

# The Weekly Monitor

THE WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE IS THE SUPREME LAW.  
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## THE IDEAL LIFE.

It is said that the late President Harper of Chicago University that he left no estate, only his life insurance policy.

This fact—if we may consider it to be a fact accurately reported—has the greater significance because President Harper had been for years the almoner of the enormous contributions of the richest man in the world in aid of his schemes of education. He directed the expenditure which has created a great university and laid out the lines of its development with such sagacity as to give promise that it will become in the near future one of the world's centres of learning.

The same wise energy employed in another direction, the same skill and foresight in administration, would have made President Harper a rich man. Was his life a failure because he died poor? Is the attainment of the pinnacle of wealth on which Mr. Rockefeller stands a more fortunate outcome, even for the individual, than that of the endeavors of President Harper?

The ideal of a successful life is in danger of deterioration here in America, and such an example of true success in living cannot be too widely proclaimed or too carefully cherished. The acquisition of wealth is a proper ambition. Without this incentive material progress would lag and individual energy would be enervated. But wealth is not the ultimate goal of endeavor, and those who make it such fall short of the highest possibilities of their nature.

The concentration of wealth in comparatively few hands has grown apace during the lifetime of the generation now holding the stage in this country. Half a century ago, there were only

twenty-eight millionaires in the city of New York; only ten in Philadelphia. Today, they number over 2000 in the former city, over 200 in Philadelphia. Five thousand families in the United States are possessed of wealth aggregating fifteen billion dollars.

On the other side of the shield, there are more than 4,000,000 families or nearly one-third of the nation, living on incomes of less than \$400 each; more than one-half the families get less than \$200 a year, and two-thirds get less than \$100.

The wise use of wealth gives enjoyment to its possessor. As President Eliot said in a recent address, "It enables a man to do good or harm, to give joy or pain, and places him in a position to be feared or looked up to. There is pleasure in the satisfaction of directing such a power, and the greater the character the greater may be the satisfaction."

Nevertheless an approach to the ideal of life is more readily attained by the man who is unincumbered by excessive wealth; and in this fact lies the compensation for the lack. It is as true today as when the great Founder of Christianity proclaimed it, that a camel may pass through the eye of the needle more easily than the very rich man may enter the Kingdom of God.

The encouragement which we have in these days is found in the fact that idealism is spreading and becoming practical. In spite of what pessimists may say, the possession of great wealth is not considered the ultimate end of life. The spirit of altruism is pervading all sections of society, and while the millionaires are not yet in sight, who shall say that the glow of its dawn is not already lighting the hilltops?

## WISDOM.

Longfellow could take a worthless sheet of paper, write upon it and make it worth \$50,000.—"That is Genius."

Rockefeller can sign his name to a piece of paper and make it worth millions.—"That is Capital."

Uncle Sam can take an ounce of gold, stamp an eagle upon it and make it worth \$20.—"That is Money."

A mechanic can take material worth \$5 and make it into an article worth \$50.—"That is Skill."

A woman can purchase a 60-cent hat but prefer one that cost \$27; her husband says—"That is Foolishness."

Merchants buy articles at \$7 cents and sell them for \$1.—"That is Business."

Some members write about one letter every five weeks.—"That is Laziness."

Other members write every week.—"That is the kind we want."

## JUDGMENT.

Common Colds are the Cause of Many Serious Diseases.

Physicians who have gained a national reputation, as analysts of the cause of various diseases, claim that if catching cold could be avoided a long list of dangerous ailments would never be heard of. Every one knows that pneumonia and consumption originate from a cold, and chronic catarrh, bronchitis, and all throat and lung trouble are aggravated and rendered more serious by each fresh attack. Do not risk your life or take chances when you have a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it before disease develops. This remedy contains no opium, morphine or other harmful drug and has thirty years of reputation back of it, gained by its cures under every condition. For sale by S. N. Wear.

An exchange says: "1905 was a peculiar year in some respects. It began on Sunday and ended on Sunday, and had fifty-three of these hallowdays. There were also five Sundays each in the months of January, April, July, October and December."

Yes, 1905 was peculiar in the respects mentioned. The like has not happened before since 1859 and will not happen again till 1911. It will occur fourteen times in the course of the century. It occurred fifteen times during the last century.

But 1906 is also "a peculiar year in some respects." It began on Monday and will end on Monday and will have fifty-three of these washing days. There will also be five Mondays each in the months of January, April, July, October and December.

DON'T BE DISAPPOINTED.—You won't be if you use Kendrick's Liniment. There is nothing like Kendrick's for Lameness, Swelling, Rheumatism, Throat and Lung, and as a general household remedy.

## Westward Ho!

(By a Bridgetown lady.)

Westward bound! The day was warm and bright save at intervals a shadow crossed the face of the sun, ominous of a coming storm. There was a scent of early flowers in the air. The belated spring had at last awakened from her slumbers to clothe the earth in garments of beauty and adorn herself with garlands woven by invisible hands.

Swiftly the iron horse sped on down the beautiful valley between miles of blossoming trees, along the green velvety marshes with here and there glimpses of the shining river flowing outward to the bay beyond. Through this same valley fifty years ago the old coach with its relays of horses, lumbered and jolted its slow way, resting its tired, shaggy occupants at intervals along the weary journey.

The ride down the valley, through the blossoming orchards, too quickly ended, brings me to my way across the turbulent Fundy. "Just a little swell, nothing to speak of," some one says encouragingly—but not belonging to the class that go "down to the sea in ships." I have the "horribles." Glad when the three hours' journey is ended—glad to be rested and cared for.

The sun was shining in a blaze of molten gold behind the western hills when I settled myself in the outgoing train for the all night journey to Montreal, where I arrived when the day was young, and the sun had climbed but a little way on its daily journey.

Montreal—Island city of old historic story—some of it told in bronze in the city's square. The wily Indian, chief of his tribe, ceding his rights to the dominant "pale face," neither of them conscious of the issues prominent in the simple deed. City of splendid churches, of great educational institutions, of vast commercial activities, of wealth and culture, and all the eloquence and refinement of twentieth century prosperity, crowned with its royal mountain from the summit of which one may behold the city and all the glory thereof. Mount Royal, the pleasure ground of the city, with beautiful drives and walks, sheltered by majestic trees, shady nooks, tables where one may be served with cooling drinks and the inimitable accompaniment of a hot chocolate.

Standing at the base of the steep incline with the little car swinging like a speck at the top or rushing swiftly down, a sudden fear seizes one, but groups of people and laughing children emerge from the car, you certainly seated before your fears are nurtured, find yourself at the top.

Conspicuous from all points, as if watching over the city, stands the statue of Canada's great statesman, Sir John A. Macdonald, behind him the building and offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which has given cause for the little pleasure-trip—that is the first time he ever turned his back on the C. P. R.

In the heart of the city stands McGill University, its fine buildings, beautiful grounds, majestic trees—the pride of the city—its splendid educational facilities attracting to itself annually scores of students. On the square at the corner of McGill stands the students annually decorate with wreaths and flowers on the anniversary of her death, as a loving tribute to her memory.

But around no building in the city, not in the Dominion, is associated so many of the thrilling events, episodes, and social life of its history, as that of the Chateau de Ramsay. Built in 1708 when the banner of Louis XIV. floated over the city, by Charles de Ramsay, then governor of Montreal, it was a hall of entertainment for many illustrious people before the distant fur fields of the famous Hudson's Bay Company, councils of war with the Indians—to one and all the doors of this hospitable mansion were opened. After the death of the Baron coming at last into the hands of the British government, it became the residence of the governors of Montreal, but is now the property of the city for an historical portrait gallery and museum.

In it are found old historical paintings dating as far back as 1640, French barons, one of whom selected the site of Port Royal; also one of Sir Fenwick Williams, hero of Kings born in Annapolis in 1801, paintings, relics, antiquities of interest which

would cover pages even to enumerate. I entered the beautiful cathedral of Notre Dame softly, silently, for all about groups of worshippers were kneeling in prayer before the many shrines, many others sitting with bowed heads in silent meditation. The "dim religious light" from the pictured windows fell softly on the sculptured forms of prophet and apostle, and touched gently the lovely face of the Madonna bearing in her arms the Holy Child. From the lofty ceiling the figures in the masterpieces of the old painters seemed bending to meet my gaze. A priest from some hidden shrine flitted ghost-like across the church and was gone. A woman, old and poorly clad, entered one of the doors and kneeling before the sacred shrine breathed a silent prayer, then with trembling, shaking hands, placed with tender care at the feet of the pictured mother of God, a bunch of lovely English violets, their sweet perfume like incense, wafted far and wide.

In the dim light it almost seemed as if the loving look of the Virgin bent to smile upon the worshipper. Another whispered prayer, a fond imploring look, and with weak tottering footsteps, she passed and was gone. Did the Divine Son look down with tender pity and touching with his loving hand the poor blinded eyes send to her poor loving heart the message of peace?

Suddenly a shaft of light as of burnished gold from the setting sun, without, gleamed through the beautiful windows and threw its radiance across the high altar palling the light of the candles burning at its base seeming to starve into life the sculptured forms and brighten the faces of the kneeling worshippers—then quickly died out, leaving dim, veiled shadows in the gathering darkness, that deepened and gathered about me, and I went softly out into the light of the fading day and was glad.

(To be continued.)

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box 25c.

Had Four Wives in a Gilded Cage.  
Paris, Jan. 27.—It is had enough for a man to have four wives in a city like Paris, but when this man goes insane in the house where his wives are living it has a tendency to complicate matters.

The incident was brought to light by a scene proceeding from a house where a young Moroccan named Mohammed ben Ferns had been living. A number of people broke into the house and were amazed at the extraordinary spectacle within. In a corner of a room stood a large gilded cage in which four women were caged in terror, while the Moroccan leaped around the room uttering shouts of fury, and threatening the women with a large semitar. Ferns, it appears, during his mad spells was in the habit of locking the women in the cage during his absences from town. At the time that an entrance had been forced to the house he had suddenly grown worse and was accusing the women of infidelity and threatening to murder them one-by-one. He was taken to an asylum.

The Nova Scotia "Lumber King" says: "I consider MINARD'S LINIMENT the BEST Liniment in use. If I get my foot badly jammed lately, I bathed it well with MINARD'S LINIMENT and it was as well as ever next day."

Yours very truly,  
T. G. McMULLEN.

The Western Chronicle of Kentville says: "The lack of snow is becoming a serious matter, especially for the lumbermen in Nova Scotia. In places where the lumber is near the river on which it is to be driven or where portable mills are taken into the woods the question is not so great, though even in the latter case how to get the lumber out over rough roads may be quite a problem. In some parts of the province large numbers of men have been sent out and that lumbering is practically suspended waiting for snow."

## PUBLIC OPINION.

(Atlanta Journal.)

Work does not kill. Work is medicine to the body and mind and spirit. Work is the salvation of man. Work cures a thousand ills. Worry kills. Dissipation kills. Worry is largely a matter of nerves or indigestion or liver. Or it may be a quality of temperament, or it may spring from envy or some other hateful habit of thought. In many cases worry is concerning things purely imaginary—things that cannot be helped. One of the best cures for the worry habit is work, hard work of body and mind. Work requires concentration of effort and mind. That makes one forget his troubles. Work may be made a joy. And in the joy of working there is no room for worry. Right living, right

thinking, work—these are specific foes of the ills caused by worry. Dissipation kills. And dissipation is many-sided. Excessive use of liquor, gambling, carousing are not the only ways in which one may dissipate. One may dissipate in eating as well as in drinking. Or in loss of sleep. Or in any form of self-indulgence. Or in a foolish worry that weakens. And not only so. The man who does not read and inform himself about what the world is doing, the man who does not form the habit of solid thinking, dissipates. And the man who neglects to take physical exercise, or to practice deep breathing, dissipates. And dissipation of whatever sort kills. The sedit that requires man to earn his bread by the sweat of his brow is a blessing and not a curse.

