing point of thousands of Colonial
tourists who visit the Mother City,
and will promote in a marked and
useful manner, the mutual knowledge
and understanding which will tend to
the growing stability and progress of
the Empire.

—The Catalogue of the Exhibition
of the Counties of Hants, Kings and
Annapolis, to be held in Windsor, on
the 7th, 8th and 9th of October, is
now being distributed.
Thirty-seven special prizes are of-
fered for different varieties of apples,
by different parties, including the
Windsor Carriage Factory and a
Sterling Silver Medal from the Bank
of Nova Scotia; also seven Special
Prizes for Table Fowls and Veget-
ables, and seven for Educational Ex-
hibits, including Essays, Maps, Do-
mestic Science Cooking, Dressmaking
and Laundry Work, from the schools
of the three Counties. In all \$1800
are offered in prizes. Full particulars
are given in the catalogue respecting
all the prizes referred to, as well as
the Contests in Filling of Horses and
Cran. Mr. I. D. Currie is the
Secretary.

—The Special Committee appointed
by the Union of the Nova Scotia
Municipalities to prepare Standard
By-laws for the towns of the Pro-
vince, has published the first draft
of its work in a neat pamphlet of
eighty-three pages. These proposed
by-laws cover every requirement of
Town government from the Town Seal
to the Impounding of Animals, and
are likely to be accepted and adopted
where they are not already in force.

OBITUARY

JACOB VALENTINE EATON.

In the death of Mr. Jacob Valen-
tine Eaton, which occurred at Gran-
ville Centre, on Thursday last, Aug.
21st, Annapolis County loses another
of its most worthy and honorable
citizens.

Jacob Valentine Eaton was born at
Granville Centre, Aug. 9, 1836, son
of the late Woodworth and Mary Ann
(Withers) Eaton. In 1868 he married
Miss Henrietta E. Parker, who pre-
deceased him two and a half years.
Two children, a son and daughter,
predeceased him several years. Mrs.
Harry A. Goodwin, at whose home
he was cared for during a lingering
illness of seven months, is the only
surviving member of the family.

Three grandchildren also survive, one
of whom is A. E. Withers, junior
clerk in the Royal Bank of Canada in
this town. His sisters and brothers
are:—Mrs. Thomas Harris, Mrs.
Henry Calnek and Burton C. Eaton
at Granville Centre; Dr. A. J. Eaton,
Knowlton, Quebec, and William T.
Eaton, New Dorchester, Mass.

For thirty-five years he was a con-
sistent member of the Baptist church.
Funeral service took place Saturday
afternoon, Rev. R. F. Allen of Anna-
polis, his pastor, conducted the ser-
vice and spoke feelingly from the
words selected by the deceased, "The
effectual fervent prayer of a righte-
ous man availeth much." Interment
at the beautiful Wadeville Cemetery,
beside his wife. He was a kind hus-
band and most indulgent father, and
will be greatly missed by those left
behind.

This Week Forty Years Ago

The covered bridge was lighted at
night for the first time this week.

Rev. Mr. Wilkins, appointed rector of
St. James church, and held his first
service on Aug. 17.

Mr. A. M. Gidney's garden contains
a peach tree that has grown from a
pit planted seven years ago, and this
year is well filled with peaches.

Peter Mailman, of Pleasant River,
Lunenburg County, who murdered his
wife in the woods near his home, was
captured at Greywood, near Anna-
polis, on Sunday, Aug. 24, and taken
back to Bridgewater.

A FEARFUL STORM.—A good deal
of grain fell on Saturday night. Dur-
ing the forepart of Sunday it was
showery but calm. About 2 p.m. the
wind, which was north, freshened in-
to a gale and rain fell in torrents, in
some sections accompanied with hail
and sleet. In the evening the wind
shifted to the northeast and increas-
ing in violence, continued its fury
through the night. The grain crop,
standing, and corn was levelled with
the ground—two-thirds of the apple
crop was shaken off—trees blown up
by the roots or branches broken,
fences blown down, brooks, long dry,
overflowed their banks, and every-
where in this County the effects of
the storm are painfully visible.

Baptist Sunday School Picnic

The Bridgetown Baptist Sunday
School enjoyed a very pleasant out-
ing yesterday at Hampton, at their
annual picnic. Over two hundred
were present. The boys played base-
ball in the morning. After a toun-
tiful dinner the following sports were
entered into with much enthusiasm:

- Married men's race, won by Rev. D. J. Neily.
- Married women's race, won by Mrs. F. V. Young.
- Young ladies' race, over 14, won by Hortense Griffin.
- Young ladies' race, under 14, won by Jostie Michie.
- Race by Miss Phinney's class of boys, won by Reggie Marshall.
- Race for small boys, won by Hector Barnes.
- Race for small girls, won by Anna Marshall.
- Bag race, won by Rex Harlow.
- Bag race (girls) won by Hortense Griffin.
- Apple race, won by Lorna Congdon.
- Boot and shoe race, won by Gerald Charlton.
- Three-legged race, won by Loran Crowe and Percy Marshall.
- 100 yd. dash, won by Lawrence Harlow.
- The Booby prize for the men was won by Mr. J. Harry Hicks, and for the women by Miss Nettie Healy.

The motor boat provided pleasure
for many who wished to go out on
the water. Everyone pronounced the
day a very enjoyable one.
Much credit is due Rev. Denton J.
Neily who worked assiduously to
make the outing the success that it
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Letter from Mrs. L. F. Wallace

Mrs. L. F. Wallace in writing home
from the United States says, "On
our way to Northfield we passed
through Deerfield Valley, which is the
most fertile part of Massachusetts.
We saw acres and acres of tobacco
growing. It is very pretty (same as
nicotine in the gardens, only larger),
with dark green leaves, with long
spikes of pink and white blossoms.
Then there were acres of onions; also
fields of cucumbers and corn, grain,
etc. But the chief things were to-
bacco, onions, cucumber and corn. It
is a rich strip of farming country, and
very beautiful, with the mountains
just near, the sharp peaks, standing
up against the sky line here and
there such as "Sugar Loaf," etc.
This is a very historical district, full
of monuments, markers where the In-
dians massacred the whites. There
was a big historical pageant being
held in Deerfield as we came through.
We had a great treat at Northfield
Conference this year;—splendid speak-
ers, some from London and Liver-
pool, not one you could afford to
miss. One of the best was Dan Craw-
ford, who has been in Central Africa
twenty-three years without a fur-
lough. He was one of the most
unique, fascinating speakers I ever
heard, and has written a fine book
as well."

The Accursed Thaw Fortune

(New York World.)
Was there ever a greater curse than
the Thaw money? It has been an af-
fliction to its possessors from the
first. It has burdened society with
profligacy, scandal and crime. For
several years it has been shamelessly
used to defeat justice, to nullify law
and to corrupt the authorities of a
great State. If Harry Thaw had been
born poor he might to-day have been
a worthy man. It was not heredity
that made him what he is. It was
money. Money caused him to be an
idler; money led him into evil asso-
ciation; money distorted his views
of right and wrong; money enabled
him to contaminate others; money at
last gave him the vices which un-
hinged him and added murder to the
long list of his offences. Having
ruined Thaw and others and carried
him into the very shadow of the ex-
ecutioner, the Thaw money then cur-
ded and degraded the State of New
York at two trials that brought jus-
tice into contempt and scandalized
our courts throughout the world. It
was the Thaw money that saved him
from the death penalty; it was the
Thaw money that maintained a pro-
tracted contest in the courts to over-
throw the judgment of insanity by
which his life had been saved; it was
the Thaw money that schemed cease-
lessly for a release which could not
be had by legal means. In the escape
from Mattawan has the Thaw money
gained one more triumph over law?
Is the Thaw money to go hand in
hand with the fugitive into remote
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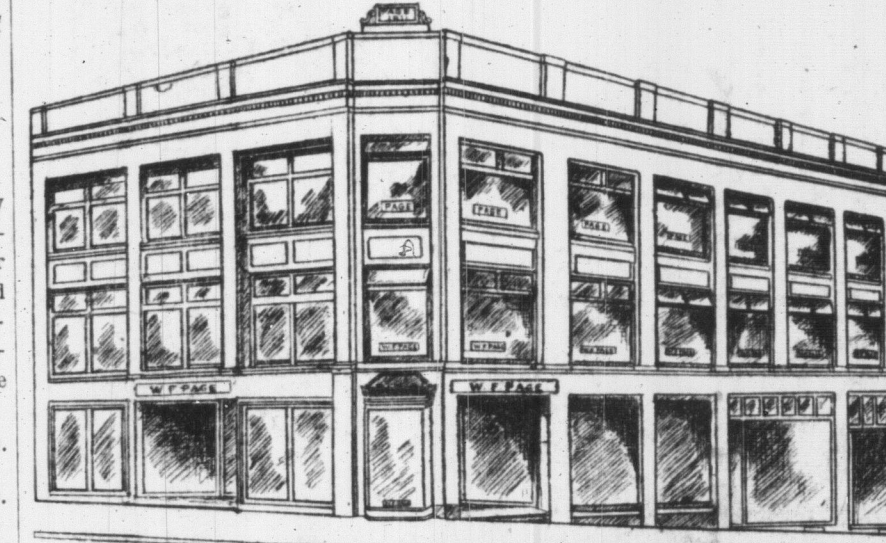
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LOCAL AND SPECIAL.

