

# 1877- 1978

Loss of the icebreaker "W. C. Cushman" is a ship stricken the icebreaker. The ship was on a voyage with her cargo of coal. All the crewing to Harry Hoon was kept. The ship was estimated at \$1.5 million.



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## 1800's

- (1810) the first elections were held in the County.
- (1837) the County of Annapolis was divided to include the County of Digby.
- Old Post Road and rural school system improved.
- Weymouth Trading Post established.
- Ship Building is a major industry in the area.
- (1879) the District of Digby was incorporated.
- (1891) the railway (the missing link) between Annapolis and Digby was completed.
- Joshua Slocum sails around the world alone.
- Temperance Movement.
- Summer Tourism Industry develops.
- I.M. Singer invents the sewing machine.
- Canadian Confederation (1867)
- Klondike Gold Rush
- The Supreme Court of Canada is established
- Florence Nightingale takes London nurses to the battlefields of the Crimean War

## 1900's

- Poor Farm in operation
- Isaiah Wilson's Geography and History of the County of Digby Published.
- Prime Minister Sir Wilfred Laurier visits Digby.
- Marconi transmits wireless message across the Atlantic
- Queen Victoria dies
- The Boxer Rebellion breaks out in China.
- The Boer War in Southern Africa ends

## 1910's

- (1912) last race of the Brattain Cup in the Annapolis Basin.
- First motorized vehicle in the area.
- Communities collect cloths and money for the war effort.
- Spanish Flue kills many in the area.
- First Calgary Stampede
- Women in Canada get the vote
- Halifax explosion
- WW1
- The Titanic Disaster
- Norwegian Roald Amundsen becomes the first to reach the South Pole.

## 1920's

- Motorized vehicles becoming more common.
- Last wooden ship built in Bear River.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Motorized vehicles becoming more common
- Canadian Schooner "Bluenose" wins the International Fisherman's Trophy
- Agatha Christie launches her career as a mystery writer.
- George Carnarvon and Howard Carter unearth King Tutankhamen's tomb



## 1930's

- Economic Depression.
- Rural electric lines being installed.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Highway paving projects underway.
- First crossing of the Princess Helene Ferry.
- Rum running along the coast.
- Rum running in its heyday
- Dionne quintts born in Ontario
- Movie "King Kong" released starring Canadian Fay Wray
- WW II begins

## 1940's

- Digby home to WWII submarine base.
- CFB Cornwallis largest training base in the Commonwealth.
- Scallop Industry expands.
- Hog farming expands.
- Population decline in rural communities.
- Newfoundland enters confederation
- UN Formed
- U.S. planes drop atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki
- Orson Welles' film Citizen Kane, premieres

## 1950's

- Bus service along the Digby Neck.
- Population in villages continue to decline. NORAD formed with USA
- National Ballet of Canada founded
- Bear River Power Plant built
- Korean War
- Smoking linked to lung cancer
- Sputnik launched
- Castro takes over power in Cuba
- Elizabeth II coronation - Queen of England

## 1960's

- Sissiboo Power Plant built.
- Kejimikujik Park established.
- Conners Brothers Fish Cannery Plant closes in Freeport.
- Fish Meal Plant opens in Mink Cove.
- Weymouth Industries closure.
- Bear River Village Fire.
- Canada celebrates 100th birthday
- Pierre Trudeau sworn in as Prime Minister
- Bay of Pigs invasion
- Thalidomide deformities revealed
- Cuban Missile Crisis
- John F. Kennedy assassinated
- Demonstrations against Vietnam War



## 1970's

- Evangeline Mall built.
- New CN Ferry Terminal built.
- Ground Hog Day Storm.
- Municipal Airport opens.
- Hwy 101 completed to Digby.
- First Computer used.
- Jones Bottling Plant burns in Weymouth
- War Measures Act invoked
- Pierre Laporte murdered
- Canada-Soviet Summit Series in hockey begins
- Quebec language legislation (Bill 101) passes
- Munich massacre at the Olympics
- Rock stars Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin die.
- At Kent State University in Ohio, protesting students are killed by National Guardsmen



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ONE ISSUE  
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## VETERANS EXPLAIN THEIR POSITION IN TOWN MATTERS

Principal Objection Is That A Returned Man Was Used  
As A Scapegoat.