Girl's Wife for Mammy.

Paris, Jan. 27.—A famous medical professor and antiquarian, whose name is withheld by the police, is in jail on a charge of having killed his own mammy of a kind. Pressure is brought to keep the matter quiet, but the state's attorney is bound to prosecute and thus the whole matter will eventually become public.

The professor boarded in his study an ebony casket containing an Egyptian mummy of great historical value. He claimed that it represented the remains of a famous Egyptian king's daughter, the only one of a dynasty that perished many thousand years ago. The professor's family and particularly his servants were forbidden to go within ten feet of the casket, and the professor himself mopped up the dust collecting on it with a specially constructed pair of bellows.

Some time ago a green servant girl was engaged in the professor's home and the professor himself instructed her to rest, but Eugenie was of so curious a nature that, a few days ago, when alone in the study, she not only went to the casket and viewed it from the outside, but pried it open. Seeing a black man all done up in silks and satins, Eugenie attempted to handle the strange doll and—under her un-schooled fingers it collapsed like a card house and fell into dust.

Eugenie was terribly frightened, but told her mistress, who promised to pacify the doctor. The latter heard but sent for Eugenie to hear the story from her own lips. When she had finished he pulled a revolver out of his pocket and shot the girl dead.

He pleads excitement, temporary insanity, etc., but the circumstances point to deliberate murder, and there are many who think it would be a good thing to guillotine the professor as a warning to other holders of life of the poor at a low estimate.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

BEST SOIL FOR APPLE TREES.

Soil best suited to apple-growing is a clay loam with a subsoil capable of holding a good supply of moisture during the entire growing season. However, the fruit is found to do well on almost any good, strong soil that is properly drained either by Nature or artificially. If the black soil of our country is low and inclined to be of that character which is called mucky, it is quite certain that it would not be well suited for fruit trees, says the Farmer's Guide. A general rule in regard to the proper soil for fruit is found in the common saying that land that will produce a good crop of wheat if it is high enough will grow a good apple orchard. High ground is generally the most satisfactory for an orchard site, even though the soil should not be quite as good as valley land, for the reason that better atmospheric drainage, as it is called, is afforded. A better circulation of air is offered on the hill top, and fungus diseases are not apt to be so troublesome as upon a lower level. Another advantage of relatively high ground is that there is less danger to be feared from late and early frosts. In the selection of varieties we would always suggest those that have been found to do the best in the immediate locality in which the new orchard is to be set. These may be determined by a little investigation.

Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and may be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm two or three times a day and rubbing the parts vigorously at each application. If this does not afford relief, bind on a piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to follow. For sale by S. N. Wear.

A despatch from New York says: J. B. King & Co. have let contracts to the Busloe Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co., at Port Richmond, S. I., for two tugs, to be duplicates of the wrecked tug, Oryzun King, vessels to be launched in nine months and to cost about \$130,000 each.

## MARINE NEWS.

The Allans during this season will have their boats enter the harbor of North Sydney, transfer mails there which will be sent to Montreal by rail, and thence proceed to Quebec. They are going to build two boats of the Virginian type.

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 1.—The schooner Telephone, 47 days out from Figueria, bound for St. John's, ran ashore at daylight Monday at Cape St. Mary's, near Cape Race, during a dense fog. The vessel is a total wreck. The crew after sixteen hours in the rigging, constructed a raft, and contrived to reach shore. While suffering intensely from cold and hunger they were compelled to walk many miles to reach a human habitation. News of the disaster was only received today.

The steamer Nanna was loaded at Parraboro, on Saturday last in six hours; with 1450 tons of coal. The steamer arrived on Saturday afternoon and sailed early Sunday morning. This is a record for that port.

The schooner Matilda, which was made famous by surviving the heavy gale which swept the Cape Breton Coast last November, met her fate a few nights ago, when she sank at Louisburg wharf, where her owners had docked her for the winter. No one appeared to know how the accident occurred.

Halifax, Jan. 31.—A cable received here today from Buenos Ayres states that the Nova Scotia sealing schooner Enterprise, Capt. Gilbert, with outfit and cargo, had been totally destroyed by fire. The vessel left Halifax last October and had just returned to port from the South American sealing grounds with a part catch. The vessel registered 88 tons and was owned by Captain Clark, of Maitland, Hants Co., N. S.

Key West, Fla., Jan. 27.—Captain Staples, of steamer Concho, from Galveston for New York, reports passing yesterday, lat. 25.17, lon. 85.09, the wreck of what appeared to be a new vessel, about 100 feet long, bottom painted brown, with wood showing through; no barnacles; gulf floating alongside; very dangerous.

A despatch from Halifax says: Captain Connors and crew of the schooner Searchlight abandoned last month, arrived here last Thursday on the R. C. Manchester Trader. The Searchlight was a three masted schooner belonging to St. John's and was from Oporto, November 11th for Newfoundland. She sprung a leak and the captain and crew were taken off by a steamer and landed at San Jose, Costa Rica, on Dec. 21st. From there they were sent by steamer to England and thence to Halifax en route for St. John's.



## Our Lawrence town Page

N. B.—It is the wish of the MONITOR that the people in town and vicinity would hand in any items of news, or other matter, that would interest readers of this page, to our correspondent, S. C. Hall.

The MONITOR is on sale each week at the Lawrence town Post-office. Subscriptions may be sent direct to the office or left at the post-office with Postmaster James.

Don't forget the supper at the Methodist church tonight.

Mrs. H. H. Whitman has been spending a few days at Middleton.

There will be service in the Episcopal church Sunday next at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Jopas, of Clementsport, was the guest of her son, W. V. Jopas last week.

W. H. Phinney and Geo. A. Clarke, who have been ill, remain about the same.

Skating is being indulged in by the young people the past few days and evenings.

Miss L. Safford was baptized and received into the Baptist church last Sabbath.

Mrs. W. E. Palfrey will be "at home" to her lady friends tomorrow afternoon.

J. A. Brown is doing the wood work and Ingram Whitman the mason work of E. G. Palfrey's house.

The writer visited the iron mines at Torbrook last week. The shaft on the Wheelock property is down two hundred and fifteen feet having branched off some 60 feet. They have not as yet found any ore, the whole distance being through solid rock.

January report Street Lighting committee.

Jan. 1—Cash on hand, .....	\$21.52
6—Cash collected debate, .....	2.51
15—Cash collected debate, .....	1.63
22—Cash collected debate, .....	36
	\$26.02

Paid Out.	
L. E. Brown for lighting lamps	\$3.00
Oil, .....	2.40
Gloves and wicks, .....	2.18
	\$7.58

Feb. 1, 1906, balance on hand \$18.35

On the first day of February, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Marshall, of West Chatham, were very pleasantly surprised, the occasion being the forty-eighth anniversary of their marriage. Only the immediate relatives were present. During the course of the evening Mr. Arthur Marshall, in a few appropriate words, presented Mr. and Mrs. Marshall with a very handsome hall mirror, in behalf of their children. A pleasant evening was spent and refreshments were served.

### PARADISE.

The Paradise Literary Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Young on the evening of the 12th inst. The following programme was given:

Roll Call—Responded to by quotations from Shakespeare.

Music—Miss Mary Phinney.

Paper—Life and Works of Shakespeare—Mrs. F. W. Bishop.

Music—Miss Mabel Longley.

Paper—Synopsis of As You Like It—Miss Clara Daniels.

Music—Vocal Solo—Mr. H. A. Longley.

Paper—Hamlet—Miss I. M. Fash.

Refreshments served by host and hostess.

Vocal Solo—Miss Rowena Morse.

Merchant of Venice—Mr. R. S. Leonard.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Pearson.

Remarks—Mr. H. A. Longley.

Reading—Miss Daniels.

Vocal Solo—Mr. Arthur Phinney.

The society will meet on the evening of the 20th inst., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Longley, and on the evening of March 12th at the home of Mrs. J. M. Longley.

Mr. Bent, of Boston, has been visiting at "Edison" the home of Mrs. L. S. Marshall.

The sum of \$23 in cash and \$9 in produce was received at the donation held last Wednesday evening for the benefit of Rev. J. H. Balcom and family.

### PARADISE WEST.

Mrs. B. Saunders entertained a few friends on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morie were at home to a number of friends on Saturday evening last.

Harry Starratt has returned from Toronto where he has been taking a course in the Military College.

Mrs. A. W. Daniels was at home to a number of friends on Tuesday evening.

The B. G. Club will be at home to their gentlemen friends on Wednesday evening at the home of Misses Ethel and Lotie Swadlow.

## The Jar of Coughing

Hammer blows, steadily applied, break the hardest rock. Coughing, day after day, jars and tears the throat and lungs until the healthy tissues give way. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops the coughing, and heals the sore membranes.

"I always have Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, and it has saved me many times from a severe cold. I have used it many times, and it has always cured me. Mrs. Mary O'Connell, Toronto, N. Y."

Made by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Solely for the purpose of curing Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, and all other ailments of the throat and lungs.

Relieves, constipation, retards recovery. Cures those with Ayer's Pills.

### HILLSBURN.

Lack of snow makes it bad for our folk to get their hauling done, the little flurry last week was improved as long as it lasted.

Mrs. Sylvanus Wade is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William H. Halliday. Her son, Leonard, of Springfield, and two daughters, Mrs. Longmire, of Bridgetown, and Mrs. Chipman, of Chipman's Corner, Kings County, were summoned to her bedside last week.

Pastor Blackadar attended the ministerial conference at Paradise the 5th and 6th inst.

Frank Mills has been laid up for two weeks in his lumber camp with mumps, and two of his teamsters have the same disease. Mr. Mills finds it very difficult to get his logs to the mill on account of so little snow. Mr. Rowter's mill that does his sawing has been shut down three weeks to give them a chance to get more logs hauled in.

Whooping cough has been prevalent all winter, but has about subsided now and nat-lever has set in, and women are dyeing all around. The scarcity of snow don't seem to have affected it a little bit. Rags, Rags.

### MT. HANLEY.

Rev. Mr. Smith from St. John's, Nfld., preached in the Baptist church in the morning and evening.

Miss Edith Hayes, of Boston, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hayes, for a few weeks. Mrs. Laura Brown, of Port George, and Mrs. Amis Chute, from Berwick, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Harvey Heniger last week.

Frank Balsor, of Outram, was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Millidge Slocomb, on Sunday last.

Millidge Best sold his farm to Rupert Durling the first of the year. Mr. B. has moved to Farmington where he has purchased a farm. Mr. D. and his aunt, Mrs. Emma Marjesson has moved on his farm.

John Slocomb had the misfortune to get his horse's leg broke while driving down the road. His horse stepped on a rolling stone.

Miss Eva Banks has been visiting friends in Middleton for the last two weeks.

Miss Lena S. Chute, of Phinney Cove, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. M. Armstrong one day last week.

### OUTRAM.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Messenger, of Arlington was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Black Marshall one day recently.

Anthony Slocomb of Mt. Hanley was the guest of James Slocomb a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hall, of St. Croix, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Healey one day last week.

Service for Sunday, Havelock 11 a. m.

Percy Balsor, of Middleton, was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Balsor a few days ago.

Mrs. Obediah Slocomb of Mt. Hanley has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, the past week.

Simon O'Neil, who has been spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Marshall, of Berwick, has returned home.

Ralph O'Neil, who has been spending a week with friends in St. Croix and Hampton, has returned home.

Miss Ellen Fortane is very ill at times, writing, Dr. Fritzsche in attendance.

There has been a substantial progress during the year in every field of activity in Nova Scotia, yet the largest liabilities in the history of the province, amounting to slightly in excess of two millions and a half. The number is 115, as compared with 183 last year. The large amount of liabilities is due to the failure of the Bank of Yarmouth, with liabilities of \$600,000. The coal mining output is about five million tons, equal to that of last year. The fishery catch was also on record. Great progress was made in the iron and steel industries and all other manufacturing. All predictions of bankers and business men are that 1906 will be a banner year.