Note weekly changes in John Lockett & Son's adv. on page eight.

Read Strong & Whitman's adv.—discount sale on Dress Goods Specials.

Carleton's Corner school opened on Monday with Miss Annie Spurr and Miss Vola Fulmer as teachers.

Permanent work on our streets has been resumed. Granville street west of the arboiteau is now receiving attention.

Anyone having a book entitled "Man of the Hour," not their own, will please return the same to Mrs. E. C. Young.

There will be a program of sports at the skating rink grounds in Bridgetown on Labor Day. See adv. in this issue and posters for further particulars.

There will be horse racing at the Middleton Driving Park next Saturday, Aug. 30. There will be three events, viz: 2.20, 2.25 and 2.35 classes.

Should the weather today continue stormy throughout the day, the Farmers' Picnic at Lawrencetown will be postponed and held on the first fine day.

Rev. Albourne N. Marshall, pastor of the First Baptist church, Winnipeg, will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist church next Sunday, morning and evening.

The death of Mrs. Joseph Buckler occurred at the home of her son, Mr. Appliston Buckler, Dalhousie, on Saturday last, Aug. 23, at the advanced age of ninety years.

Merchants of the town are asked to decorate their stores for Labor Day. Citizens in general are requested to get out their flags and bunting and help to celebrate the day.

R. Matheson, M. S. A., Ph.D., the Provincial Entomologist, wishes us to call special attention to the article on "The Apple Maggot, or Railroad Worm," printed on page one of this issue.

The marriage of Miss Henrietta Cropley, daughter of Mr. Russel Cropley, to Mr. James Cowan, of Dorchester, Mass., took place at the home of Mr. Archie Chute, on Monday, Aug. 11, Rev. E. A. MacNeill officiating.

As announced last week, the Bridgetown School begins on Tuesday, Sept. 2. Miss Cochran was obliged to resign on account of her mother's illness, and her place, in charge of grades five and six, will be taken by Miss Beatrice Troop, Granville Centre.

Mr. Geo. Chute of Beauséjour, just as he was getting ready to leave for Bridgetown yesterday morning, saw two young deer come out from the woods nearby, and make a circuit of his premises. The animals seemed quite at home and showed no signs of being alarmed.

A bungalow at Deep Brook belonging to Rev. Arthur Archibald, was burned to the ground with all its contents on Sunday last. Mr. Archibald with his family was occupying it at the time of the fire. They return to Brockton this week, two weeks earlier than they expected to.

Miss Eva Mylott, the Australian contralto, who scored a complete triumph on her last Canadian tour, comes to Bridgetown October 2nd. Miss Mylott possesses a voice of exceptional richness with the lower register equal to that of Clara Butt. The greatest music critics of today pronounce Miss Mylott as the finest of any singer now before the public.

Rev. B. J. Porter, the popular pastor of the Methodist church here who has been having his vacation during the past two weeks at his old home in Yarmouth, expects to return to Bridgetown on Friday of this week and take up his regular work on Sunday next, preaching at Bridgetown both morning and evening, and at Granville in the afternoon. The Rev. Dr. Jost will preach at Bentville in the afternoon.

According to the Charlottetown Guardian the Black Fox industry for breeding purposes is good for twenty years. The reasons assigned are: The demand for breeders for establishing ranches in New Hampshire, Maine and other Northern New England States, where there is now only one large American farm to supply the demand. This it is alleged will be sufficient to swamp Prince Edward Island with orders for twenty years to come.

The Monitor has only this week learned of the death of Mr. Theophilus Mack, which occurred at Everett, Mass., on May 30th. The deceased for a number of years carried on a large lumbering business at East Dalhousie, and was widely known in lumbering circles throughout this province. He was at one time a councillor in the Municipality of Kings. Two of his children now reside in Bridgetown, viz: Mr. Thomas Mack and Mrs. Harry Egan.

A shocking and fatal accident occurred at Kingston on Monday of last week, whereby Mr. Henry Meekins lost his life. Four head of steers were being driven to Kingston for shipment to Sackville. The weather was hot and the roads dusty. The cattle were very difficult to manage and finally became wild and wholly unmanageable. One of the steers dropped dead in the road. Another was caught and tied up at Kingston, but a third ran amuck and attacked Mr. Meekins, driving his horn into his victim's heart, causing instant death. The vicious animal attacked others, who fortunately escaped harm. The animal was finally shot near Melvern Square.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Maud Taylor of Bermuda, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Coldwell.

Miss Ena Graves left on Monday to take charge of the school at Chester for the ensuing term.

Mrs. Geo. R. Bancroft and child of Halifax, was the guest of Mrs. (Dr.) Armstrong over Sunday.

Mr. Fred Dargie of Boston and Mr. Will Dargie of New York, are spending their vacation here.

Miss Mary Palfrey returned on Saturday last from a vacation of several weeks spent in Boston.

Miss Agnes May Hall left on Saturday for Clementsport, where she will teach the ensuing school term.

Mrs. Norman Rumsey has returned from the Massachusetts General Hospital, much improved in health.

Mrs. A. O. Price and family and her sister, Miss Blanchard of Truro, are spending the week at Hampton.

Messrs. Geo. H. Dixon and Joseph I. Foster are at Ottawa this week participating in the Dominion Rifle Matches.

Mrs. J. S. Parry and daughters, Kathryn and Evelyn, returned to their home at Beaver River last Friday.

Miss Gladys Marshall of Sydney is a guest at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Marshall.

Mrs. A. M. Sumner of Boston, is visiting her uncle, Mr. James A. Jefferson at his pleasant home at Carleton's Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dahl of East Braintree, Mass., are spending their vacation here, and are guests at the Grand Central Hotel.

Miss Clare Freeman of Halifax, and Dr. Archibald and daughter of Wolfville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Freeman last week.

Miss Charlotte Dargie left on Saturday for Peregau, Kings County, where she will have charge of the school for the ensuing term.

Mrs. F. R. Fay and little daughter Aeline, leave today for a week's visit at the summer home of Mrs. Laura D. Frost, Kingsport.

Miss Nettie Bishop has accepted the position as vice-principal of the Bridgewater High School, and leaves for her new charge on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hart, who have been residents of Bridgetown for the past two years or more, have returned to their former home in St. John.

Mr. Hanley Foster of Lynn, and Dr. and Mrs. Royal Bonnis of Philadelphia, arrived here yesterday, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Foster.

Mr. Kenneth McGowen, son of Douglas McGowen, has gone to Maine for the winter. He is at present in Bangor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Leslie, former residents of Carleton's Corner.

Mrs. Willoughby Anthony met with quite a painful accident some two weeks ago. Whilst doing some cooking in the sleeve of her garment caught in the handle of a dish containing hot lard, upsetting the contents over her arm and badly burning the forearm.