At the regular monthly meeting of the local branch of the G. W. V. A. held last week the officers who have carried along their work so well during the past year were re-elected.

The imprisonment of a returned soldier for the non-payment of taxes was one of the principal matters for discussion and a committee was appointed which prepared the following letter for publication in the Courier:

The Editor of The Courier:

SIR—As it is possible that there are a few of our townspeople who have been misinformed in regard to the reasons leading up to the refusal of the members of the local branch of The Great War Veterans Association to accept "Recognition Cards" from the Town of Digby on the occasion of the recent reception and dance tendered returned men by the Digby Red Cross, the branch proposes to utilize your columns for the purpose of briefly reviewing the position it holds in the matter.

Harry VanTassel enlisted in the 85th Battalion in October, 1915, and received his discharge in December of the same year; reason, physical disability. In 1916 he applied for enlistment in the 21st Battalion, but was rejected on the same grounds. In March, 1918, volunteered (NOT CONSCRIPTED) and was accepted, and served in the Depot Battalion, Halifax. In May, 1919, he went to France in a "clearing up" Battalion, returned and was demobilized in August. On two or three days following his discharge (while still in khaki) VanTassel was handed a notice of arrears of poll tax for the years 1915 and 1919. On December 18th, a warrant was executed and VanTassel was placed in jail. On Christmas Eve this Association paid the amount due and VanTassel was liberated.

In justice to VanTassel it may be stated that he does not dispute the legality of the Town's action in collecting poll tax for the years 1915 and 1919, but protests the collection of the full amount on other grounds.

This Association is neither in a position, nor does it desire, to express an opinion as to the validity of VanTassel's claim, except to state that it believes that the protest is made with sincerity and in good faith. This, however, is not the point at issue. Neither does this Association desire to dwell on the Town of Digby's intention, definitely and decidedly expressed, to not only keep VanTassel in jail over Christmas but to hold him in custody until his taxes were paid. The Town of Digby is acting within its legal rights, and this Association is pledged to uphold the law.

Nor does this Association propose to condemn the Town's action with regard to the recent government proclamation of a general amnesty for all offenders under the Military Service Act, which Act permitted 15,000 defaulters to return to their homes in time to celebrate a season of the year by the supposed amnesty, while the desire for charitable and lenient action.

This Association, however, does make a point of the fact that on December 24th, there were, on the books of the Town, the names of delinquent tax payers for the years 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, and 1920. It is not until 1918 and 63 for 1919.

Unless it is for the reason that he owns no property, real or personal, or possesses no influential friends, this Association fails to understand why VanTassel was selected for the role of scapegoat from a list of 93 delinquent taxpayers.

This Association desires to particularly point out the fact that it did not propose to lead, officially or otherwise, for VanTassel, for the reason that it considered that the Town of Digby should itself sufficiently appreciate the service of one of its returned soldiers to the extent of according him the same immunity and leniency that has been accorded 93 of his fellow townspeople who are guilty of a similar offense.

The Great War Veterans Association stands solidly behind the law, but it looks to see the law impartially enforced.

G. W. CONNELL, Secretary, Digby Branch of The Great War Veterans Association, Digby, December 31st.

It is Vitaly Necessary to Prosperous Farming Sections  
Between Digby and Annapolis, If Production  
Is to Be Increased.

The trade between this part of the country and the town of Digby is considerable and very important to the business interests of the country as well as the urban population.