### Gay Fashions of the Past.

Dandies of Past Centuries Would Make Solomon Look Bad.

Compared with the gay apparel worn by the dandies of the past ages, the youths of our time in the gayest of gay raiment make but a poor show.

The bishop of Ely in the 14th century had a change of raiment for every day in the year. The Earl of Northumberland boasted no less than sixty doth of gold suits at this time.

In Queen Mary's time, the wardrobe of a bishop must have been the envy of Solomon for the variety and ostentatiousness of its contents; and even a simple village priest wore "a vestment of crimson satin, a treatment of crimson velvet, a stole and canon set with pearls, gowned spaced with taffetas, etc."

In the time of Chaucer the men wore clothes as many colored as Joseph's coat, so that, while one leg would be a blaze of crimson the other would be tricked out in green, blue or yellow, without any regard for harmony or contrast.

Even as late as the middle of the 18th century a dandy would dress himself in a vivid green coat, a waistcoat of scarlet, yellow breeches and blue stockings.

And the gentleman of a few years later wore, among other vagaries, a coat of light green with sleeves too small for the arms and buttons too big for the sleeves, a pair of fine Manchester breeches, without money in their pockets; clocked silk stockings; a club of hair behind larger than the head which carried it; a hat not larger than a sixpence.

It was a common thing in the early part of the 18th century for a man of fashion to spend several hours daily in the hands of his valet. Among the many operations which took up this time was "the starching of the beard and the proper perfuming of the garments, the painting of the face and anointing with oils, tinctures, essences and pomatums."—New York Herald.

### HORSES APPRECIATE LIGHT.

The statement that three-fourths of our horse stables are insufficiently lighted is not exaggerated. The testimony of veterinarians, the large number of cases of ophthalmia reported, and our own observations, bear it out. It is unfortunate for the welfare of horseflesh that all stables have not a southern or eastern exposure, then there would be more probability of sunlight finding its way into them. In an effort to make stables comfortable, by preventing draughts through wind-downs, slitting, these have, in too many cases, been omitted altogether, and the eyesight of the horse is not only suffering for want of light, but the disinfecting power of sunlight and its health-giving, life-renewing effects are lost. Horses and other classes of stock as well, can endure exceedingly low temperatures, provided the air is pure, the surroundings dry, and they are not deprived of sunlight. Without sufficient light, the stable becomes damp, disease lurks, and the appetites of the animals fail. The sun is the source of all vegetable and animal life. It should not be excluded, so let it in, and intensely it by the liberal use of whitewash or white paint.

That wise old Italian, Poggio, told a fable of a man, his son and an ass, the moral of which was that it is useless to try to please everybody. The man was riding along the road on the ass, his son dutifully trailing along beside him. Along came Mr. Wiseman number one. "Are you not ashamed of yourself to ride while the poor boy walks?" he exclaimed. So the man got down and put his son up in his stead. Then Mr. Wiseman number two remarked: "That is a mighty poor way to bring up a boy, letting him ride while his father walks." So the man got up with his son. Then Mr. Wiseman number three batted in and shouted: "I'll tell John P. Healey and have you punished for cruelty to animals. Get off that ass, you are better able to carry the ass than he is to carry you." So the man and his son got down and procuring a fence rail they tied the ass's feet together, slung him over the rail which they shouldered and proceeded to follow their latest advisor and carry the ass. Then everybody laughed at them, which so exasperated the man that when he came to a stream he dumped the ass in and they continued their journey on foot. The public was satisfied and nobody suffered but the ass.

This fable must surely appeal forcibly to every man who ever tried to run a newspaper. It is funny how every man you meet can tell you just what to do with your paper to make it just right, and how every man who offers advice tells you to do just the opposite of what the other fellow tells you and finally you discover that the chap whose advice is really worth having is the one who won't give you any at all.

Not that advice is not a good thing to listen to but it is not always a good thing to follow, and the man who tries to follow everybody's advice eventually falls himself in the position of Poggio's man, on his ass.

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For carload of Cornmeal and Cracked Corn to arrive in a few days. Prices lower than any offered for spot cash at the car.

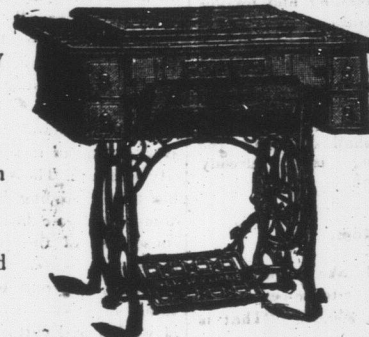
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### TENDERS

Tenders marked "Lawrencetown Water System Extension" will be received by the Lawrencetown Water Commissioners at the office of their clerk, until noon, Thursday the 6th day of March, 1906. For the laying of about 3000 feet of main pipe line.

Tenders are at liberty to name amount for laying or for complete job including the furnishing of all stock required.

Plans and specifications to be seen at Clerk's office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By Order, H. H. WHITMAN, Clerk.

Lawrencetown, Feb. 12, 1906.

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**Agricultural Department**

**The Farmers' Meeting.**

Mr. Editor—Having been requested to give a short report of the business done at the farmers' parliament, I will try to make it as brief as possible.

Truro is a beautiful town of about 6,000 inhabitants, in the midst of a farming community with well laid out streets, beautiful shade trees and large public buildings, among the number being the Normal School Building. It was there we met to transact the year's business of the Farmers' Association.

We arrived in Truro about eight o'clock in the evening, and after partaking of our evening meal, proceeded on our way to the hall where the farmers' parliament was in session.

The first business was the reading of the president's address, which was full of praise and encouragement for the farmers of this province, showing the difference in prices now and ten years ago, which is nearly double; also showing the way farmers have advanced in tilling the soil, and throwing out some valuable hints where we might improve in the future. Professor Frank Chute then gave an admirable address on the Economic Maintenance of Soil Fertility, which was full of sound argument along the line of tilling the soil and keeping the farm up to a high standard of cultivation.

The convention met on Tuesday morning at 9.30. The directors' report was then read, following on the same line of thought as the president's address, ending with a resolution to do away with the fairs' show at the Halifax Exhibition, which would be a disgrace to an African village. Resolution carried by large majority.

Another feature of the address was to get a better and quicker service on the railways in regard to carrying stock and fruit to the exhibition grounds. The secretary's financial statement was then received and carried, which leaves the association on a good foundation with a balance on hand of \$190. At the afternoon session addresses were given by the different delegates throughout the province. All the addresses were of an optimistic character, and showed the speakers to be enthusiastic for the advancement of farming.

J. P. Saundry gave an address on "How to Produce Eggs in Winter," which was full of interest, showing that of all the farm stock, there was none paid better than the hen if properly handled. Different gentlemen spoke on the raising of poultry and the present high prices, leaving the Plymouth Rock at the head of the list.

Messrs. Fielding and Patterson, of the Tariff Commission, entered the hall and all arose and sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." They were addressed by different committees appointed for the occasion.

E. J. Elliott, of Paradise, asked that the duty be kept on fruit, to protect the farmer. S. J. Moore, of Shubenacadie asked that the duty be lowered on farm implements. C. O. Grighton, of Pictou, asked that the duty be taken off fertilizers, corn meal, oil and cereals.

Mr. Patterson then addressed the meeting. He is a very eloquent speaker. He believed that any government would agree that the farmers were the backbone of the country, and said the farmers need have no fear, that while they could not promise everything would be carried out, he thought the fertilizer question would be considered.

William Rennie, the great seedman, was called upon and gave an admirable address on the selection of seeds, and how a farmer could test the different kinds of seeds. He instanced one case where he had grown 1960 pounds of squash seed from one acre. He argued that a farmer must have system in these days to make money.

Wednesday morning the association proceeded to the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, F. M. Chipman, Niagara; Vice-President, Howard Black, of Amherst; Directors, E. J. Elliott, Clarence; S. A. Cook, of Yarmouth; A. McLeod, Loch Lomond; Andrew McPherson, Cumberland; Wm. Vinton, Antigonish; Exhibition Commissioners, J. E. Wyman, Yarmouth; D. Logan, Hants.

The afternoon session was held in the grounds of the Experimental Farm. The agricultural hall was crowded to hear Professor Shutt speak on feeding and how to feed, which was very instructive, and listened to with profound attention. In the pavilion there was a parade of live stock of different kinds. The cows were the finest I have ever seen, one Holstein making 22 pounds of butter in seven days, and a Jersey making 173 pounds of butter in the same time. Professors Cummings and Fuller explained all the good points of the stock, and answered any question that was asked with pleasure, showing they were well up in the business.

One of the best things we saw while there was in the hot house where Professor Sears was at work with

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his pupils. Pear trees in bloom, and pear trees with quite large pears on, and apple and plum trees in bloom. Some of the students were grafting and some pruning, the same as in summer. Professor Sears was very pleased to see us, and answered any question that came within his line of work.

At the evening session, after some brief speeches from different ones on different methods of farming, the Farmers' Association came to a close by singing God Save the King, and all went home feeling glad they lived in the land of the maple leaf.

Now, Mr. Editor, I have tried to make this report as brief as possible, considering the many things I saw and heard. Before I close I would like to say that I have tried to keep in touch through the press, with all the good the Farmers' Association has done, and all the benefits that may be derived from the experimental farm, and agricultural college by the farmers of this province, and I am compelled to say, the hall has never been held, and would advise all the farmers' sons of Bear River, to take a course in some one or all of the branches taught on the Experimental Farm.

Yours,  
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**Bacon Hog Production.**

If the bacon trade of Canada is to continue to improve it is necessary that hog raisers adjust to the requirements of the British market.

In the production of hogs of the land type Canada cannot compete successfully with the United States. A visit to the Chicago Stock Yards and to western cattle feeding centres afforded ample evidence of this. A large proportion of the cattle are fed on mangled or shelled corn. Herded with these are hogs that thrive and fatten on the indigestible corn left by the steers. These hogs constituting a by-product of cattle feeding are produced at a cost much lower than pork can be raised in Canada. All United

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States hogs are not fed in this way, but a large proportion of them have at least the advantage of cheap corn, than which there is no better feed for Let the Canadian farmer go back to the thick, fat type of hog, as some talk of doing, because they feel they have a grievance with the packer, and it will not be long before the price of Canadian bacon will have fallen to a level with the United States product which is usually from ten to fifteen shillings per hundred and twelve pounds lower than the quotations for Canadian "Wiltshire" sides.

It seems to be very generally supposed that pork is more cheaply and easily produced from hogs of the thick short American breeds than from the three English breeds which are favored for bacon production. Why such a belief should be so general is difficult to understand as repeated tests conducted at various experiment stations have shown that hogs of the Yorkshire, Berkshire and Tanworth breeds produce pork as cheaply as those of the Poland China, the Chester White or the Duroc Jersey breeds. In the opinion of Prof. Day, of the Ontario Agricultural College, who is foremost among authorities on bacon production, the lusty, growly pig of the bacon type is the most economical pork-maker we have, especially when reared, as bacon hogs should be, largely on such foods as roots, soiling crops and dairy offal.

There is much difference of opinion regarding the cost at which hogs fit for market can be produced, and there is probably as much difference between the cost to one feeder and the cost to another as between these opinions. Under general conditions the production costs in the neighborhood of five dollars per hundred pounds on an average. In summer under favorable conditions the cost may be somewhat lessened, but in winter pork can hardly be produced at the figure mentioned. As in all other lines of production the cost will vary according to the character of the animals fed and the amount of intelligence exercised by the feeder.

Taking one year with another the Canadian farmer on good land who understands crop growing and hog raising, can undoubtedly raise hogs as cheaply as the figures quoted, and probably for less. He will keep only such sows as produce large lusty litters of the right type. He will grow up his pasture and soiling crops, as clover, alfalfa, rape, vetches, mangels, sugar beets and such coarse grains as yield the greatest number of pounds of hog feed per acre. In other words he will manage his operations in such a way that will return him the greatest return in hogs per acre of land, and in so doing will learn to reduce the cost of raising hogs of the best type to a minimum.