Mr. Parker Whitman returned yesterday from Bear River, where his duties as fire warden had called him to assist in fighting the forest fires raging near there. Over two hundred were engaged in that section last week fighting fires, which were finally extinguished.

Mr. Edwin C. Hall of this town, and Mayor O. P. Goucher, of Middleton, returned on Saturday from a very enjoyable two weeks' vacation spent in the Upper Provinces. They were the guests, for the two weeks of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Co., which Company they represent. One week was spent fishing at the Algonquin Park. They also attended a meeting of the Association of Life Underwriters at Ottawa, where they listened to speeches by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. R. L. Borden, and other noted speakers.

RYMENEAL
POTTER—STEVENSON.
(Montreal Herald.)
The marriage of Miss Mildred Evelyn Stevenson, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Stevenson, to Mr. Milred Vernon Potter, son of Mr. H. Gifford Potter of Clementsvale, N.S., took place quietly at Mr. Stevenson's residence, 34 Irene street, Montreal, on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 16th. The Rev. Dr. J. A. Gordon officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Potter left the same evening for Nova Scotia, where they will visit at Halifax, and the home of the bridegroom's parents.

BORN
McLAUGHLIN.—At Round Hill, Aug. 22, to Dr. C. E. and Mrs. McLaughlin, a son, weight 11 lbs.

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on the SATURDAY EVENING POST. Lots of "REXALL" news there the next few months. "Rexall" goods are GOOD GOODS, we know of none better at any price. THEY LEAD.

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Pie Social

There will be a pie social held in Beauséjour School House, Tuesday evening, Sept. 2. Proceeds for painting school house.

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Second-hand L. C. Smith Typewriter in good condition, also, handsome China Clock, Leather Arm Chair, set of Bridal Rose China, 2 Feather Beds. Apply to MRS. B. C. SHAW

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Bridgetown Skating Rink Labor Day, Sept 1
REFRESHMENTS, ICE CREAM and FANCY GOODS will be sold on the grounds. Beautifully decorated booths, beautiful ladies in attendance.

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40 yd. open; Hop, Step and Jump open; 40 yd. Boys under 16 yrs; Running Broad Jump open; Running High Jump, open.

DRILLS; Wand Drill by 16 young people. Maypole Drill by 12 young ladies

All entries to be made at Rink not later than 2 p. m. on September 1st
Admission to Grounds 10c.
Gates at 2:30 o'clock Sports at 3 o'clock
Bridgetown Band in Attendance

D. G. HARLOW, Secretary
Bridgetown, August 20, 1913.

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A large proportion of animal diseases is caused by improper salting. Mixing in feed gives animals too much or too little salt. No one thing will do more to keep your horses healthy and to increase the flow of milk of your cows than will our

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Business Notices

J. W. Beckwith's New Dress Goods imported direct from France and England for the fall trade, are now open.

The Ladies' Northway Coats at J. W. Beckwith's are better than ever, and are, at this early date, selling fast. All new; not one carried over from last season.

Pneumonia stops your pain or breaks up your cold in one hour. It's marvellous. Applied externally. All druggists. 1 y.

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On Queen St., Bridgetown, well situated and in good repair. Apply at MONITOR-SENTINEL OFFICE. 49-21.

HAIR WORK DONE.
Combs or cut hair made into Puffs, Transformations and Switches. Terms moderate. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mail orders promptly attended to.

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Round Hill, Feb. 13th, t.f.

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For Sale.—Two litters of Pigs.
H. I. MUNRO, Bridgetown.

FARM FOR SALE—Apply to Wm. W. Clark, Granville, N. S.

At a bargain, Horse and Harness, Express Wagon, Driving Wagon, Sleigh and Stove. Apply to ARTHUR C. DODGE.

FOR SALE—Mare Colt sired after Bazell, five months old 10th September, dark iron grey. Wm. W. Clark, Granville.

For Sale

My Driving Mare "Maud," handsome, sound, fearless of automobiles. Apply to EDWIN RUGGLES
Bridgetown, Aug. 19

The Raynor, Clark & Harlow Black Fox Company, Ltd.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the Raynor, Clark & Harlow Black Fox Company, Limited Company in Bridgetown, N. S., on Wednesday the 3rd day of September, 1913 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to accept delivery of Foxes, issue stock certificates and receive money for same. Subscription for stock in the said company will close at the termination of this meeting.
D. G. HARLOW, Secretary
Bridgetown, August 20, 1913.

The Bridgetown Importing House

is the store that ever keeps pace with the progress of the times

We extend a most cordial invitation to come and see our immense assortment of **General Dry Goods** in all lines to meet the season's demands.

We know we are showing by far the **Greatest Values** and the **Finest Assortment** ever shown by this store.

We want you to know it. The only way is to come and see for yourself. The one way we can convince you is by the goods themselves.

We extend the same hand of welcome to the one who comes to look that we do to the one who comes to buy.

CARPET SQUARES, OIL CARPETS and LINOLEUMS, 1, 2, 3 and 4 yards wide in larger quantities and variety than ever, all new.

We are constantly replacing our **DRESS GOODS** with newest effects. **Penman's Pen-Angle Hosiery** and **D. and A. and La Diva Corsets** are exclusively handled by us.

J. W. BECKWITH

Private Sale of Household Furniture and Effects
Mrs. E. A. Bishop who is about to leave Bridgetown for California, offers the whole of her furniture and household effects including an Organ and sewing Machine for sale, privately, in the eastern hall of Mr. Crosskill's house, Granville Street. Bargain prices. 18-31

Small Place For Sale
At Carleton Corner, containing one and one-half acres, and seventy-five fruit trees. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply to J. H. HICKS & SONS, Bridgetown.

Tenders for Church Extension and Repairs
Tenders will be received by the undersigned until August 30th, 1913 for the construction of a class room building, repairs, alterations, painting and the raising of the Baptist Church at Annapolis Royal, N. S.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned at Annapolis Royal, N. S. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
HIRAM R. MCKAY,
Chairman of the Committee

LADIES!
Read this and come quick to get your pick. Twenty-five per cent off all

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
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DON'T MISS THESE
TREMENDOUS BARGAINS
Dearness & Phelan
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FILL UP Your Lunch Basket with PICNIC SUPPLIES
Everything Good and Fresh
CANNED GOODS
Red Clover Salmon, reduced to 20c can
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Succotash 13c per can or 2 cans for 25c
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JELLIES, JAMS and MARMALADE
FRUIT SYRUPS and LIME JUICE
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One carload of
SPRUCE SHINGLES
also
Cedar Shingles and Laths
Everything in
Building Materials

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Factory and Warerooms, - Bridgetown, N. S.

In addition to our usual stock of
FINE GROCERIES
We are offering some
HOLIDAY SPECIALTIES
A substantial discount will be given for 30 days on
CHINA AND GLASSWARE
J. E. LLOYD
Phone 56-3 Granville St.

Farmers' Attention!

We are in a position to handle your Hay and would be glad to have you consult us in reference to the crop of 1913.

We keep in touch with a very large outside demand and will require from present indications 200 carloads before the first day of January 1914.

All of the Hay we buy will be pressed with our power hay press which for the past season has done such excellent work.

We pay spot cash upon receipt of press account. No person is authorized to buy hay on our account.

EDWIN L. FISHER, Manager, Treasurer
BRIDGETOWN HAY & FEED CO, Limited

AUGUST SALE

AT

CLARKE BROS.

Radical reductions in many lines of
**DRY GOODS,
WOMEN'S SHIRT WAISTS,
LACE CURTAINS, WALL PAPER,
WHITE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
CARPET SAMPLES, Etc.**

QUICK SELLING is the order. Let all attend.
Sale begins Friday, August 1st and will continue until
September 15th, 1913

A BIG BUSINESS during April, May, June and July has left us with many broken lines, which we do not want to carry over. We are determined to keep our stock FRESH AND GOOD. We believe it pays. To do this we are occasionally compelled to sell some lines at a loss, but we don't feel badly about it for it enables our friends to secure some excellent bargains. This is the reason for this sale and the motive that prompted the unusual price reductions quoted below.