The old and time honored "suburban" train which ran for years between the towns of Annapolis and Digby, was taken off the route soon after Mr. Graham, the new manager, took charge. This train was of considerable value and convenience to this whole section of country—comprising as it does the enterprising villages of Clements, Deep Brook, Bear River, Smith's Cove and Joggins Bridge, with all those splendid outlying farming districts of Clements, Walden, Line, Lonsdale, etc., a very garden of fertility and productiveness, and with as thrifty and industrious a class of people as ever tilled soil.

The facilities for marketing and transit which this suburban service afforded these people, was largely responsible for the remarkable growth and prosperity of this section of country during the last twenty odd years, promoting as it did, for one thing, a mutual business interest between town and country.

In those days, one could travel on the "suburban" train from Annapolis, or any of the above mentioned stations to Digby town in the morning, and return on the express at noon, or could go in on the express train at noon and out again on the suburban train at night, it practically meant two regular trains a day to town and back.

The farmers found Digby town a natural market, all their produce, and their business was done there. The students who were

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

The year 1920 should see a Digby decision as to the future policy with regard to industrial development.

The earlier that decision is made and the more vigorously the policy agreed upon is impressed upon those in authority the more satisfactory will be the results.

There has been quite a lot of talk about the cutting of H. T. Warne's electric light wires when his store was crowded on Christmas eve. No doubt it was a contemptible thing to do. There are four ways of looking at it: it was inspired by jealousy, mischief or maliciousness, or it might have been an accident. I think either the first or last can be struck out, and I am inclined to think it was done maliciously. I understand there were a lot of turkeys and geese hanging out doors and quite a number around who would like to have their butts cut off.

What more natural than to get one of their number to cut the wire and the others make a grab during the confusion. But the fortunate arrival of one or two other citizens prevented this. Mind, I don't say this was so, but that's the way it could easily be. I was amused the way Mr. Warne looked at the matter. They tell me he sat down, stroked his beard for a few minutes, then remarked quietly: "See here now; if I knew

the one who did that I would send him the best box of cigars in the shop."

The editor has handed me the following letter which was sent to the Courier. He thinks that my department is the best one to handle it:

Dear Mr. Editor—A short time ago I had occasion to go through the Digby School building a privilege I had not had in some years. Now we must admit that from the outside it is really an imposing looking structure for a small town and I for one had always felt rather proud of it but the old saying that "distance lends enchantment" was never more true than in this case. Go inside, Mr. Editor, and I am sure you will say as I do that it is no fit or sanitary place for any boy or girl to spend any hours of the day. It is not only poorly planned and unsanitary, but ill lighted, poorly ventilated and depressing to one's spirits. To me, it seems a crime to shut little children up in such a cheerless place, and expect to turn them into good healthy citizens. How can the way be made for their best in close, dark, stuffy, cheerless school rooms; why, sir, if a town can boast of only one up to date building let that one be the school building by all means! "The child

is father to the man"—give him then the best chance there is; surround him with cheer, light, beauty, and cleanliness, and I'll run the risk of what the fathers of the next generations will be. It is high time for a new up to date school building and the sooner we get it the less parents will have to pay in doctors' bills and the sooner will the children become less irritable and take delight in learning. As it is I no longer wonder that so many children dislike school and come home tired, listless, and irritable—(not to mention the teachers.)"

I see the annual meeting of the Digby County farmers is to take place tomorrow. No doubt in view of the recent political successes the farmers have had in the rest of Canada, this meeting will be an interesting one, as I understand, there is to be a movement to organize the farmers of this county politically. In doing so, of course they would be dropping in line with the rest of the country. It has always been quite impossible to control the agricultural vote. The farmer is the most independent citizen that exists. He is usually his own master; he comes nearer to producing for himself and his family all the necessities of life; he thinks much and independently; he is less susceptible to the influence of the

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## Shipbuilding On the Bay Shore Seems To Have Passed Its Zenith

A Decline of 1,155 in Tonnage and of Two in Number of New  
Vessels Built in Digby County as Compared With the  
Banner Year of 1918--The Outlook For Future Building.