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 WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14th, 1906.

**The Town Council.**

The first meeting of the new town council was held yesterday afternoon opening at 3 o'clock. There were present: Councillors Harlow, Longmire, DeWitt, Foster and Calder. The new councillors, Messrs. Longmire and Calder were duly sworn in by the Mayor.

The following telegram was read: Yarmouth, N. S., Feb. 12, 1906. Chairman of Police, Bridgetown, N. S.

Can furnish you with a first-class man. Can furnish very best of references. See Harry Moody. JOHN H. COOK, Chief of Police.

Ex-Councillor Lockett addressed the council saying he had been in correspondence with Chief Cook and at his suggestion he had sent a young man—Mr. Durling, who was present.

Councillor Calder asked what position the town was in at present in respect to the present policeman. We had better not make a mistake.

It was agreed among the councillors that the present policeman had resigned. The mayor asked Mr. Milner for his opinion, and Mr. Milner said it would be better for all concerned to give Mr. Greenham thirty days' notice.

Mr. Durling was called on and explained that since October he had been on night duty from 6 to 6. He explained how the beats in Yarmouth were arranged. The police there had a rather rough element to deal with.

Owing to a disagreement with another officer and the smallness of the salary he had decided to resign from the Yarmouth force.

The mayor—if the council appointed you what salary would you expect. The town has no need of a day policeman—no more than a hen has of a peck.

Councillor Chute having arrived, was duly sworn. Mr. Durling went on to say that in Yarmouth there were many sailors to deal with and there was also quite a criminal class.

Councillor DeWitt said there was nothing at night except to watch for danger of fire, etc. In response to a question Mr. Durling stated that he was not married, and one of the councillors remarked that that could be easily remedied.

Mr. Durling said that he thought the salary paid the present incumbent rather small. It was only about \$10 more than that paid in Yarmouth, where it was \$450 with an allowance of \$20 for clothing.

It was agreed among the councillors that the treasury law and curfew law required more attention than almost anything else.

Councillor Longmire suggested that instead of an all-night officer that the hours be to two o'clock. The mayor—Could we understand that you would assume the duties of the present officer, subject to a change in hours, for the same salary—that is \$450.

Mr. Durling thought that \$500 would be the best he could do. Councillor Harlow thought it was possible to secure a man for \$450. He thought Mr. Durling would be a good man, but he did not think it was necessary to pay more than \$450.

Councillor Longmire—\$20 more or less is nothing. Councillor Chute thought it better to hire this man (Durling) at \$480 for a year and increase it to \$500 afterwards.

Councillor Longmire was appointed a committee to see Mr. Greenham in reference to his resignation. Councillor Longmire said he would like to hear from Mr. Durling that he would accept the job at \$480 for a period.

Mr. Durling said the trouble in the town seemed to be that the salaries paid were too small. Councillor DeWitt moved that the services of Mr. Durling be accepted at \$500 per year, to do the same duties as the present officer, subject to a termination at a month's notice.

Councillor Calder spoke of the many small things a policeman could do. For instance, last week teams of all kinds used the sidewalks, sidewalks are encumbered with boxes. He asked "Can this town afford to increase the policeman's wages?"

Councillor DeWitt's motion was seconded by Councillor Foster. Councillor Calder moved in amendment that the matter be left in the hands of the police committee. The amendment was seconded by Councillor Harlow.

The vote on the amendment passed, Councillors Calder, Harlow, Longmire and Chute voting in favor. The vote, however, did not end the discussion which continued for some time afterwards. His Worship taking a prominent part. He again called on

Mr. Durling to ask him if he would accept \$480. Mr. Durling accepted the \$480 provided that after six months service, if he was found satisfactory, that the salary be increased to \$500.

Another motion that Mr. Durling's offer be accepted, was passed. The mayor nominated the following committees which were appointed.

**NEW COMMITTEES.**

Police and Licenses—Councillors Longmire, DeWitt and Chute. Poor, Insane and Public Health—Councillors Harlow, DeWitt and Calder.

Streets, Lights and Public Property—Councillors Calder, Chute, DeWitt and Longmire. Finance and Tenders—Councillors Harlow, Foster and DeWitt.

Water and Sewers—Councillors DeWitt, Harlow and Longmire. Sewer Construction—Councillors Longmire, Foster and Chute.

Joint Expenditures—Councillors Calder, Longmire and Harlow. Revisors of Jury Lists—Councillors Foster and Harlow, and the town clerk.

Board of School Commissioners—The Mayor and Councillors Longmire and Foster. Assessment Appeal Court—Councillors Calder, Harlow and Chute.

The mayor read a communication from O. T. Daniels, solicitor for Jas. Price Pigott, giving notice that an action would be entered against the town claiming \$1000 damages for injuries received while working for the town.

The matter was left in the hands of the recorder. **TOWN OFFICERS.**

The following officers were appointed: Medical Officer—Dr. M. E. Armstrong. Presiding Officer—Harry Ruggles.

Police Clerk—Walter White. Town Assessors—L. D. Shafer, A. C. Charlton, W. E. Reed. Fire Wards—R. Allen Crowe, Joseph I. Foster, W. A. Craig.

Fire Constables—Karl Freeman, N. E. Chute, E. C. Hall. Weighers and Measurers—Karl Freeman, John H. Longmire.

Wood and Lumber Surveyors—John Hill, Avarad Beeler, T. G. Mack, Peter Nicholson. Fence Viewers—Samuel Pratt, Murray Chute.

Barrel Inspectors—Avarad Beeler, John Longmire. Log Surveyors—T. G. Mack, J. W. Peters. Pound Keepers—Murray Chute, Major Slocumb.

Deputy Stipendiary Magistrate—Fred R. Fay. Presiding Councillor—Councillor Foster. Councillor Calder drew attention to the fact that the policeman must watch the waste of water.

The mayor said the collection of taxes was outrageous. Prominent citizens had allowed them to run into arrears. After considerable discussion the clerk was authorized to issue warrants for the collection of all overdue taxes at once.

The following bills were read: John Lockett & Son, \$18.00. Mrs. Ed. Shafer, 3.50. The latter was ordered to be paid, but the former was held over for further information.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

The family of the late Mrs. Charles Hall wish, through the Monitor, to thank their many friends who so kindly assisted them during their recent bereavement.

Persons who adulterate food in Germany are liable to six months' imprisonment and a fine of fifteen hundred marks.

Over thirty articles are to be found in the February issue of the Busy Man's Magazine, beginning with a capital sketch of Hon. W. S. Fielding by H. E. Gadsby. Among the other readable contents are "How Men Get Rich Now," "The First Self-Made Man in America," "The Future of Electricity," by Thos. A. Edison; "The Menace of 'Bismarck's Fortunes,'" "The Greatest Detective Agency in the World," "Nurses, Stenographers and Matrimony," "The Best Remedy for Weary Brains," "The Durable Satisfaction of Life," "Reciprocity in Men," These articles have been gleaned from dozens of current magazines and represent the very essence of their contents.

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 IT'S A GOOD THING—RUB IT IN  
 Cures Pain from whatever cause, Inevitable in cases of Croup, Coughs, Colds and all throat and lung troubles.  
 Price, 25 cents a bottle.  
 For sale by all dealers.

**GEORGE S. DAVIES**

We have still on hand about 100 yards CARPET—"Donation," "Majest Leaf," "Karats," "Star," &c. All Wool and Union.

Also Carpet Squares and Bagg. Liberal discount on all Men's Winter Underswear, and strictly winter goods.

**MEN'S PANTS**  
 \$1.90, \$1.85, \$1.65, \$1.25  
 Just a few left of these extra good

**Cotton Blankets AND Flannellette Nightgowns. OUR SPRING GOODS**  
 Are beginning to arrive.  
**PRINTS, GINGHAMS, LACES, RIBBONS, Etc.**

**AUCTION**

To be sold at Public Auction on the premises of Jas. L. Dodge, on Saturday, February 14th,

at one o'clock, the following property:

- 1 Horse, weight 1200 lbs.
- 1 Horse, weight 1400 lbs.
- 1 Mare in foal, barrister, Jr., 1150.
- 1 Horse Colt, 7 months old, sire Quay.
- 1 Cow, due to freshen April.
- 1 Heifer, due to freshen June.
- Farm implements of various kinds; also household property.

Sale positive as subscriber is going to northwest. Terms—All sums up to \$5 cash, above that amount, nine months, six per cent with approved security. N. E. CHUTE, Auctioneer.

**Programme of the Y. M. C. A. Concert, February 26.**

- 1. Pianoforte duet—Flick et Flock "Ketterer"—Mrs. A. B. Bishop and Miss Nettie Bishop
- 2. Solo—The Letter Song—Ballad from Rip Van Winkle, Miss Ida Bishop
- 3. Reading—Mr. Travers' First Hunt—H. H. Duff—Mrs. Harlow
- 4. Solo with violin obligato—Selected—Miss L. Hutchinson and Mr. Denton
- 5. Duet—I Sing Because I Love to Sing—Pianist—Mrs. MacDonald and Mrs. Ruggles

Intermission. Sale of home made candy. Mrs. A. R. Bishop and Miss N. Bishop 2. Solo—Selected—Mrs. R. W. Elliott 3. Reading—"His Own Obituary"—(By request)—Anonymus

- 4. Solo—Selected—Mr. Warren
- 5. Duet—See the Pale Moon—(Campa)—Mrs. Ruggles and Mrs. MacDonald
- 6. Tableaux—Britannia. God Save the King.

**Property Transfers.**

Tyler John, to O. S. Miller, property in Inglewood. Hamilton R. C. & Co., to J. L. DeVany, property at Annapolis. Elliott Thomas A., et al to Frank R. Elliott, property at Gates Mountain.

Fraser Glasgow, to Edwin Lent, property at Upper Clements. Lent Edwin, to Kenneth Lent, property at Upper Clements. Trimmer, Thomas H., to Alice I. Daniels, property at Clements.

Walker Bessie, to James O. Walker, property at Carleton's Corner. Rufus John, to J. E. Shafer, property at Lawrencetown. Sprout Emma, to M. & V. B. railway, property at Clarence.

Woodworth, C. L., to Ernest T. Nelly, property at Bridgelynn. Nelly, Ernest T., to Avarad W. Bisteen, property at Brooklyn. Bisteen Avarad W. to Ralph O'Neil, property at Mt. Rose.

DeVany John to Thomas DeVany, property at Balhousie. Rufus Julia, to Fred Bath, property at Bridgetown. Gillist William B. (absent deed) to Ida E. Chute, property at Virginia.

**Are Good Looks Valuable?**  
 If nature had her way every complexion would be clear and delightful. But many allow their blood to become weak—hence pimples, yellow skin, dark circles under the eyes. To have a beautiful complexion use Ferreroze regularly. It brings a rich ruddy glow to the cheeks, nourishes the blood and thereby destroys humors and pimples. For beauty, health and good spirits use Ferreroze. Your appearance will be hundred fold. Fifty cents buys a box of fifty chocolate-coated Ferreroze tablets—Don't put off—get Ferreroze today.

We are now opening numbers of cases of **STAPLE GOODS** for the early Spring sewing Amongst which are 200 pieces of **PRINTS** of the choicest Patterns and Values. : :  
**J. W. BECKWITH.**

**HOUSE FOR SALE.**  
 That new modern Cottage, situate on Washington Street, containing 8 rooms, exclusive of the hall, porch and pantry. Thoroughly built. Bath room, furnace and electric lights. For particulars apply to J. H. HICKS & SONS, Bridgetown.