Wash Dress Goods

The best WASH GOODS opportunity this store ever presented
Cisalpine Suitings Linen, finish wash fabric, self pattern, satin stripe, a splendid wearer. Colors in stock: Navy, Tan, Reseda, Lavender and Pearl Grey.
Regular Price 25c Sale Price 15c

Dress Linens

COLORED POLKA DOT. Colors: Lavender, Rose and Catawba.
Regular Price 25c Sale Price 15c

Balcourt Suitings

MERCERIZED POPLIN WEAVE, a splendid wearer. Colors: Pale Blue, Saxe Blue, Champagne, Tan, Lavender, Grey, Reseda and Cream.
Regular Price 22c Sale Price 18c

Tobralco Suitings

Of all Tub Dress Goods this is **ABSOLUTELY THE BEST.**
Colors: Pale Blue, Champagne, Tan, Lavender, Grey, Reseda and Navy.
Regular Price 35c Sale Price 27c per yd

Colored Cotton Foulard Suitings

Colors: Saxe Blue, Grey, Navy, Black and Royal Blue.
Regular Price 25c Sale Price 17c per yd
Regular Price 37c Sale Price 27c per yd

Marquissettes Plain and Colored

Colors: Pale Blue, Catawba and Lavender.
Regular Price 25c Sale Price 18c per yd
Regular Price 35c Sale Price 27c per yd

Silk Muslins

Colors: Brown, Pale Blue, Nile, Tan, Lavender, Reseda and Saxe Blue.
Regular Price 40c Sale Price 33c per yd

Silk Striped Poplins

Fine, even weave, with silk stripes. Colors: Navy, Pale Blue and White, Cream and Brown, Mustard and White, Tan and Blue, Black and White.
Regular Price 40c Sale Price 33c per yd
Regular Price 56c Sale Price 43c per yd

Dress Muslins

A nice assortment of patterns in floral and striped designs.
Prices: 8c to 25c per yd Sale Price: 20 per cent off

Wool Dress Goods

British Broad Cloths \$1.00 to \$2.00 per yard
British Dress Serges50 to 1.35 "
Wool Poplins50 "
Fancy Worsteds60 to 1.75 "
Venetian Cloths50 to 1.25 "
French Duchess Cloth 1.40 "
Victoria Cloths 1.35 "
Shepherds Checks25 to .75 "

EVERY WEDNESDAY we will give you a special five per cent CASH DISCOUNT on any ALL WOOL DRESS GOODS purchase you make at our store.

Ginghams

We have many nice patterns left in plaids and stripes
Prices 10c to 25c per yard Sale price 10 p. c. off

MAIL ORDERS

Customers who live out of town can order by mail with every assurance of satisfaction. MAIL ORDERS are filled with as much care as though the customer was personally selecting the merchandise. If your purchase amounts to \$10.00 or upwards we will pay the freight to your nearest railway station.

CLARKE BROS., Bear River, N. S.

Bear River

Mr. Gordon Brown was in town on Friday last.

Mrs. Chas. McDormand is improving in health.

Mr. Carl B. Miller returned home from Ottawa on Thursday last.

Misses Thomas and Lothrop returned to Somerville on Saturday.

Mr. Roy Henshaw is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henshaw.

Mr. Conrod Daniel arrived on Saturday to visit his parents, Rev. A. and Mrs. Daniel.

Term Sch. Annie L. Warren is loading lumber by Clarke Bros. for the West Indies.

Mr. Victor Chicoine, Mr. and Miss Partridge, Cambridge, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Croscup.

Mr. Harold Donkin is spending a few days in town renewing old acquaintances.

The new teachers for Oatden School are Misses Hilsley, Jackson, Taylor and MacMurtry.

Dr. Lovitt, assisted by Dr. Christopher of Halifax, performed an operation for appendicitis on Miss Mildred Wentzell on Wednesday last.

The heavy forest fires which were raging last week at Lake LeMerchant are now under control. The fire wardens of Antapopolis and Digby Counties were on the scene with nearly one hundred men fighting the flames.

Rev. Arthur and Mrs. Archibald met with a serious loss on Sunday, the bungalow at Deep Brook having been burned to the ground with nearly all its contents, such as furniture, dishes and clothing. They are returning to Brockton this week, leaving for home two weeks earlier than they expected to.

ALEX GIBSON OF MARYSVILLE, N. B., PASSES AWAY.

Born Ninety-four Years Ago, From Poor Boy Rose to be Captain of Industry.

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 14.—Marysville is today mourning the death of its founder and foremost citizen, Alexander Gibson, New Brunswick's greatest captain of industry, who passed peacefully away at a quarter after six o'clock. The news that his long and useful career had been brought to a close did not come as a surprise, as it has generally been known for some days that the end was near. Yet it was the sole topic of conversation here this morning.

He had been in failing health for the last year, but was able to be about the house until three weeks ago, when he suffered an attack of grippe, with complications. Yes, er, he seemed brighter than usual, but towards morning he had a weak spell. He retained consciousness to the time of his death.

WAS NINETY-FOUR YEARS OLD.

Mr. Gibson celebrated his ninety-fourth birthday on August 1. Besides his two sons and three daughters, there are seven grand-children and forty-three great-grandchildren. One sister, Mrs. Slidennan, resides in Milltown.

Mr. Gibson commenced business in Marysville in 1863, and continued active until three years ago, when he retired on a pension of \$5,000 a year. The Alexander Gibson Railway and Manufacturing Company took over the entire business fourteen years ago. Soon afterwards the cotton mill was disposed of to the Canadian Colored Cotton Company, and in 1904 the Canada Eastern Railway was sold to the Dominion government and became part of the I. C. R. system. The Nashwaak Lumber Company took over the lumber business three years ago, and in June, 1912, it was sold to the Edward Partridge Pulp and Paper Company, the present owners.

For years it was customary for Mr. Gibson to present \$25 to each member of the Marysville choir on Christmas day. He donated free sites for churches to the Baptists and Anglicans.


Mr. Gibson is said to have been the first man to respond to the call for aid from the St. John fire sufferers, he having forwarded a carload of flour as soon as he learned of the terrible disaster.

Mr. W. S. Gonsalus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by all dealers.

The silver production of Canada in 1912 was 31,331,712 ounces, a decrease of 627,334 ounces from 1911. Value increased \$2,078,334.

PILES.

You will find relief in Zam-Buk! It eases the burning, stinging pain, stops bleeding and brings ease. Perseverance, with Zam-Buk, means cure. Why not prove this? All Druggists and Stores—See box.



FOR ALL SUMMER SORES.

HON. MR. SAMUEL SAILS FOR CANADA.

London, Aug. 19.—Postmaster Samuel sails on the "Empress of Britain" on Friday. His visit to Canada is without political significance, though he will discuss postal and cable matters with the Hon. Mr. Pelletier, Canadian Postmaster General. The vessel also carries an exceptionally large body of Canadians returning after English holiday, including Mr. J.A. Allan and family, of Regina; Mr. W. W. Beattie, Montreal; Mr. Fyfe Smith, Vancouver; Archdeacon Grey, of Edmonton; Mr. S. MacTier, Doctor Russell, Mr. R. D. MacNaughton, of Montreal; Mr. W. K. Stewart, Toronto; Senator Thompson and Senator Yeo, of Ottawa.

NEW IMPERIAL APPEAL COURT.

Sir Samuel Griffith, chief justice of Australia, has been offered a seat in the Imperial Court of Appeal. Sir Samuel is already a member of the judicial committee of the Privy Council, but has never sat. His present holiday in England and in fact, is the first he has taken for forty years.

The Lord Chancellor intends introducing a bill next year amalgamating the House of Lords and the Privy Council judicial bodies into one supreme Imperial tribunal. Since leaving the War Office for the wool-sack Lord Haldane has shown capacity for instituting reforms in various directions and has shown more than that the establishment of an effective legal tribunal for the Empire at large, appeals especially to his imagination.