(Adapted from the Halifax Chronicle.)

METEGHAN, N. S. Dec. 24, 1919.—The shipbuilding industry of Digby County attained its zenith during the year 1918, and as the writer anticipated in these columns a year ago, the figures of that year are far in excess of what can be presented as the outcome for this year. It was generally conceded by those engaged in the building of vessels on the Bay Shore that there was little probability of the 1918 output ever being equalled again, and with the actual results of 1919 before us we are confronted with the unwelcome fact that there is a very considerable falling off both in the matter of tonnage and the number of vessels built.

During the year 1919 there have been classified in the various yards from 119 vessels with a net tonnage of 7,827.84 as against 23 vessels built during 1918 with a net tonnage of 9,982 tons—a decrease of 2 in number and 1,155 tons; this gives an average of 373 tons per vessel for the year 20 tons less than 1918, but still up to the average of the two preceding years.

LARGEST VESSEL OF THE YEAR.—The J. M. Comeau Shipping Co. of Little Brook have the honor of turning out the largest vessel—"Charlotte Comeau," with a net tonnage of 728.35 tons, as compared with the "T. H. MacDonald," 1,088.44 tons the previous year. Bellevue's Cove, with 5 vessels totalling 1,451.64 tons, is next in the matter of production; Grossex Coques with 1,130.84 tons is second and Meteghan River, with 1,081.69 third. No other place reached an output of one thousand tons, and Meteghan which took premier position in 1918 drops to ninth place this year.

In addition to those classified and included in the above figures there has been re-built at Meteghan one small schooner—"Annie Conley"—by J. B. Robichau; and the schooner "Souverin" an auxiliary tugboat and lengthened by John Deveau on the marine slip. A fishing boat 76 feet over all has been built at Meteghan by J. B. Robichau, and he is engaged now in getting out the keel for a similar vessel but somewhat larger. Mention ought also to be made of a schooner built at Port Wade in Annapolis County for Digby partner, "Jean F. Anderson" of 442.96 tons not finished under the supervision of Hilmar Deveau of Meteghan.

The following is the list of vessels built in Digby County during the year 1919:

St. Clair Theriault, 135.5 ft., 346.74 tons. P. A. Theriault, Bellevue's Cove.

Adelize D., 73 ft., 58.15 tons. A. A. Theriault, Bellevue's Cove.

Leo LeBlanc, 143.5 ft., 294.96 tons. A. A. Theriault, Bellevue's Cove.

Rose Annie Bellevue, 130.5 ft., 281.72 tons. Benjamin Bellevue, Bellevue's Cove.

E. P. Theriault 140 ft., 369.47 tons. A. A. Theriault, Bellevue's Cove.

Maid of Scotland, 148 ft., 393.99 tons. Omer Blinn, Grossex Coques.

Maid of England, 174.7 ft., 691.85 tons. Omer Blinn, Grossex Coques.

Chaste D., 164 ft., 594.76 tons. E. U. Doucet Co., Meteghan River.

Maria A. Howes 143 ft., 423.26 tons. Howes Construction Co., Meteghan River.

Granville III, 95 ft., 63.67 tons. Howes Construction Co., Meteghan River.

Scotia Maiden, 149 ft., 305.19 tons. Fidele Boudreau, Church Point.

Canadian Maid 130 ft., 294.16 tons. M. D. Bellevue, Church Point.

Charlotte Comeau, 172 ft., 728.35 tons. J. M. Comeau Co., Little Brook.

J. W. Comeau 134 ft., 343.26 tons. R. J. LeBlanc, Comeauville.

G. H. Murray, 137.5 ft., 353.71 tons. Comeau Shipping Co., Comeauville.

Nettie G., 150 ft., 452.60 tons. Acadia Shipping Co., Saultmeville.

John J. Duffy, 115 ft., 114.83 tons. Duffy Blinn Co., Marive, 147 ft., 453.03 tons. E. R. Gaudet, Weymouth.