**Hats Trimmed Free**  
 On Friday and Saturday, if Hats and Trimmings are purchased at our Store.  
**Miss Annie Chute**

**Bed-room Furniture.**  
 We believe we have the best value in BED-ROOM SUITES ever offered by any furniture dealer, and would invite inspection of the lines we are showing this week.  
**J. Harry Hicks, BRIDGETOWN.**

**IS YOUR CLOCK OR WATCH OUT OF ORDER?**  
 If so send it to DYKES where it will be made to run and keep good time.  
**Wanted—Old Gold in exchange for cash or trade.**  
**CHAS. F. DYKE.**

**Farm for Sale**  
 Situated at Centerville, Annapolis county, consisting of 90 acres of tillage, orchard, hay and pasture land, has a good house and out buildings; also a wood lot 16 rods wide running from foot of mountain to base line; the farm can be bought at a bargain; also seven acres of marsh to any purchaser that would want more hay land.  
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**J. H. Hicks & Son**  
 QUEEN STREET, BRIDGETOWN.  
**HYMENEAL LOCKHART-RICE.**  
 A very pretty wedding took place last week at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Rice, when N. J. Lockhart, barrister, of Sydney, was united in marriage with Miss Mabel C. Saunders, of Wallville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. W. Schuman, of North Sydney. The rooms were tastefully decorated with flowers and palms and after receiving the congratulations of friends a dainty collation was served. With the good wishes of their many friends, the happy couple left for a trip through the upper provinces. Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart will later take up their residence in Winnipeg, where the former will continue the practice of his profession.



**Local and Special News.**

The minstrel concert by the Yarmouth boys on Monday night was much enjoyed.

The Baptist sewing circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Beeler tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Rev. Father McKinnon of the Annapolis parish held services in St. Alphonsus's church, Bridgetown, last Sunday.

The ice crop is being harvested. It is only seven inches in thickness, but is said to be better in quality than quantity.

Lieut. Miller, of the Salvation Army who was called to Toronto by the illness of his mother and sister, has been relieved by Lieut. Stairs.

A cable despatch says that the last cargo of apples shipped by the St. John City brought the following prices: Baldwin, 17 and 18c; Spies, 18 and 20c; Golden Russets, 19 and 22c; Nonpareils, 19 and 20c.

Our weekly sermon is omitted this issue. A Middleton clergyman was invited to contribute it this week, but some unforeseen delay must have occurred. Next week the sermon of Rev. A. J. Macdonald will be published.

The Monitor is indebted to Mrs. H. E. Gillis, of Calgary, Alta., for a copy of The Daily Herald wheat edition, published in that city. It is very nicely printed on a good quality of book paper and contains many half-tone pictures.

The first meeting of the new town council was long-drawn out and somewhat tedious. A little more "git-up-and-git" about the business, and a little less explanations and apologies for every matter coming up would expedite matters.

"Church Work," the organ of the Church of England in the Maritime Provinces, has been purchased by a new company. Rev. C. W. Vernon, of North Sydney, has been appointed managing editor, and the paper will be published in that town.

Now that the new committees of the town council have been appointed, how would it do for the chairmen to call regular meetings to transact the town's business in proper and legal form, instead of discussing important matters on street corners and in private offices.

The annual meeting of the school board was held yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Jost was re-elected chairman. The new members of the board, Councillors J. I. Foster and W. B. Longmire, the appointees of the council, and Dr. M. E. Armstrong, the appointee of the local government were sworn in. The estimates for the present year amount to \$2,450—the same as last.

J. W. Beckwith met with a driving accident last week which resulted in serious injuries. He was on his way to the power house of his electric light plant during the evening, when in turning the corner into the lane his carriage came against an obstruction and capsized, throwing him to the ground. Although severely hurt, he pluckily kept on his journey, after receiving some assistance from James Dodge, but after fulfilling the purpose which took him to the power house he found himself suffering too much to return home. A doctor was sent for who found two ribs broken and other minor injuries. The shock had such an effect as to make him quite ill, and he was not able to return home until Monday, having in the meantime, remained in the home of the light keeper.

**The Local Markets.**

Bridgetown, February 14.

The continued mild weather is having its effect on the local market. Butter and eggs are still declining, the latter having dropped three cents during the week. Cheese still remains pretty well up and there is no sign of weakening. A drop is threatened in molasses and by the end of the month that commodity will be considerably cheaper. Today's quotations are:

Butter	18c. to 20c.
Eggs	15c.
Honey	18c.
Cheese, wholesale	13 1/2c.
Cheese, retail	15c.
Potatoes, per bushel	45c.
Turnips, per bushel	25c.
Carrots, per bushel	45c.
Parsnips, per bushel	60c.
No fresh pork is coming forward just now, in fact about the only kind of meat on the market is beef. There are very few changes to note.	
In feeds cornmeal has again dropped five cents. Hay is remarkably cheap for the season of the year. This week's prices are:	
Cornmeal	\$1.40
Hay, (pressed)	10.00
Hay, (bulk)	8.00
Oats, per bushel	50c.
Brass	1.15
Middlings	\$1.35
Cottonseed Meal	1.65
Flour (feed)	1.90
Flour (Royal Household)	5.75
Other Manitoba Brands	5.75
Flour Ontario	4.75

**Business Locals**

Ice Cream constantly on hand at H. E. Brown's.

Treacle Molasses, new lot just received at J. E. Lloyd's.

Ben Ami cleans all surfaces; polishes all metals, wears out neither.—At J. E. Lloyd's.

LOST—On Monday evening on or about Washington street, a Persian lambs' gambler glove. Finder will please at Wears's drugg store.

PARM FOR SALE—Good buildings, good orchard, good hay farm; half mile from Bridgetown. Also Smith farm for sale or rent, St. Croix Cove, THOMAS BOSTER.

New lot of visiting cards just in. We purchased a large quantity and offer them, printed, in packages of fifty, for 35 cents. Sent by mail anywhere. The Monitor office, Bridgetown.

**SATURDAY IS GROCERY DAY AT CHESELEY'S**—Starch, 7 cts. pound; Pumpkin, 8 cts. can; Nutmegs, 4 cts. ounce; Corn Beef, 12 cts. can; Coffee, 25 cts. pound; Ginger, 6 cts. package.

A bargain in Lamps for the balance of February.

Four Lamps, regular price \$1.45, reduced price 99c.

Five Lamps, regular price \$1.60, reduced price \$1.29.

Also a large reduction on higher priced Lamps.—At Chesley's.

**Last Night's Debate.**

At the Y. M. C. A. debating club last evening the subject of Women's Suffrage was vigorously discussed for two and a half hours. Rev. Dr. Jost, O. S. Miller, G. W. Shipton, Dr. Armstrong, W. H. Burns, E. A. Craig, Rev. Mr. Macdonald and F. R. Fay speaking in favor of the franchise being extended to the ladies. J. F. McDonald, J. Ervin, M. A. Otterson, W. S. Benson and Mr. Foster opposing.

On vote being taken at the close it was decided by a small majority that women should not vote.

The interest in this latest department of the Y. M. C. A. seems to be growing as evidenced by the number of new faces that come in each week and the many thoughtful and well prepared speeches given on the subject discussed.

Next week's debate will be "Which has the Greater Influence on the Formation of Character, Heredity or Environment." Rev. Mr. Macdonald to open, O. S. Miller, Esq., to respond.

**"John D. Will Go To Hell"**

Declared One Deacon—"You're a Liar." Was the Answer—Shotgun Barked, Deacon Fell Dead.

In an argument over the chances of John D. Rockefeller's chances to enter heaven, Samuel Smith, a deacon in church at Owensboro, Ky., was shot and instantly killed by Robert Robertson, another deacon. The shooting occurred in the church, the dying man falling at the foot of the altar from which the minister had preached a sermon on the prevalence of crime throughout the country, only an hour before.

It was just at the close of a business session of the church council, after the regular morning service, that some one brought up the Rockefeller question. Robertson quoted the Biblical reference about the rich man's chance to enter heaven and the carnal's ability to pass through the eye of a needle as being easy in comparison. Smith scoffed at the assumption that Rockefeller could not be saved. This enraged Robertson who argued the case at length and in heated terms. The pastor warned the deacons not to lose their temper, but the brethren were lighting mad by this time, and with the statement that no man could question his veracity and still live, Robertson strode from the church. He stated he would be back in a few minutes, and the rest of the deacons waited to restore peace between the two. Robertson returned with a shotgun, poked the muzzle through the door and fired before any one was aware of his presence. Smith fell close to the pulpit, almost at the feet of the pastor, with nearly all his head carried away by a double charge of buckshot. Robertson was placed in jail.

Eddie Schanz, aged 11 years, and Charley Kaulbach, aged 13 years, were drowned on Monday while skating two miles from Lunenburg.

**His Holiness a Mask.**

The veil of holiness was torn recently from the face of one of the most prominent preachers in Illinois. When the covering of hypocrisy was torn from the Rev. Dr. George Simmons, pastor of the First Baptist church of Peoria, it disclosed a state of moral rotteness almost beyond belief. This holy man, who was the president of two savings banks, the author of several books on religion, the originator of a substitute for coffee, this alleged pious individual, who was about to conduct the senatorial campaign of Governor Yates, was found to have been a destroyer of the moral character of boys belonging to the Baptist brigade of Peoria. Investigation brought out the fact that he had tampered the purity of many young lads in his congregation. When the facts were known beyond dispute Dr. Simmons was given 48 hours in which to leave the city without having the scandal made public. He agreed to the terms. Immediately he resigned from his various high positions. Before the 48 hours were up, however, the doctor took a fatal dose of cyanide of potassium and died before he could give an antidote. He leaves a widow.

**Latest by Telegraph.**

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

Washington, Feb. 14.—The war department is making preparations to send another regiment of infantry to the Philippines in anticipation of an outbreak in China which will necessitate armed intervention. Washington officials of the state and war departments are not saying anything about the situation which is occasioning much discussion among the news here. There is almost as much apprehension of a war between Germany and France in the early summer, as there is on the part of the administration of an outbreak in China. If that occurs the United States would be the only power able to maintain order in China. Japan, just beginning to recover from the strain of her war with Russia and with widespread famine is not in a position to take any considerable share, and Russia is out of the question. This leaves only England, France and Germany, and all of them would be engaged in the war.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

Dublin, Feb. 14.—At a meeting of the Irish members of parliament John Redmond was relieved of the chairmanship of the Parliamentary party.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

Pekin, Feb. 14.—A despatch from Amoy confirmed the report of the destruction of the English Presbyterian and Catholic mission at Changhai, thirty miles from Amoy.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

Chenoc, Ont., Feb. 14.—Bertha and Lillian Mackintosh, aged 10 and 12, were killed yesterday afternoon by the Grand Trunk train. The children were returning from school hand in hand. Starting across the track both saw the train at the same time. One tried to retreat for steps, the other tried to go on the other side of the track. Each child was frantically tugging at each other's hand when the train struck them.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

London, Feb. 14.—After visiting Natal, the Johannesburg correspondent of the Times talks of serious trouble. The natives have been getting out of hand for some time and vigorous action would save lives both of black and white.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

St. Petersburg, Feb. 14.—A band of revolutionists attacked the government bank at Izobolnansky. In a scuffle with the policemen, one was killed and many injured.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 14.—A bizarre which set in last night has developed into the worst storm of the winter. The train, telegraph and telephone services are hard hit.

(Special despatch to the Monitor.)

Halifax, Feb. 14.—The Halifax Crescent vs. Windsor hockey match last night resulted in favor of the former by 3 to 1.

**PERSONAL.**

J. W. H. Sutherland, proprietor of the Free Lanes, Westville, was in town last week.

Miss M. H. Smith, who has been visiting at Kingston, returned to Bridgetown on Monday.

Mrs. F. S. Brett, who has been in Boston for the past two months, arrived in Bridgetown on Saturday and is stopping at the Grand Central.

Miss Mabel MacNaughton, who has been visiting Mrs. J. J. Wallis, left for Roxbury, Mass. last Wednesday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) C. B. Darling.

In Wisconsin there is an average of five feet of snow on the level, and in many places the lumbermen have found it necessary to suspend work and leave the woods on account of the extreme depth.