PROMINENT SOUTH AFRICANS COMING HERE

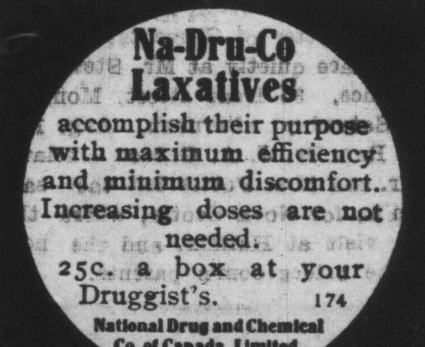
(Daily Telegraph, August 19)

The "Empress of Asia" now reaching the end of her Around the World trip will have completed an interesting voyage on her arrival at Vancouver on the 30th inst., which is the date scheduled for reaching that port. The tour is of special interest inasmuch as it is the first time that any Canadian steamship has ever paid a visit to South Africa and collected passengers for Canadian soil, making a world tour via the C. P. R. The people of South Africa welcomed the visit of the latest creation in ocean travel with open arms. The Empress was given cordial reception. As the vessel approached the harbor at Cape Town hundreds of people assembled on the breakwater. During the stay at Cape Town the passengers were very hospitably entertained by the Mayor and Mayoress, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hands, who held a reception in honor of the visit, and dancing followed. The various golf clubs in the district extended a hearty welcome to golfing enthusiasts while excursions were arranged by the Mountain Club to Table Mountain.

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Na-Dru-Co Laxatives accomplish their purpose with maximum efficiency and minimum discomfort. Increasing doses are not needed. 25c. a box at your Druggist's.

BURIED TREASURE.

Canadian Has Maps and Plans That Mark Huge Fortunes.

Almost any day you may expect to see in the papers a paragraph to the effect that another expedition has been fitted out to go in search of the treasure which is supposed to be hidden in a little island out on the Pacific Ocean.

Four expeditions are already on the way, some of them furnished with the latest mining machinery. The first to start consists only of one man and a lot of picks and shovels. His name is Smoloden, and he hails from Calgary.

He has a map showing where to find the buried wealth. He got it, he says, from a man who got it from a woman who got it from her sister who got it from her husband, now dead, an old sea captain, named Richard Trevan.

Nobody knows exactly where Captain Trevan got his information, but there is in existence another map that is almost certainly authentic. This is the one in possession of Captain Hackett, who sailed from Puget Sound a few weeks ago in the schooner Heeper, bound for Cocos Island with a great amount of hydraulic mining machinery. Captain Hackett's map was drawn by the man who buried one of the treasures.

Cocos was a resting place for pirates in the old days before 1700, when piracy flourished, and the Spanish main was a land of marvellous wealth. There are traditions of hidden wealth captured from Spanish ships and located towns, but nobody seems to know where to find the hiding places. With the modern treasure, however, it is different.

This is in two parts. One part consists of money and bullion and jewels sent from Peru in 1820, and is valued at from \$200,000 to \$10,000,000. Peru was in danger of invasion, and the valuables of Lima, the capital, were entrusted to Captain Thompson, of a merchant brig, the name of which was either Mary Dear or Mary Dyer. According to one story, Captain Thompson turned pirate himself, sailed with the Peruvian treasure to Cocos Island, and there buried his ill-gotten gains in a secret cave. Afterwards he joined forces with the notorious pirate, Benito Bonito, who, for a few years, was as terrible a sea-rover as any of the seventeenth century. But Benito and most of his crew were soon well punished for their sins and Captain Thompson, late of the Mary Dear, or Dyer, was the sole survivor, save one other. In 1844 he made known his identity to a man named Keating, who fitted out an expedition in Newfoundland. Captain Thompson died before the expedition started, but he left a map and exact directions for treasure finding. The expedition went out, and Keating and Captain Bogue of the treasure seekers' ship, landed and viewed the treasure, which they found with the aid of Captain Thompson's map. But there was mutiny on board ship. Keating and the captain tried to escape in a small boat, with all the treasure that they had collected, but the boat was overturned in the surf. The captain was drowned. Keating was picked up by a schooner two days later. His own ship sailed home without any treasure.

Keating died about forty years ago, while he was preparing for another expedition to Cocos. He left his map with his wife, who was then a young woman, and who, twenty-five years or so later, set out in partnership with Captain Hackett on the unsuccessful expedition of 1894. The trouble is that the map points to a part of a rocky cliff over which there has been a land slide, so that the mouth of the cave—if there is a cave—is covered by tons of earth.

Hired Man and His Bank Bills.

As a Winnipeg financial journal points out, the "hired man" plays a part in the tight money situation which few people recognize. The western farmers have been withdrawing money from the banks as fast as they can, to pay their hired men and to defray the various expenses of their harvesting. This money does not go back into the hands of the banks as quickly as money which is paid out in the ordinary way in the east. The hired man rolls this money up, puts it in his pocket and keeps it there until after the harvest is over and he returns to Eastern Canada. When he gets back home he puts it in the bank and it is once more available for general purposes.

This feature adds to the scarceness of money at this time of the year. It is usual to say that the money is required for moving the wheat. This is a general phrase, and means much. The hired man and his "wad" are a feature which simply accentuates the general situation. The hired man commences to return east about November first.

Autos In Western Canada.

A point that strikes the visitor to Western Canada is the great number of motor cars in town and country. There are fully 10,000 motor cars and trucks in the three prairie provinces. Manitoba has 4,150, Saskatchewan is said to have at least 3,000, and some people claim that it has as many as Manitoba. Alberta has fewer than Manitoba or Saskatchewan, but is buying eagerly. The increasing prosperity of farmers has led them to buy many automobiles; some firms state that they sell as many new cars in the country as they do in the cities. Of Manitoba's great number, Winnipeg has 2,350.

The most popular cars in the west are the lighter machines, priced from \$1,000 to \$2,000, but quite a number of heavy cars have been bought.

Big Salmon Shipment.

The first direct shipment of salmon from Prince Rupert, the Grand Trunk Pacific's terminus to Europe, sailed recently via the Crown of Galicia, a Liverpool vessel.

This shipment, consisting of over 5,000 cases, came from the cannery at Nanu, and it is confidently expected that this is but the forerunner of a new and important branch of export trade.

RHEUMATISM KEPT HIM IN BED

Suffered Tortures Until "Fruit-a-lives" Cured Him
 McMILLAN'S CORNER, ONT., SEPT. 30th, 1910
 "Your remedy, 'Fruit-a-lives' is a perfect panacea for Rheumatism. For years, I suffered distressing pain from Sciatica or Sciatic Rheumatism, being laid up several times a year for days at a time. I went to different doctors who told me there was no use doing anything—it would pass away. They gave me mustard plasters and other remedies that did no good. Plasters took no effect on me—except to blister me and make raw spots. I took many advertised remedies without benefit, but fortunately, about two years ago, I got 'Fruit-a-lives' and they cured me.
 Since then, I take 'Fruit-a-lives' occasionally and keep free of pain. I am satisfied 'Fruit-a-lives' cured me of Rheumatism and they will cure anyone who takes them as directed. If this letter would be of value to you, publish it!" JOHN B. McDONALD.
 Indeed, this letter is of value to us and to the thousands of sufferers from Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago and Neuralgia. It points the way to a certain cure. 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50 retail price, 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

FACTS ABOUT CANADA.

Seventeen thousand miles of survey lines were run last year in Western Canada by seventy-six survey parties. The southern boundary of Ontario is in the latitude of Rome, Italy, and Quebec city in that of Bern, Switzerland.
 Canada has the most prolific and extensive sea fisheries in the world.
 The first iron forge in Canada was built at St. Maurice, by the French Government, in 1739.
 There are in the Dominion 1,741 local trade unions with 102,684 members.
 The Marconi system of wireless telegraphing has been installed on all Grand Trunk vessels plying on the Great Lakes.
 The population of Saskatchewan which was only 113 in 1903, was 12,004 when the last census was taken. \$9,995,000 was expended on civic improvements and \$7,640,530 in new buildings last year.
 Annual value of field crops in Quebec is between ninety and a hundred millions; of dairy products twenty-five millions, and of manufactured articles \$320,000,000.
 St. John, New Brunswick, has seventeen banks, which in 1912 cleared \$88,969,218.
 Since 1886 Canada has produced \$238,000,000 in gold.
 566,140,000 letters were mailed in the Dominion last year, an increase of 62,000,000 for the year. In 1868 the number was only 18,000,000.—Daily Telegraph.
 One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

CANADA'S PEAT OF GREAT VALUE.