W. S. MacDonald, 146.5 ft., 382.52 tons. Drs. T. H. and W. S. MacDonald, Meteghan.

St. Clair Ritchey, 134 ft., 332.30 tons. J. N. Rafuse & Sons, Salmon River.

Herbert Brown, 116 ft., 203.32 tons. B. N. Melanson, Gilbert's Cove.

MARKED CHANGE IN CONDITIONS.—In 1917 and 1918 there was a demand for vessels of almost any tonnage, and as freight rates were exceptionally high, good prices were obtained by the fortunate builders who had bottoms for sale.

During the year 1919 there has been a marked change in these respects, and from one cause or another freight rates have declined and selling prices are in sympathy.

Europe, as a possible ready market for ships built in Nova Scotia has passed into the discard on account of the adverse conditions of the exchange, and one or more builders who sold over on the other side without securing to themselves payment in either Canadian or American currency, have suffered considerably, and may have to wait an indefinite time for currency to establish itself sufficiently to enable them to negotiate their foreign currency to advantage.

Probably more builders in Digby County have accepted charters for their vessels than had any intention of doing when they embarked on the enterprise; and they have done this with the idea of sailing their crafts as some profits to themselves, and hoping for an eventual improvement in the market when they could sell and thus recoup.

Unfortunately some builders have disposed of their vessels at very low prices, and it is stated that in one or two instances an owner has acceded, and vessels, instead of bringing a fair margin of profit, have left the shareholders with a deficit balance.

TRANSFORMED THE INDUSTRY.—Undoubtedly big prices were received during the first year or two of the shipbuilding boom, and these encouraged many builders to enter the field, and seemed to offer great possibilities of financial success. The unexpected termination of the

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## COUNCIL TAKES STEPS TO SAFEGUARD TOWN'S INTERESTS

Contract With Railway Will Cover Disputable Points—  
H. T. Warne Granted Exemption From Taxes

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held last week. Present: His Worship the Mayor and Councillors Anderson, Jones, McPhee, Smallie and Winchester.

The minutes of the last meeting of the Council were read and approved. The monthly report of G. A. Veve, Superintendent of Streets and Water, was read as follows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Councilors: I beg to submit the following report for Streets and Water. Built lots for drainage and made necessary repairs to old. Temporary repairs made to cross bridge of Fair Road. Work done on North Water St. St. Mary's St. and Riquette Bridge. Snow plow used on side streets. Queen and Warwick St. repaired. Also two leaks on the main water line on Birch St. and two leaking service systems. All hydrants tested.

On motion of Councillors Jones and Winchester the report was received and adopted.

The quarterly report of W. P. Read, M. D., Health Officer was read as follows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Councilors: Digby, November 25th, 1919. I beg to submit my quarterly report as Health Officer. There have been no cases of contagious or infectious diseases in the Town since my last report. A few cases of typhoid fever on the Lakeshore Road, and one case of typhoid fever sent to the Hospital in Halifax.

There is no civic matter so important as the public health of the Town, and it is very necessary that Digby should follow the example of other progressive places and have a health officer who is a competent District Nurse, to take up such cases as one of her duties. The annual report of the Health Officer for the support of children outside of Digby could be very much improved if more care was taken of our children, and would pay for the needed effort.

On motion of Councillors Jones and Winchester the report was received.

Letters of George E. Graham and Ernest H. Bliss read and on motion ordered to be filed; also letter of William Duff, chairman of Old Home, Summer and International Exposition Committee.

On motion of Councillors Jones and Winchester the report was received.

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## LIKE THROWING MONEY AWAY

Postmaster Of Cardiff, Could Get Nothing To Help His Wife Until He Gave Her Tanlac.

"You can tell me that Tanlac has helped my wife, too, and of all the people who have made statements about being benefited I believe we have the most cause to be thankful," was the statement made by J. Kuyper, postmaster of Cardiff, Alberta, while at the Owl Drug Store in Edmonton, recently.