**New Goods Received**

- New Goods received:
- Capelin,
  - Psychine,
  - Biddy Martin's Extract,
  - Peppermint,
  - Hemaboloids,
  - Shoop's Restorative,
  - Liquozon,
  - Hive Croup Syrup,
  - Wampole's Emulsion,
  - Foss, Nervura, etc.,

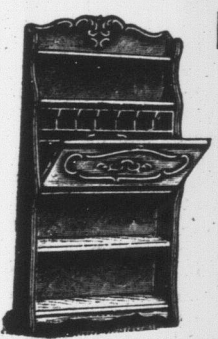
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**H. R. MOODY takes orders for the 20th Century Clothing, the best in Canada.**

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Next Sabbath, the Presbyterians, who have been worshipping in the Y. M. C. A. hall while their church was being painted, will hold their regular services in their church. It is expected that special music will be rendered at both services.

Y. M. C. A.

The Junior Basket Ball team defeated St. Andrews school, Annapolis on Monday evening. Score 17-4.

There will be a membership tea on Thursday evening at 8.30. All members invited to be present.

ing with "No. 2" fruit. It clearly defines "No. 1" which it declares must be first class in every way, but gives no particular definition for No. 2, which makes it possible to ship very inferior fruit under that mark, fruit that is seriously injuring the trade.

Mr. Vroom thinks it would pay the grower better to feed "No. 3" apples to their stock than to attempt to place them on the market. He said lots of those that are placed on commission do not realize more than the freight and commission charges. Mr. Vroom is a native of our apple country, perfectly familiar with every phase of the business, and is anxious that it shall become an unbounded success in every way.

Regarding the matter of packing, he said those marked "No. 1" turned out fairly good, but, in his opinion, it is a mistake to send abroad apples designated "No. 1," as they turn out badly and cast serious reflection on our apple generally.

There will be a conference of the Fruit Growers Associations in Ottawa in the near future, and a matter of great importance that will come up for consideration will be the securing of legislation to define "No. 2" fruit, pears as well as apples. As it now stands "The Fruit Marks Act" of 1901 and 1902 is quite vague in definition.



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### Selected Story.

## The Public Stenographer

"The witness, Thomas Fogarty, must be found before September 5," Harvey Weir dictated. "When last heard of he was employed in a blacksmith shop on Archer Road." The public stenographer wrote the young lawyer's letter to a detective agency with indifference. Her note contained the business secrets of almost every man in the building. "Will you transcribe this at once, please, Miss Sherwood?" Weir asked with an apologetic air. It was hard to forget that they had figured in society as friends two years before. "Certainly!" with smiling willingness. "I fear this suit is preying upon your health, Mr. Weir. Cannot you run away from it for a few days?" The public stenographer did not often overstep the limitations of her position. In her official capacity she was always ready to discuss the weather, but let Weir forget that she was, in a sense, his employee, and her graciousness congealed with a rapidity that astonished him. Her expressed interest in his health was the nearest approach to personalities she had made. His dark face flushed with pleasure. "I'm only a little restless," he laughed. "One on the anxious seat usually is. It's queer Fogarty can't be found."

Miss Sherwood on her way to the door passed in a flood of moonlight with which her blond hair seemed to mingle. Tall and slender, she recalled to Weir the beautiful sun-fairies he once had believed in. Her plain black gown was the outward symbol of grief for her father, whose death had divulged his utter financial ruin. "Do you connect foul play in any way with Fogarty's disappearance?" she asked. "Oh, no," joining her. "I'll walk with you to your desk and wait for the letter," anticipating dismissal. "No one would molest a hard-working man without a dollar to his name. He probably changed his residence quietly to escape creditors."

## Neuralgia

Of all the many troubles flesh is heir to, Neuralgia is one of the most distressing, and often difficult to cure. Many cases have been relieved and cured by a thorough application of Kendrick's Liniment. Always keep Kendrick's in the house—you may need it.

plaintiff has no objective symptoms, in the form of cuts or bruises—the other fellows maintain that she is not hurt. I was prepared with expert testimony on subjective symptoms. Unfortunately the eminent specialist expressed himself in seven syllable words that no one outside of the profession could understand. If Fogarty, a plain, every-day man, would get up and tell the story of the collision in language that the jury could understand, I have no doubt the verdict would be in favor of the plaintiff. Really, the woman is a nervous wreck. In common justice she ought to get the heavy damages she is suing for. I would fight the case for humanity's sake, if nothing else."

A glow of admiration was in Grace Sherwood's eyes when she looked up. "How could a sane jury doubt you?" she asked. Weir's laugh held a pleased note. "You forget I am only a tenth-rate lawyer, with nothing much but ambition. No one else would take the case against Fenwick & Bowen."

"Ambition has made more than one tenth-rate lawyer State's attorney," remarked Miss Sherwood, uncovering her type-writer. Harvey Weir went whistling back to his office. Hope takes singular upward shoots in one at twenty-five. Gideon Fenwick, a pompous, florid man of forty, sought the public stenographer after lunch. "Will you write some letters for me?" he asked. "My girl is off on her vacation."

"Certainly," she replied. Gideon Fenwick was the busiest man in the building, and one of the few who kept a regular stenographer. The public stenographer wrote a few curt business notes at his dictation; then he fearfully glanced through a long letter, looked at his watch, hesitated, and finally said: "Answer this, too, I'm in the deuce of a hurry!" The letter was addressed to the manager of a foundry in the southern part of the State. Its tone was casual. Suddenly a familiar name awoke in her mind more than a stenographer's interest in her work. "The young cub is on to the effect Fogarty's story would have on the jury," Fenwick dictated. "He is searching for him high and low. Say nothing to arouse Fogarty's suspicions, but he is being kept out of the way. If I win this suit I'll have money to burn."

The lawyer waited impatiently while she transcribed the letter. She watched him drop it into the chute. For the first time a conscience problem disturbed the smoothness of Grace Sherwood's business career. She spent a miserable afternoon in self-argument, without reaching a conclusion. As she was pinning on her hat Harvey Weir stepped off the elevator. Her excited eyes alarmed him. "You have been working too hard!" he accused sternly. She smiled in denial. "I am only perplexed, Mr. Weir. Would I be justified in repeating to one of my patrons something to his interest that another patron imparted to me as a public stenographer?"

"The young lawyer's reply was instantaneous. 'You would not!' emphatically. 'A business confidence entrusted to you should be as sacred as a confidence given to a priest under the seal of the confessional.' 'But it is wrong!' she protested. 'And the violation of a trust is wrong!' severely. Miss Sherwood walked the floor nervously. 'You do not understand!' she said nervously. 'You would despise me if I told you would despise me if I did not try to prevent the wrong.' He followed and looked down on her tenderly. 'The estate of public stenographer has its wretched honorable obligations,' he said; 'but you'll do what is right, little girl. I have no doubts of that.' August crept slowly away in hot, sticky days, uncomfortable enough to account for the depression shared by Harvey Weir and Grace Sherwood. Through the personal columns of the newspapers, through detective agencies and wide-spread correspondence, Weir sought the missing Fogarty; the public stenographer formed the habit of watching for the postman. "Her steady's off on a vacation," thought the elevator boy, a theory abandoned when the passing weeks failed to bring the watched-for letter. On September 1, the illness of Gideon Fenwick's stenographer caused him to again seek Miss Sherwood's services. In a letter addressed to the manager of the foundry he dictated: "Keep Fogarty at work till after the trial, set for the eighth inst., then let him go to the devil."

# High Constable of Quebec

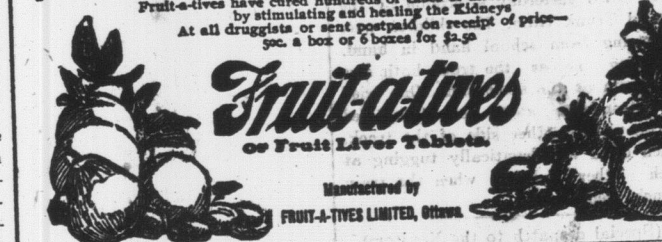
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"I had no shorthand for devil," she said haltingly, red and trembling. He laughed good humoredly. "Then cut it out," he said. Next morning a card on her covered typewriter informed those interested that the public stenographer had gone out of town for a few days. The morning of the eighth Harvey Weir was delighted to see Miss Sherwood at her desk. "You did not tell me you were going away," he reproached, holding her hand in an unwarrantably long greeting. "My card explained my absence," frigidly, then relenting: "Will you wear my favor to the fray?" offering him a carnation from her overflowing vase. "You'll be sorry you gave it to me if I get licked," he said boyishly. "You won't get licked," she returned confidently. The day was endless to the public stenographer. At last Harvey Weir returned from court, pale and dejected. "Has Fogarty come?" asked Miss Sherwood eagerly. "No," hopelessly. "It's a repetition of the other trial. The sympathy of the jury is with the plaintiff. Fogarty's evidence is all we need."

The second day of the trial Fenwick went up to his office at noon, smirking and smiling. Weir also paid a meteoric visit to his office. "We're at it like Kilkenny cats," he said to Miss Sherwood on his way out. "Bowen walks up and down in the frenzy of his eloquence, shaking his long hair, and there's a barber on the jury!" with a burst of laughter. "Fenwick began one touching speech with the remark that his sympathy was with the 'poor injured plaintiff,' after which I called the jury's attention to the fact that his first question had been: 'What became of the horses?' Aside from taking an occasional fall out of Fenwick & Bowen, I can do nothing but pour in expert testimony on subjective symptoms."

"And no Fogarty!" wailed Miss Sherwood. In the afternoon of the third day Weir stepped off the elevator like one in a trance. He was white as paper. Miss Sherwood's face blanched in sympathy. "Oh, what is it?" she cried, hastening to meet him. "You haven't lost? Don't tell me Fogarty didn't appear?" Weir's entranced face broke into a dreamy smile. He caught and held her hand. "Grace!" he said passionately. "Why didn't you tell me? I thought you didn't care." "Fogarty came?" she cried hysterically. "He did!" squeaking her hands rapturously—at the eleventh hour. You ought to have seen the court when Fogarty told that Fenwick had given him fifty dollars in liquidation of his claim against the street car company and offered him work at higher wages in a foundry in the southern part of the State. Fogarty did not know he was wanted until you went to him. Fenwick's friend the manager, hearing of his liberty; but he managed to escape and reached court in the nick of time. What an idiot I was not to suspect what took you away!" another rapturous squeak. "Did you win the suit?" she asked, trying to act as if her heart was not doing a double-shift. "We got fifteen thousand dollars (damages)" impressively. "My fee is a cool five thousand. I've come straight from court to ask you to share it."

"What happened to Fenwick?" ignoring his generous offer. "Fenwick's request by the court," dryly. "If they try to evade paying the judgment against them we'll make waste thought on the villain. When will you marry me, Grace?" "You haven't said you loved me," she reminded him. "I could not, until today," candidly. "I did not relish the prospect of my wife hammering a typewriter to pay my rent; but I've had to keep set-brakes on my tongue ever since you asked me about your conscience problem. I knew you would solve it!" proudly. "Fogarty says you told him nothing except that the counsel for the plaintiff was searching for him. Of course you would have done that weren't you a little more anxious to find Fogarty because I would be benefited?" pleadingly. "You used to like me before this," indicating the typewriter, "came into your life."

"The elevator boy, taking in the situation on his upward trip, delivered himself of a prediction. 'From present indications the Mattox Building'll be advertising for a public stenographer,'" he said to Gideon Fenwick. The celestial lawyer glared savagely at the tableau on the second floor, then a gleam of understanding rent his sullen frown. "Ah!" he exclaimed. "McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup is the same safe, pleasant and effective remedy for children as when introduced years ago. The first Worm Syrup was McLean's. Beware of imitations. Get the original and Genuine McLean's Vegetable Worm Syrup."

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## Among Our Neighbors.

### GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Mrs. Daniel Cronin, of Lower Granville, made a short visit to the home of her father, Henry Roney, last week.