(Montreal Telegraph, Aug. 19.)
 What peat means to Canada was explained yesterday by Prof. H. C. Thompson, of the Bureau of Plant Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture, who is attending the seventh annual meeting in this city of the American Peat Society. For the benefit of the Telegraph, Prof. Thompson reviewed the question from two points—the importance of peat as fuel and a soil fertilizer.
 As fuel, said the Professor, peat was of immense value to Canada as a substitute for coal. The millions of idle swamp acres through the Dominion can be cultivated for peat, and rich returns made to a country with no coal supply of its own.
 Prof. Thompson pointed to the swamps around Syracuse, New York, which had been cultivated for peat, and whose value had risen from five to fifteen dollars an acre to \$50.
 One of the objects of the society, Prof. Thompson said, was to educate the farmer to the value of swamp land for peat cultivation and the rich harvest to be reaped therefrom.
 As a substitute for fertilizer peat is as invaluable in this respect as it is for fuel. This was explained by the professor as being caused by the substitution of the horse in large cities by automobiles, the fertilizer being lost to the agriculturist.
 Here, again, pointed out Prof. Thompson, peat was a priceless substitute, as it has no equal as an enriching agent for farm lands, and is of especial value for growing truck crops, such as celery, onions and cabbage. Much land under peat cultivation can be raised from \$500 to \$1,000 an acre.
 At the afternoon meeting of the society yesterday, vice-president P. L. Smyth, of the Canadian Society read a paper from President John H. Hoff, of New York, on the utilization of peat in agriculture as a substitute for manure. Mr. Hoff said that the most important problem of the soil tiller is to restore the loss of organic matter which takes place during the course of soil cultivation. To understand this more clearly, the general constituents of the soil must be considered as well as the part they play in fertility. The primal soil materials, from an agricultural viewpoint, are sand, clay, lime and humus and on the relative quantities of these substances in a soil depend its cultured qualities.
 When soil is cultivated, humus or organic matter is the first to be lost by oxidation and aeration. In the course of the slow burning out of the humus, carbonic acid is liberated, which combines with the soil, water and dissolves and removes the lime; fertility declines and the soil sooner or later becomes unproductive, so-called worn out.
 The destruction of the humus is a necessary part of plant food production, and the absence of lime prevents this. It will be seen that the most serious problem in agriculture to maintain the substance in the soil by some method of replacement to make up for the continual loss. The

matter of adding lime is simple and inexpensive, as the quantity required is small and its loss gradual. The application of a ton to the acre every few years is sufficient. Lime, by the way, aids the decay and nitrifying bacteria, or soil-life to break down the humus and liberate plant food.
 The return of organic matter to a soil depleted of this is a more serious matter, and is the subject of much attention. To define humus—the term applied to the decayed organic matter in soil, it is the more or less decayed remains of previous generations of plant animal life, and contains the nitrogen and other plant food elements so essential to vegetable growth.
 It is put back into the soil by ploughing under stubble or green crops, preferably the clovers, which is rather slow method when we consider that an average clover crop ploughed under will return but a few hundred pounds of actual humus to the acre of soil so treated. This brings us to the use of manure of all animals combined with litter.
 In forming the latter method requires animals and that much of the crop be fed on the farm rather than to the market direct. If purchased the quality is variable and uncertain and the extended use of horseless vehicles renders it increasingly difficult to manure.
 What can we substitute in place of ploughed under green crops or manure? In low wet places nature has been making vast compost heaps in the form of peat or muck beds—nature's manure depositor approximately in many instances in quality and kind the humus found in rich fertile soil. When muck or agricultural peat is examined it is found to analyze as high as three to four per cent nitrogen, five to ten per cent lime as carbonate, and to have similar qualities and action in the soil as stable manure with the added advantage of containing ten times as much nitrogen and lime.
 Some twenty members of the Canadian and American peat societies left this morning to visit the large peat works in operation at Alfred, Ontario, and to-morrow the plant at Farnham, Quebec will be visited.

A vast amount of ill health is due to impaired indigestion. When the stomach fails to perform its functions properly the whole system becomes deranged. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets is all you need. They will strengthen your digestion, invigorate your liver, and regulate your bowels, entirely doing away with that miserable feeling due to faulty digestion. Try it. Many others have been permanently cured—why not you? For sale by all dealers.

ONE THING IS CHYAPER.
 (Springfield Union.)
 The price of seats on the New York Stock Exchange has sustained a further drop, the last one sold having brought but \$37,000. Perhaps this is one of the first realizations of the reduced cost of living promised us under the Democratic administration.
 Ask for Minard's and take no other.

Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria.

SAYS WOMEN ARE THE EASIEST PREY OF THE CIGARETTE

Miss Gaston, of Chicago, an Authority, Talks of Feminine Weakness

Chicago, Aug. 12.—That the cigarette habit, once it is started, fastens its grip more strongly on women than on men was the opinion expressed here to-day by Lucy Page Gaston, foe of the "paper pill" and superintendent of the Anti-Cigarette League of America.
 Since Miss Gaston's free clinic for the cure of those addicted to the "makin'" and the "tailor made" was opened a week ago she has been keeping a close record of the average ages of those who appear for treatment and of their sex and station in life. Fully fifteen per cent of those who have asked medical aid either in person or by mail are women, and this, she says, shows that a larger percentage of the fair sex than of men are sorry they started the habit.
 "Maybe it is because women have a weaker will power than men or maybe it is because they are more changeable of mind," said Miss Gaston. "Anyway, I am surprised at the large number of women who have written me heart-rending letters asking for the slightest encouragement, that they might be able to sever the bonds which hold them slaves to the cigarette habit. And the appeals I get are not from the lower classes of women but from those of intelligence."

"One woman whose husband is a prominent Canadian, possessor of a title, and who moves in the most exclusive society, has written for the cure. She contracted the habit unknown to her husband. I was astonished to find that some of the women have been using cigarettes for twenty years. This is remarkable, considering the fact that the habit among women in society is a fad of practically recent origin.
 "Actresses seem to be in the majority of women patients. Some reported that they wanted to quit because smoking was impairing their singing and speaking voices. Married women also seem to be in the majority of those who apply for treatment. One of the most pitiful appeals was from a young married woman who said that the cigarette habit had almost disrupted her home.
 "This is not a crusade for the messenger boy. It is being conducted in the interests of rich and poor alike, and many prominent business men have brought their sons to us with tears in their eyes. The average age of those who come for treatment is twenty-four years. The oldest who applied was a man of fifty and the youngest a boy of four. The women range from seventeen to forty years of age.
 "I have promised not to disclose the names of those who come to us, but Dr. D. H. Hess, in charge of the clinic, keeps a close record of the pulse, blood pressure, heart action and history of all cases that come to him.
 "In the fall I shall open clinics in other cities and shall start a crusade in the colleges. They are the hotbed of the cigarette habit. Manufacturers of cigarettes have admitted that their sales are proportionally large in college towns and professors have compiled statistics showing the injury which the habit inflicts upon students. Many a boy smokes his first cigarette in college because the home influence is lacking. If we can reach the college students we can put the cigarette out of business—and we are going to reach them."
 Miss Gaston administers the treatment through Dr. D. H. Hess, who is connected with the society, and as enthusiastic as she.
 The treatment consists of a solution of one-eighth of one per cent of silver nitrate used as a mouth wash and a dietary program. The mouth wash is used after meals for the first two or three days. If the patient smokes during this treatment he becomes nauseated.
 The clinic was closed to-day, but on Saturday afternoon scores took advantage of the half holiday to visit the headquarters of the league. Patients who have found the treatment successful have started a sort of endless chain by pledging their friends to take the cure. Yesterday a whole family attended, a father, three sons, a daughter and two grandchildren. One prominent business man who was cured in three days sent over two hundred young men from offices in the Loop district.
 Dr. Hess declares that the silver nitrate solution which he gives as a mouth wash is not so important to a permanent cure as the patient's will power and a special diet. This diet consists of fruits for the first three days and a light vegetable diet for a week, together with a few cereals and milk. Coffee, tea, highly seasoned and spiced foods and meats in large quantities are to be avoided.
 A large majority of the patients have agreed to attend the "get together" dinner to be held on Monday, August 18, at which all will tell their experiences. A number of women will be among those to testify to the benefits of the treatment.
 Plans are being made for treating over two hundred patients daily this week.