"For the past five years," he continued, "my wife has been so crippled up with chronic rheumatism that she could hardly get about and while I have spent lots of money for treatment and medicines it was just like throwing it away, for nothing was the least bit of help to her until she began using Tanlac. Since she has been taking this medicine, however, she has been steadily improving all the time. Aside from the fact that she has almost gotten rid of the rheumatism, her general health has improved wonderfully, and her weight has increased from less than one hundred pounds to one hundred and ten."

"Her condition, before taking Tanlac, seemed almost hopeless and was very discouraging. She had continual pains across the small of her back and her right hip and limb were so stiff and painful she was barely able to get around. She was so weak and was so easily exhausted and would have to lie down three or four times a day. Her nerves were badly shattered and this, together with her awful pain, made sleep almost impossible for her. Her stomach was also out of order in some way, for her food seemed to do her no good and in place of gaining strength she was losing all the time. Her appetite was poor and altogether her condition was serious, and regardless of the best care and attention she kept getting would."

"After reading so much about Tanlac, and, knowing of the good results others in our community had gotten from it, my wife began taking it and gradually improved from the very start. She was in such a bad shape that we could not expect complete recovery without time and patient use of the medicine. So she has stuck right to the treatment and it certainly has paid well, for the results have been nothing less than wonderful. She has taken twelve bottles now, eats three hearty meals every day, sleeps eight hours or more every night, and says she hardly feels the rheumatism any more. In fact, her entire system has been toned up and she is now about as strong as she ever was. Tanlac is the only medicine we have ever found that we could depend upon for results and it is so good that we feel it our duty to tell others about it."

Tanlac is sold in Digby by P. W. Holdsworth; in Sandy Cove by Frank E. Rice; in Bear River by L. V. Harris; in Tiverton by Small Bros.; in Freeport by B. S. Bishop; in Weymouth by W. C. Blackham; in Westport by the E. C. Bowers, Co., Ltd.; and in Comeauville, by J. Aug. Comeau.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years of suffering by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

The above facts can be verified by writing to him, to the Parish Priest or any of his neighbors.

A. COTE, Merchant.

St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

## To Safeguard Town's Interests

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Street to vehicle traffic for the purposes aforesaid. Therefore resolved that certain portion of Prince William Street between the eastern side line of First Avenue and a line thirty-five feet east of the present tracks of the said Railway be closed to vehicle traffic and conveyed to the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company for the purpose of erecting a station thereon and enlarging the station yard on the following conditions:—

1. That the said Dominion Atlantic Railway Company shall build and complete the said station including freight shed on the site herebefore mentioned during the year 1920, according to plans submitted to this Council and shall build and maintain a good and sufficient concrete sidewalk from the said station eastward to the side of the said portion of said street so closed to Birch Street for foot passengers to pass and repass at all times across and over the tracks of the said Dominion Atlantic Railway.

2. That should the said Dominion Atlantic Railway Company, at any time abandon the said site for station purposes the said portion of Prince William Street so conveyed or to be conveyed to the said Dominion Atlantic Railway Company shall be reconveyed to the Town of Digby and reopened to vehicle traffic.

3. That the approach to the said station on Prince William Street be made sufficiently commodious to accommodate all traffic in the vicinity of the said station so that there shall be no congestion of traffic on the said street.

4. That the said Dominion Atlantic Railway Company shall construct a sewer from First Avenue east along Prince William to the Harbour sufficiently large to carry off all surface water flowing down Prince William Street.

5. That all the buildings now standing and used by the said Railway Company on the West side of the tracks between Sydney Street and Prince William Street shall be removed and the grounds graded on the completion of the new station. The said conditions to be embodied in an agreement in writing made between the said Town of Digby and the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company. Passed.