Misses Mildred Withers and Winnie Bogart spent last week visiting Miss Ada McCormick at Clementsport.

Miss Ethel Eaton is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Harris, in Upper Canada, Kings Co.

The social held under the auspices of the Baptist church on Thursday evening last realized the sum of \$33.70.

Valentine Eaton, Burton Eaton and Mrs. Henry Calnek attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Thomas Harris, who was buried Wednesday last in Upper Canada cemetery, Kings County.

Frank P. Mills who is engaged in lumbering at Hillsburn, is suffering from a severe attack of mumps.

Little Susie, daughter of Frank R. Troop, who was so seriously injured from the kick of a horse two weeks ago, is rapidly recovering.

Alfred Wade has been the guest of his brother, John W. Wade, for the past few weeks.

The W. M. A. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Withers Thursday afternoon Feb. 15th at 2.30 o'clock.

Rev. E. E. Daley will preach in the Baptist church next Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. Hackley in the Episcopal church at 10.30.

Andrew Best, who was married in Bridgetown last Wednesday morning, came home with his bride the same evening.

Miss Lucy Chesley, who recently visited her sister, Mrs. John McCormick, has returned to her home in Upper Granville.

### BEACONSFIELD.

Mrs. Mary Jane Hall, one of the most respected women of this community, died at her home here on January 31st. She was the widow of the late Charles Hall and leaves two daughters, Mrs. Wallace Bruce, Centreville, Mrs. Edwin Whitman, Clarence, and three sons, Loran, of Bridgetown, Lansdale, who resides on the homestead and Reid, of Townsend, Mass. A brother, Ezekiel Messenger, Cliftonville, Mass., and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Poole, of St. Croix Cove, survive her. She was a woman of strong religious conviction and was for more than sixty years a devoted member of the Baptist church, having been baptized in early youth by the Rev. Nathaniel Vidio, of Port Lorne. After an impressive funeral service at the house interment took place in the family burial ground at Centreville, on the 3rd inst.

A very unique case came before a St. John police court the other day. Some time ago the Supreme Court of New Brunswick decided that Miss Mabel French, who applied for admission to the bar as an attorney, was not a "person," within the meaning of the Act, because she was a woman.

The other day a Miss Kate Smith was up before the St. John police court for drunkenness. When charged with her crime Miss Smith took advantage of the Supreme Court decision and cleverly entered the plea that she was not a "person." The section of the law expressly states that penalties for drunkenness and disorderly conduct are to be exacted from any "person" who offends, and Kate Smith quoted from the pronouncement of the superior court to prove that she was no person at all. The judge gravely accepted Kate's plea and let her go; perhaps he thought it would be an object lesson to the Supreme Court and a satire on its narrow ruling. But what will happen if Kate gets drunk again and appears before the same judge? To be consistent he must let her off, until the law shall be amended specifically to include "women."

An optimistic writer in the Boston Transcript says: "Among the faithful optimists there is a belief that this warm wave is a way of nature for coming to man's rescue. She has a trick of doing this at times when it almost appears that a best situation is hopeless. In this instance it is thought she is going to wheedle all the gypsy moth and brown-tail moth eggs into cherishing the idea that spring is here and that it is time to begin their mischievous career. Then as the little worms begin to crawl and hunt for things to eat, along will come a freeze—a freeze so keen that ice to the depth of many inches will form and there will be an end to gypsies and brown-tails in this region. It won't do any harm to hope, will it?"

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### CARLETON'S CORNER.

Whooping cough has made its appearance in our midst.

The lumbermen, after waiting two months for snow, have commenced hauling their lumber on wagons.

Miss Roper, of Annapolis, is visiting Miss Margaret Abbott.

Mrs. William Whitman, of Clarence, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Dodge.

Henry Fredericks, who has been ill with pneumonia, is convalescent.

Miss Florence Monte is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. D. Shaw in Middleton.

Harry Abbott injured his foot while in the woods and is now confined to the house.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Piggott, who has been in poor health, for some time, is improving.

### LOWER GRANVILLE.

The steamer George L. Capt. Lewis came over from Digby on Friday to the pier with a party of excursionists who enjoyed the trip very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mills returned from Lynn, Mass., on Saturday.

Robert Hudson, one of our elderly people is very ill.

Capt. James Johnson and wife came from Boston last week and are located on the former's place here.

No snow and vanishing wood piles are exciting considerable interest in these parts.

### GRANVILLE FERRY.

John O. Parker left last week for Boston, having secured a good position in a piano factory.

Miss Lillian Johnson, who has been visiting at the home of W. W. Pickup, has returned to Sydney, where she is engaged in teaching music.

A progressive whist party was given by Miss Grace Reynolds to a number of young people on Friday evening.

Miss Masters, who has been visiting friends here, has returned to her home in Windsor.

The Baptist church here is undergoing some much needed repairs. The interior will be repainted and is in charge of W. H. Parr.

Special services were held in the Methodist church last week.

The schooner W. R. Huntly which went ashore near Victoria Beach, was towed here on Thursday to go on the stocks for repairs. It was found, however, that the tides were not high enough to allow her to dock.

The S.S. Granville brought a large barge from St. John to Annapolis Royal last week, which will load with lumber for Fickels & Mills.

Miss Rice, of Smith's Cove, is visiting at Mrs. Wm. B. Troop's.

The fire in Annapolis on Monday night was plainly seen from the Ferry.

Among those who attended the dance given in the Masonic hall, Annapolis, by the Quadrille Club Wednesday evening, were Misses Grace Reynolds, Priscilla Hall, Jamie Piggott, Dr. F. F. Smith, W. A. Irvine, H. R. Payne, C. W. Parker.

The division, Sons of Temperance, are giving a free entertainment to the public this (Wednesday) evening.

The annual business meeting of the shareholders of the schooner Effort was held here last week, when her affairs were found to be in a satisfactory state.

The ladies of All Saints church gave a clean supper at the home of Mrs. L. C. Willett on Monday evening. It was largely attended.

### Religious Activities.

What the Churches and Allied Organizations are Doing the County Over.

#### (Maritime Baptist.)

Lawrencetown Baptist Church.—We have just entered upon the second year of our pastorate. The past year has been one of blessing. We had a grand showing at our business meeting on Jan. 20th. The treasurer's report was exceedingly gratifying, which showed that the church is altogether free from debt. The total amount raised for all purposes during the year being \$1,895.63. Twenty-two have been added to the church by baptism and by letter. One was received for baptism at our last conference, Feb. 2nd. The outlook is bright. May the Lord still continue His blessing.

M. W. Brown.

A Difficult Problem Solved.—The Salvation Army Immigration department during 1906 will bring to Canada 10,000 single men, and men with families, of a superior class, as farm hands from Great Britain. A special chartered steamship will sail for Canada during March, April and May. The agent, Staff Captain Creighton, will visit Bridgetown tomorrow. Any one wishing help apply at once to S. A. Immigration Agency, 253-9 Prince William street, St. John, N. B.

### The Indians of Annapolis County.

Following is the annual report and statistical statement of John Lacy, Indian agent for Annapolis county, for the year ending June 30th, 1906, as published in the annual report of the department of Indian affairs.

Reserves.—The Indians of Annapolis county have two reserves, containing a combined area of 972 acres. The one situated on the Liverpool road, eight miles from the town of Annapolis, has no land suitable for agriculture, and is covered in part with a second growth of bushes, etc. The one situated on the boundary line between Annapolis and Queen's counties has very good soil, and the greater part is covered with a good growth of timber. There is no public road within three miles of it, and consequently it is not convenient for settlement. There are no Indians living on either reserve, and they do not derive any benefit from them.

Population.—The population of this agency is 61.

Health and Sanitation.—The health of the Indians has been fairly good. There have been no contagious diseases. Their dwellings are nearly all frame buildings, and are kept neat and clean. The Indians willingly comply with sanitary regulations.

Occupations.—They nearly all make an effort to grow some farm products; but their principal occupations are basket-making, hunting, fishing, acting as guides to hunting and fishing parties, chopping for lumbermen and stream-driving.

Education.—The children attend the public school at Lepuille, and the teachers report that they make fair progress.

Characteristics and Progress.—The majority of the Indians try to live with as little work as possible, but make a fairly comfortable living while enjoying good health; but sickness generally finds them without any reserve to draw from; they need assistance. They are temperate and law-abiding, and live on friendly terms with their white neighbors. Their progress is slow.

Curious Ways of Queer People.

When Lord Wolsey, during the Ashanti war, crossed the Peak, he found a white cord stretched from tree to tree along his route. It was a native fetish, copied from the British telegraph wire, which was believed to possess some sovereign magic virtue.

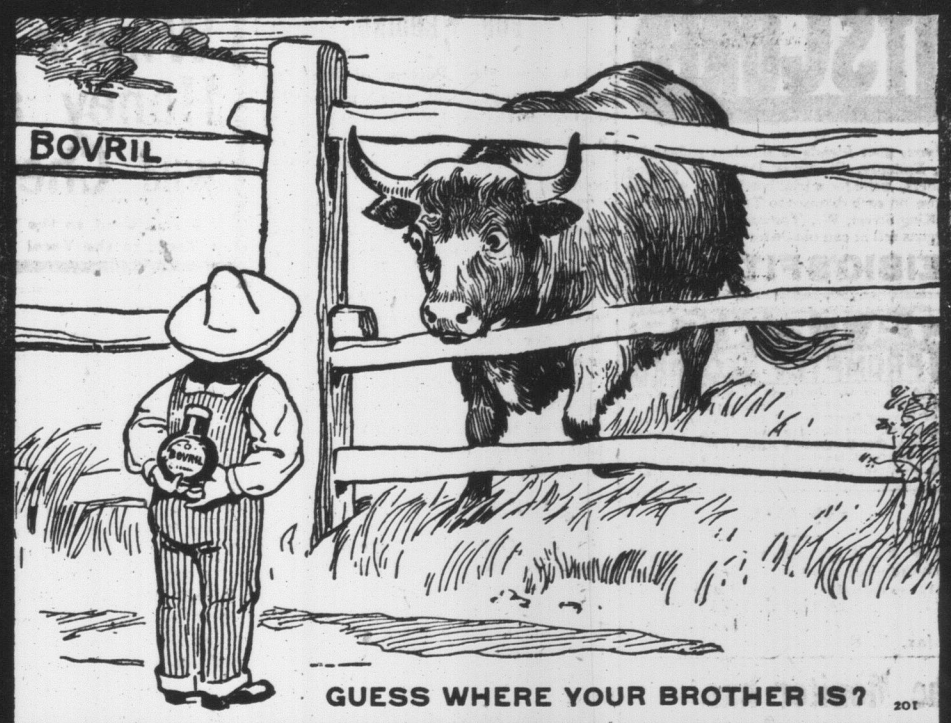
But the native has mysteries of his own which the white man often proves unable to fathom. It is said that no one can understand how it happens that with such marvellous celerity the news of the recent German reverse in southwest Africa has travelled across the whole of South Africa, causing restlessness among all the tribes. During the South African war, except where the telegraph was in operation, native news was always days ahead of official. The relief of Mafeking is said to have been known next day in Zululand, and also 700 miles away in the heart of Cape Colony. Signals by fire and drum, messages conveyed by runners, or cried from hilltop to hilltop, do not explain speed such as this.

Of a certain order of African deities a writer says: "They must believe they are impervious to pain. They come, then, on the occasion of the Doshah, to the place of trial, raving from the effects of hashish, crushing themselves with knives, piercing their flesh with daggers, or spear, eating glass and fire. They elect to upon the ground as close together as they can be placed. In due season comes their shriek astride a horse, to ride over the prostrate figures. The prostrate wretches bear the weight of horse and rider. There is no deception; no placing of the horse's hoofs between the bodies. Each step it takes lands it upon the frame of a living man, mangle and crushing it. The dead are secretly buried, the injured carried away for treatment. But all are supposed to have borne the trial without hurt or pain."