Joker's Corner

Waiter—"And how did you find the beef, sir?"
 Customer—"Oh, I moved a potato, and there it was."

A woman, dirty and disheveled went into a public dispensary with her right arm bruised and bleeding. As the surgeon applied the necessary remedies he asked: "Dog bite you?"
 "No, sorr," the patient replied, "another loidy."

"Hush! There are burglars in the pantry eating those pies I made this afternoon!"
 "All right, I'll look after them."
 "Oh, George, you are never going to attack them!"
 "Certainly not. I'm going to take them a bottle of painkiller."

An Irishman brought before a magistrate on a charge of vagrancy was thus questioned: "What trade are you?"
 "Shure, now, yer honor, an' I'm a sailor." You a seafaring man, I question whether you were ever at sea in your life.
 "Shure, now, an' des your honor think I came over from Ireland in a wagin?" retorted the Irishman.

At the bedside of a patient who was a noted humorist, five doctors were in consultation as to the best means of producing a perspiration.
 The sick man overheard the discussion, and after listening for a few moments, he turned his head toward the group and whispered with a dry chuckle: "Just send in your bills, gentlemen; that will bring it at once."

During the Presidential campaign the question of woman suffrage was much discussed among the women pro and con, and at an afternoon tea the conversation turned that way between the women guests.
 "Are you a woman suffragist?" asked the one who was most interested.
 "Indeed I am not," replied the other most emphatically.
 "Oh, that's bad, but just supposing you were, whom would you support in the present campaign?"
 "The same man I have always supported, of course," was the apt reply—"my husband."

A STORY OF LIPTON
 It requires a lot of courage and charity to be a philanthropist, said Sir Thomas Lipton once. "I remember when I was just starting in business. I was very poor, and making every sacrifice to enlarge my little shop. My only assistant was a boy of fourteen, faithful, willing and honest. One day I heard him complaining, and with justice, that his clothes were so shabby that he was ashamed to go to any place of worship on Sunday.
 "There's no chance of me getting a new one this year" he told me. "Dad's out of work, and it takes all my wages to pay the rent."
 "I thought the matter over, and took a sovereign from my carefully hoarded savings and bought the boy a stout, warm suit of blue cloth. He was so grateful that I felt repaid for my sacrifice. But the next day he didn't come to work. I met his mother in the street and asked her the reason."
 "Why, Mr. Lipton," she said, curtly, "Jimmie looks so respectable, thanks to you; sir, that I thought I would send him round town to-day to see if he couldn't get a better job."
 WHAT A JOKE COST
 A schoolboy of Harrow was walking one day in the fields when he observed a portly farmer on horseback, who was in a little difficulty because he could not easily open a gate. The boy ran to the man's assistance.
 "Thank you!" said the farmer. Would you mind telling me your name.
 The boy thought he saw an opportunity for a joke.
 "Green," he replied, giving the first common name which came into his head.
 "What is your father?"
 "A cheesemonger in London. He has a small shop in Theobald's road." This was a wholly fictitious reply.
 "You are a good sort of chap," said the farmer, "and I shall not forget you."
 He left the lad chuckling over the "sell." But his love for romancing had cost him a fortune! Years afterward advertisements appeared in the newspapers for a young man named "Green" whose father had at some time kept a cheesemonger's shop in Theobald's road, and to whom a big legacy was devised in recognition of a service rendered at Harrow.
 As this published clue to identity was entirely false, the money, of course could never be claimed.

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are not caused by anything wrong in the head, but by constipation, biliousness and indigestion. Headache powders or tablets may deaden, but cannot cure them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills do cure sick headache in the sensible way by removing the constipation or sick stomach which caused them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are purely vegetable, free from any harmful drug, safe and sure. When you feel the headache coming take

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SHIP'S RUDDER WITH A DOORWAY.

The new Cunard liner "Aquitania," which is about the same size as the "Imperator," is provided with a novel feature in her balanced rudder. This consists of a doorway leading to the interior of the rudder, which is of sufficient size to admit workmen at any time it should become necessary to remove the pin which connects the rudder to the ship. According to the Shipping World, this pin is four feet in length and is larger than the heaviest projectile made for modern artillery.—Scientific American

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11.32	Lv. Middleton A.R.	16.00
11.58	* Clarence	15.32
12.15	Bridgetown	15.14
12.43	* Granville Centre	14.51
12.59	Granville Ferry	14.36
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Clementsvale

Clementsvale, Aug. 25.—A. L. Danielson and little daughter Phylis left last Friday for a two weeks' trip to Boston.

Miss Etta Long is visiting friends at Lake LaRose.

Mrs. I. DeArmond of Cambridge, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Maynard Brown.

Thaddeus Freeman and daughter of Caledonia, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dukeshire.

M. V. Potter and bride of Montreal are visiting Mr. Potter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Potter.

Fred Long recently spent a pleasant vacation among friends at Elmsdale, Hants County.

Miss Edie Potter is teaching the present year at Meadowvale, and Miss Mary Potter at Clementsport.

Messrs. Corey Long, Maynard Brown, Geo. Long and Zenas Sanford were among those who left for the West on the excursion.

Schools have opened with Miss Vera Eaton of Granville Centre, as principal, and Miss Ruby Wood, Annapolis, as primary teacher.

Mrs. Sophie Snyder of Beverly, Mass., has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Alen Chute. Mr. and Mrs. Owen of Portland, Maine, are guests at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Long of Deep Brook entertained a large number of their relatives and friends from here last Thursday afternoon at a picnic and clam bake. The day was ideal for an outing and the clam good and all report a happy time.

A Sunday school and church picnic was held last week at Lake Katie. Large teams conveyed the people to the grounds about four miles distant. Games, races, a short song service and a good and bountiful supper made up a most enjoyable afternoon.

Port Lorne

Port Lorne, Aug. 25.—Mrs. E. C. Hall and family, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Branton, returned to her home in Bridgetown today.

Mrs. George Snow of Hampton, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young of Melrose, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. John Robinson of Bloomington, is visiting Mrs. Ernest Ray.

Our school opened today with Miss McKay of Shubenacadie as teacher.

Misses Viola and Lillian Whitman visited friends at Round Hill last week.

Mr. Freeman Johnson of Aylesford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Johnson last week.

Mrs. Harry Dearborn of Cliftondale, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Phineas Banks.

Mr. Wyman Farnsworth and Mr. Harry Foster of Hampton, were calling on friends on Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Charlton, Torbrook, is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Neaves.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Grant—Mr. Nowlin, Mrs. Charles Nowan of Wolfville, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. John Grant of Massachusetts.

Our Sunday School picnic took place on Wednesday last, at the home of Mrs. Morse. The St. Croix school and several from Arlington met with us and the day was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Hillsburn

Hillsburn, Aug. 25.—Mr. Blossie, of Acadia College, who has been preaching here during his vacation, intends to preach his farewell sermon in the Hillsburn church on Aug. 31, at 7.30.

Miss Mildred Longmire of St. John is visiting friends here.

Miss Grace Coates entertained the young people on Monday.

Miss Olive Young of Parker's Cove is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John H. Longmire.

The work on the Anderson Cove wharf has begun under the supervision of Mr. Geo. Kays.

Masters Lewis and Kenneth Wade, who have been visiting friends here, have returned to their home at Digby.

Master Seth Orde, who has been visiting his grandfather, Mr. Jas. Halliday, has returned to his home at Stony Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turner and daughter Elizabeth, and Mr. Charles Milberry of Litchfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Longmire.