The following resolution was moved by Councillor Anderson, seconded by Councillor Winchester: "Resolved that H. T. Warne be granted exemption from taxation of the said mill erected by him in the Town of Digby and the land on which the said mill is erected and adjacent land used in connection with the operation of the said mill and free water for the term of five years on condition that he operates a mill for the manufacture of lumber for the term of five years, and employs at least twenty-five men in and about said mill for at least six months during each year and on the further condition that in the event of a shortage of water by reason of drought or any other reason that the Town have the right to shut off or curtail the supply of water from or to said mill until such shortage of water shall have ceased. Passed."

"On motion of Councillors McPhee and Jones bad rates amounting to \$89.00 were struck off and cancelled."

## THE YARMOUTH BEAUTY CIGAR

is used by all refined smokers. There is a reason. QUALITY COUNTS.

## Passengers Crossing the Bay of Fundy

Will find the St. John Hotel the most convenient in the city. It is only one minute's walk from the Empress. Comfortable and homelike; good table; every convenience for the tired traveler.

## Make the St. John Hotel Your Headquarters

## ELIAS EARLEY Shoemaking and Repairing a Speciality.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Rooms next door to Commercial House Sample Room.

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## Wood's Cotton Root Compound.

A safe, reliable regulating medicine. Sold in three sizes. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100.

## Shipbuilding On The Bay Shore

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war; however transformed the shipping industry from a very lucrative to a precarious one; and the release of numbers of vessels from war purposes has increased the number available for the merchant marine and caused what was a shortage to disappear.

The large number of vessels built in the yards on both seaboard of America during the last two years has tended to wipe out whatever deficiency there might have been, and the results has been a general shrinkage of freight rates and a corresponding decrease in the value of shipping. Small profits are all that can be secured by the most fortunate builders today, and, taking into account the capital involved, the return is not commensurate. Shipbuilders who have succeeded in making profit from their ventures are satisfied to withdraw from an industry which they know full well has passed the stage where they may hope to increase those profits; and there are very few with a knowledge of things as they are today who will be rash enough to enter the field as a speculation. One or two yards are to be kept in operation with orders—either to build at fixed prices or on a basis acceptable to them; and thus we find The Howes Construction Co., at Meteghan River, and John B. Robichaud (who will operate the yard recently occupied by Dr. MacDonald at Meteghan) holding contracts for the building of small fishing vessels which will be adapted for power. Omer Blinn, at Grosses Coques, is to build a coaster of about 160 tons for Mr. Burt of North Sydney, and this completes the work of the near future, as far as we can at present ascertain.

## ONLY ONE KEEL ON THE SHORE.

There is only one keel laid along the whole shore and that is at Salmon River where J. N. Rafuse & Sons are building a schooner similar to the last launched in their yard, and expect to have it finished in the early spring. The large number of men occupied for two or three years in building ships along the Bay Shore are seeking other work, and the immediate monetary loss to the community will be very considerable. The amount of work paid has been constant, and the district has never been so prosperous; one yard alone paid upwards of \$43,000 in wages in 1918—the same yard in 1919 paid a little over \$24,000.

In connection with Digby County's shipbuilding it will be lost of place to mention the loss of the largest vessel in the fleet of 1918 ships—the barkentine "T. H. MacDonald," which went aground off Tybee Island on November 22 and became a total loss. She was on her return journey from Montevideo and was bound for Baltimore. Fortunately she was insured for nearly her cost and her owners will not be as heavy losers as they might have been, as she had already brought them two good freights.

## PLENTY TIMBER AND GOOD SPIRITWRIGHTS

This may appear to be a very pessimistic review of the shipping industry of the year 1919 and the future outlook, but the writer feels that little in the way of shipbuilding will be attempted on the scale of the last three years, and express regret that such an industry should be allowed to perish by force of circumstances. There is plenty of timber yet available for building vessels of moderate size, and it has been proved that there are sufficient shipwrights to turn out vessels that have almost invariably classed highly in one or other of the shipping bureaus. Ships will continue to be the medium of water transport, and in pre-war days freights were obtained sufficient to pay owners a decent return, and it would seem possible for this to happen again; but profits like those attained during the war are never likely to accrue again. The high cost of materials coupled with the increased efficiency called for by the classifying bureaus has brought the price of building of vessels greatly in advance of a few years ago, but it ought to be possible to build as cheaply in Nova Scotia as elsewhere.