A native Bangkok thief has been tapping the wires of the Siam Electricity Company in an ingenious manner. The Bangkok Times says: "A couple of lengths of wire are provided with hooks. The overhead cable is sometimes not insulated, but where it is the insulation material is wrapped off carefully at the desired points. The ends of the loose wires are then, after dark, hooked over the cables by the aid of a long bamboo, the other ends having been already connected up with a house usually some distance away, previously fitted with electric lamps and all complete. In the morning the wires are unhooked from the cables, coiled away and no one is any the wiser."

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### Worked in Snow in Bare Feet.

Revolted Cruelty of Prosperous Farmer Who is Charged With Manslaughter.

Buckingham, Que., Feb. 7.—James Kelly, a prosperous farmer, who lives about five miles from town, is in jail with the charge of manslaughter hanging over him, as a result of an inquest held at Buckingham Junction yesterday afternoon on the body of Arnold Walsh, an orphan boy. Kelly got Walsh from the Catholic Emigration Association in July last.

Since then Kelly, it is alleged, treated the boy with great cruelty. The boy died January 2nd and was buried next day.

Kelly would not allow any one to see the body and this aroused suspicions. An inquest was ordered, and the body taken up. It was found that the body had been crushed into a coffin ten inches too short for it and tied with a rope to hold the lid on.

Doctors Visu of Masson and Bellais of Angers made a post-mortem examination. They found the boy had been buried in his working clothes.

There was a cut over the left eye, which might have caused death; also a cut on the chin. Even after snow had fallen the boy had to work without shoes or stockings, and the result was that both his hands and feet were frozen for some time before he died.

The fingers of the left hand were rotted off, and his heels were nearly as bad.

Unless a person saw the body he could not believe that a boy in such a condition could work at all.

CHURCH SERVICES

Parish of Bridgetown.

RUM OF ENGLAND.—Rev. E. Underwood, Rector.

St. James' Church, BRIDGETOWN.—Sunday school every Sunday at 8.45 a. m. on all Sundays except the 1st in the month. Holy Communion: 1st Sunday at 11 a. m. and 2nd and 4th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. other times according to notice.

St. Mary's Church, BELLEISLE.—1st Sunday in month, 10.30 a. m. (The Holy Communion is administered at this service.) All other Sundays at 3 p. m. Holy Communion: 1st Sunday in month at 8.45 a. m. All other Sundays at 11 a. m.

St. Peter's by the Sea—YOUNG'S COVE.—1st Sunday in month, 2.30 p. m. During the Summer and Autumn—2nd Wednesday following the first Sunday at 7.30 p. m. Other times according to notice.

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GRANVILLE.—Preaching every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. alternately. Prayer-meeting every Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. Sermon at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. on Thursdays. Prayer-meeting on Thursday at 7.30 p. m.

GORDON MEMORIAL, PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. A. J. MacDonald, Pastor. Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7.00 p. m. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 10 a. m. Prayer Meeting every Wed. evening at 7.30. Young People's Meeting every Fri. even. at 7.30.

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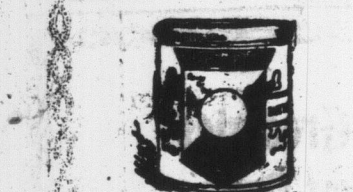
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In the first place there is "the" gown. It will be made in severely plain princess style with very little form of decoration. The material of the gown, a heavy cream satin with closely woven silver threads, is in itself too rich to admit of much trimming.

There are 26 yards of material in this wedding gown, over which will fall a full court train, to consist of a like number of yards of brocaded satin in a graceful rilly design, exquisite in texture and one of the many sumptuous pieces of brocaded and embroidered satin presented to Miss Roosevelt during her trip to the Philippines.

Draped in princess design, the wedding gown will fit closely to the waist, then sweep away in a long train.

The yoke and high collar will be of old rose point lace. A six-inch wide ruffle of the same lace will edge the elbow sleeves, the customary full length sleeves giving way in this instance to the elbow length, in view of the insistent instructions from the originators of fashions in Paris that elbow-length sleeves shall dominate in everything, not excepting wedding gowns.

### SKIRT DECORATIONS.

A flounce of old point lace will be the only decoration of the full skirt. The train of the square design, lined with cream tulle, will complete the wedding costume.

Just what kind of a wedding veil Miss Roosevelt will wear she has not signified but it will doubtless be the handsome one worn by her mother, an heirloom in her mother's family.

Several handsome pieces of Japanese and Chinese silk, of exclusive pattern, purchased by Miss Roosevelt on her recent visit to the Orient, are being made up into pretty matinee and lounging gowns. Two other handsome gowns of the trousseau, which will also serve as reminders of Miss Roosevelt's Philippine trip, will be made from the delicate but cloth presented to the President's daughter by the native women of the Islands.

This cloth is as sheer as a cobweb in texture. The background is white. One pattern has invisible stripes of old gold, the other design is of pale pink roses, with the faintest suggestion of green leaves. Both of these will be built over white silk foundations and trimmed with lace. The one with a touch of green will be finished with a broad green silk fringe, silver and gold in places by two gold buckles.

All stories to the contrary notwithstanding, Miss Alice's trousseau is nearly all made up of silks and satins and other fine materials presented to her upon her eastern trip. There are pique, plain and embroidered, crepe of the finest eastern silk and make, hand embroidered, with shawls and pieces for slippers to match; rolls of that peculiar Oriental silk that is not pongee nor yet quite like our tulle of peau-de-soie, but which partakes of the qualities of all; there are pieces of cloth, costing from \$40 to \$100 a yard, and these average four yards to the piece, and a lot of other Oriental stuffs in embroideries from Indian mulls, silks and the like.

### GIFTS OF AN EMPRESS.

The obis were among the presents of the Empress of Japan. Among the afternoon gown materials in the trousseau are crepes embroidered in hawthorn, wistaria, morning glory and chrysanthemum designs, and satins repeating the first three patterns in Japanese workmanship, with silk showing Chinese embroideries—the gift of the Empress of China—exhibiting the mingled colorings of groves, chrysanthemums, iris and lilies, blended to form a harmony of color.

Miss Roosevelt's varied choice of hats consists of both very large and quite small hats, the close fitting and shy wide brim sort. The Continental shaped hat is a favorite with Miss Roosevelt, and she has ordered three of these shapes, all of hair braid, black in color, with flower and feather trimmings.

### PICK OF THE CITY.

Besides the big order given for gowns, hats and shoes, Miss Roosevelt pur-

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chased several sets of the handsomest lingerie ever made in New York.

Equally busy were the milliners yesterday fashioning the jaunty street hat, the ultra fashionable dress hat and the out-of-door driving and rough wearing hat.

Wedding gifts are beginning to arrive. One, a very handsome inlaid tray with gifts of silver and gold and jewelry are coming in quantities.

The White House mail these days requires an extra force of clerks. All day long they direct invitations, letters of official correspondence, concerning the many business details which are so important in insuring the nicety of detail of so important a function.

### BUSIEST MAN IN WASHINGTON.

Major Crawley, the White House chief of staff, is today the busiest man in the President's house, for on his shoulders falls the heavy responsibility of selecting the men for the bridal banquet, looking out that there shall at no time be an unwonted crash in the coming and going of the guests.

From Massachusetts comes one at least of the bridal ushers, Captain "Gus" Gardner, fellow Congressman of "Nick" Longworth's, and right here it should be said that the bridegroom has his secrets, too, for he hasn't told yet who his ushers or best man are to be, any more than the bride is willing to tell where the important honeymoon is to be spent.

### BROTHER-IN-LAW MAY SERVE.

It is popularly supposed, however, that the Viscount de Chambrun, a former attache of the French legation, and who married Miss Clara Longworth, Congressman Longworth's sister, is to be best man.

It was to meet the Countess of Chambrun, and for the first time, that Alice Roosevelt went to New York with her fiancé, and it was there, needless to say, that she gained a still deeper hold on the American public by her girlish dash and impulsiveness never better demonstrated than by her daring climb up a 15-foot ladder to a big ocean liner.

### THE PRIVATE CAR.

One feature of the honeymoon unofficially given out relates to the new Pullman palace car Republic in which Miss Alice Roosevelt and Representative Nicholas Longworth will make their tour.

The car is ten feet wide and eighty feet long—a greater length by twenty feet than the average sleeping car. No hotel could be more complete, and the details of everything merely adds to its charm.

A deep-cushioned sofa, upholstered in red crease is so arranged in the observation room that two persons could sit there comfortably and watch the trucks running together like two fine threads over the highly polished brass railings. There are also high-crowned revolving chairs for visitors. The woodwork in the observation room is polished mahogany.

At the rear end of the car is the parlor and dining room, in which the wood is Dutch oak and the upholstery red leather. There is a table large enough for six, although it will doubtless not be called upon to accommodate more than two. At one end is a China Closet fixed in the wall, and at the other a writing desk.

There is a bedroom next the parlor and another adjoining the observation room, each containing a double white bedstead. Between them are apartments which may be converted into staterooms by lowering the berths, but during the honeymoon of the President's daughter they are to be made up as "cozy corners." Both of these apartments are finished in mahogany and upholstered in green. In one there are two chairs and in the other a day-bed.

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### A Plea Against the Liquor Traffic

They are slaves who dare not choose, they are slaves who dare not abuse. Rather than in silence shrink, from the truth they needs must think, they are slaves who dare not be in the right with two or three.

—Lowell.

It is not because I am tainted with fear that so long I have remained silent, but because I am of that sex to whom silence and passive submission to man and his laws are considered necessary attributes. But I see that cursed, hydra-headed monster of intemperance writhing its sinuous form through our country, rearing itself in every village, and thrusting its very head at our doors, and hissing in our faces, as if it knew its security. I cannot longer "shrink from the truth I needs must think."

I want to ask, Why does this curse exist so boldly? Why does our British law mete out a punishment, that cannot be evaded, to the murderer, the thief, to every wrong doer and law breaker but the liquor seller, and add a loop-hole for him to crawl through and escape the punishment he merits?

Why, I say, must the murderer pay the penalty of his crime, the thief, the brawler, etc., according to law, and a monetary value be placed on the crimes of the liquor seller and he be allowed to compromise with the law and his officers for the paltry consideration of \$25, 50 and \$100; and then be permitted to pursue his nefarious business as soon as the officer is out of sight.

In demanding that the liquor seller pay the penalty of his wrongdoing as a law-breaker, the public will only be exercising an inherent right of its own, the right of moral preservation. Does this wrong exist because the Christian (?) voters of our country are sending men to legislate for us who prefer the wine-cup to the souls of our boys and girls? And why are these voters sending such men to represent them? (not us, God forbid! women prefer no representation to that kind.)

Is it because they are afraid their popularity, their social standing, their business may suffer if they place themselves on record as being body and soul in favor of temperance? If so, God pity them! Let them cease to call themselves Christian for God's word says "whoever, therefore, will be a saint in the world is the enemy of God." Jas. 4: 4.

But remember, while you are bartering away conscience and your hope of heaven for the friendship and the patronage of the liquor seller, the beer dealer and their supporters, this monster is in wait at your door for your boy, perchance your girl, and if they go to increase the number of its victims it is the price you must pay for stifling conscience, and not exercising your God-given privilege of voting for the good of mankind.

Oh, that some of the spirit, the courage, the determination of Carrie Nation, who dared to brave the jeers and scorn of the world, for God and humanity, might be infused in the souls of our voters who call themselves Christians. Then would this unholy traffic lose its respectability, and the beer-dealer could not publicly flaunt his sign, and securely continue a business that ruins homes, breaks hearts, and sends men and women to hell. It is a burning shame on Christian manhood and an insult to Christian womanhood, that such a wrong exists.

Men of Canada! Christian voters! It is time you threw away all selfish notions, and assess your manhood, resolve to hold it in a burning shame on Christian manhood and an insult to Christian womanhood, that such a wrong exists.

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