The Sch. Myrtle L., commanded by Capt. A. W. Longmire, took a company of people to Digby to attend the fishermen's regatta. Mr. Harold Halliday also took a party in his motor boat.

Granville Ferry

Granville Ferry, Aug. 25.—Mr. Wm. Pickup is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. W. Pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrews returned to Boston, Friday.

Mr. George Hardy arrived home from Trout's Cove.

Mrs. Randall is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Troop.

Mrs. C. Lamb and children arrived home from Boston, Friday.

Mr. James Hutchinson is visiting friends in Granville Centre.

Capt. and Mrs. E. Berry are visiting friends in Clementsport.

Archdeacon Martell and Mrs. Martell are guests at the Rectory.

Mr. Herbert Rhodes and Miss Bryden are visiting friends in Berwick.

A large number took advantage of the excursion to Digby, Regatta Day, Aug. 19.

Miss Edith Hutchinson of Boston, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Ambermat.

Mr. B. Dolan, who has been the guest of Mrs. George Hardy, returned to Boston, Monday.

Mr. Walter Troop and Capt. S. Mills were successful in catching eighty-eight bass last week.

Miss Queto, who has been the guest of Capt. and Mrs. C. W. Crosscup the past week, returned home, Saturday.

Ronald Dummer, who has been the guest of Capt. and Mrs. C. W. Crosscup, returned to St. John, Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Hutchinson, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rhodes, returned to Boston on Thursday.

Miss Blanche Patton returned home from the Island, Friday, where she has been a guest at Mr. F. Harris' camp.

Wilfrid Davis left for Parker's Cove on Monday to take charge of the school. We wish him much success in his work.

Ernest Boyce, who has been the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Rupert Eaton, returned to Boston on Thursday.

Mr. Charles Withers, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutchinson and niece were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ambermat last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cameron, who have been visiting Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hall, returned to Boston on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rounds and son Charles, and Miss M. Drabble, who have been boarding with Mrs. George Hardy, returned to Boston, Monday.

Mrs. Alice Flinn, daughter Sylvia, and niece Miss Alice Burke, of Boston, who have been guests of Mrs. J. Wagstaff, went to Berwick Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Sprawl and Mrs. W. H. Weatherspoon and Mrs. A. T. Mills returned from Windsor on Friday, where they have been the guests of Mrs. Weatherspoon's daughter, Mrs. J. I. Curry.

Belleisle

Belleisle, Aug. 25.—Mrs. John K. Winchester of Karsdale, was the guest of Mrs. M. O. Wade during the week end.

Mrs. A. W. D. Parker who has been visiting friends at Bridgewater the past few weeks, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Walker and Miss Margery Hale of Digby, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dodge during the past week, returned on Monday.

On Friday afternoon of last week Belleisle received its first serious baptism of fire. At the hour of noon fire was discovered burning on the roof of the stable of Archie L. Bent. A stiff breeze was blowing at the time, and the long continued drought had made everything so dry the flames soon made rapid progress before being controlled. The stable and shop were soon in ashes. The burning shingles, carried on by the wind soon had the shop, woodhouse and all the out-buildings of Mr. Frank Bent in flames. The next in the path of the "merciless master" was the stable, cooper shop and out-buildings of Mr. Clifford Bent, all in a few moments, being reduced to ashes. The heat was so intense, and only passage ways between the dwellings and the buildings on fire, superhuman efforts were made to save the homes, which, facing and fighting fire, men and women worked heroically together for over three hours until they got it under control. Mr. A. L. Bent lost his gasoline engine, turning lathe and tools, band saw, etc. Mr. F. F. Bent lost all his summer and next winter's wood, all six or seven tons of his best upland hay, express wagon, sleigh and pump, harnesses, all his cooper tools, hoops, etc. He was the heaviest loser, he had only \$100 insurance. Had the wind been northwest over half of Belleisle would have been wiped out.

Tupperville.

Tupperville, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Wilson of Boston, is visiting her sisters, Miss Mary Bent and Mrs. H. Tupper.

Miss Daniels of Paradise, will teach here this term.

Capt. Gesmer called at our wharf and took in some early apples for St. John.

Mrs. John MacLean, Bridgetown, and Mrs. Musso of Lynn, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. James this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nixon from Nictaux, made a call on friends here on their way to Clementsvalle to visit their sister, Mrs. Curtis.

The Sunday School of this place held a picnic last week at the ground of Mr. H. Simpson of Round Hill. There was a large attendance.

Paradise

Paradise, Aug. 25.—Pastor McNitch went to Toronto on Monday to attend the Canadian National Exhibition.

Mr. F. W. Bishop went to Quebec on Friday in the interests of the United Fruit Companies.

Mr. Albert Potter of Clementsvalle, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milledge Daniels last week.

Mrs. E. W. Schlucher and Miss Schlucher of Cochranton, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Joudrie.

In the absence of the pastor next Sunday, Rev. J. H. Balcom will preach in the United Baptist church.

Gordon Longley was successful in obtaining a C certificate. The average aggregate made by the four successful applicants for C was 436.

Our school re-opened on Monday with Mr. Roy Balcom, B.A., as principal, and Miss Jessie Bowly teacher in the primary department.

Miss Hilda Longley will teach at Deep Brook, Miss Gladys Daniels at Tupperville, and Mr. Reginald Longley at Freeport, the ensuing year.

Mrs. N. W. Chapin of Springfield, Mass., Mrs. A. E. Leonard and Mrs. H. A. Longley of Paradise were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Gilliat, Granville Centre, last week.

A number of the members of Regina Division went to Port Lorne on Wednesday morning for their annual picnic, returning by moonlight. They all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Clark returned to Shirley, Mass., Saturday.

Mrs. D. F. Starratt and Miss Heisa Pearson have returned from Port Lorne.

Miss Annie Jackson, who successfully taught for three years in the primary department of our school, will teach at Nictaux Falls the ensuing year. We wish her continued success in her field of labor.

The "Willing Workers" held an ice cream social on the lawn of Deacon J. S. Longley on Thursday afternoon. It was a success both socially and financially. The primary class in the Sunday School were present, and given a sumptuous treat by their teacher, Miss Minetta Longley.

Hotel arrivals—E. A. Lods, Truro, B. Davis, Bridgetown; C. S. Henderson, Windsor; B. Turner, Halifax; A. Kelsall, Wilmet; Allan G. Dugan, Mrs. James Todd, Miss Margaret Todd, Bridgetown; J. Morgan, St. John; Mrs. Sophia Venables, Miss Lina Saunders, Halifax; G. J. Archibald, Upper Steviacke; I. J. Whitman, Torbrook; Joseph LeBlanc, Margaree, C. B.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Creelman, Connecticut.

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(Signed) W. S. PINEO,
"Woodlands," Middleton, N. S.

Parker's Cove

Parker's Cove, Aug. 25.—School reopened today, Monday, the 25th, with Mr. Wilfrid Davis as teacher. We wish the pupils and teacher success in their duties.

Mrs. Francis Reid is quite ill at time of writing.

Mr. Joseph Rice was home a few days with his family last week.

Mrs. William Hudson of Boston, is visiting her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clayton on the birth of a daughter on Aug. 12.

The weather of late has been very dry and the gardens and all crops need rain very badly.

Mr. Robert Bent of Lynn, after an absence of about sixteen years, called on some of his friends here last week.

Sch. Ethel May, Capt. R. E. Hudson, sailed for St. John the 26th, with freight, and will return with a load of merchandise.

Mrs. Lawrence Willett, son and daughter, of Belleisle, were guests of Mrs. Willett's sister, Mrs. Mary Rice, on Sunday.

Quite a number of the young people from here attended the Regatta at Digby and enjoyed the outing very much.

Mrs. George Hardy and family of Granville Ferry, and Mr. Bernard Dolan of Boston, called on Mr. and Mrs. David Minor on Aug. 20.

There was a pie social held on the grounds of Mr. David Milner, and the sum of \$11.50 was realized and handed to Mr. Blossie to aid him in his Christian work.

Mrs. Minnie Publicover and daughter Thelma returned to their home in Kentville on Saturday. They have been guests of Mr. Publicover's sister, Mrs. Jos. Rice, the last month.

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