For the welfare of this part of a maritime province so adapted to the building of vessels the writer would be pleased to see the continuation of the industry flourishing, but the prospect does not lead one to expect this.

For the figures tabulated above I have again to thank O. S. Dugham, of Bridgetown, the Official Surveyor, whose interest in the building of vessels has ever been manifested.

Why pay \$2.50 for a Fountain Pen when you may have a good "Self-Filler" by return mail (post-paid) for only 25c?

GEM NOVELTY CO., Digby

## Plea for Restoration of Suburban Train

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receive the benefit of the superior educational advantages of the County Academy, and still live at home; tourists and commercial men patronized this train and found it of great convenience; it, in fact, became one of the most important factors in the life and interests of these communities, and its withdrawal has already severely handicapped all business interests along this section of country.

At the time the change was made an engine was put on the route between Annapolis and Digby. This engine has been run light, morning and night, between these two towns ever since.

Mr. Graham has been asked on different occasions to have a passenger car attached to this engine, and thereby again give the people of Annapolis and Digby a suburban service, and just why this is not done the people interested would be glad to hear explained.

The Railway Company have no hesitation in asking the people of Digby town, to close an important street in the centre of the town, in order to give them (the Company) more room and better accommodation, while at the same time they refuse ordinary railway convenience between that same town and one of the best sections of farming country in Western Nova Scotia; with, of course, the inevitable result that business which formerly went to Digby town will be diverted to other channels.

It sounds like irony to urge the people to greater production, and at the same time, to deprive them of their best marketing facilities. As the old saying is, "talk is cheap, but actions speak louder than words."

As this is a question of vital importance to both the town and country districts, we would urge the people to lay the matter, not only before Mr. Graham but before the railway commission as well. For unless better railway accommodation is provided, the prosperity and growth of this section of country is likely to be very seriously retarded.

PROGRESS.

Digby, Jan. 3, 1920.

## Dye That Skirt, Coat or Blouse

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C. A. LINDSTROM, Jeweller and Optician

Mgr. New Jewellery Store

## FOR SALE

Pair Black Horses, good workers, weight about 2100, will sell either double or single.

1 Light Driving Horse, weighs 900, six years old, dark bay.

1 Light Cushion Rubber Tire Open Buggy, good as new.

1 Heavy Express Wagon.

1 Set Light Harness, almost new.

1 Single Sleigh Piano Box, in good condition.

1 Base Burner, good as new, very cheap.

1 Heavy Singer Sewing Machine, in good condition.

All the above will be sold at bargains.

J. F. RICE, Digby, N. S.

## A Bird's Eye View Of Local Happenings

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ject than the town dweller and the craftsman to the infection of crowd or class opinion. The new Labor party in the United States promises to make a special effort to affiliate with itself farmers' organizations all over the country, but no movement that hopes to meet the problems of society by a constantly increasing scale of pay for a constantly diminishing amount of work can get permanent support from the farmers. Some effort has been made in the past to unionize farm labor, but it never amounted to anything. The farmers' experience of life has taught them that easier conditions can be obtained only through increased production, and that you cannot get production without work. On the whole, they put the blame for the high cost of living where it belongs—on the tendency toward idleness among all classes of the people and on the disposition of employers, merchants and work people alike to demand more than their services to the community are fairly worth.

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Our gold finished shells look like real dentists' work, and give you a GOLDEN SMILE. Fool your friends. Slips right on your teeth, readily adjusted, removed any time without trouble. 10c each, 4 for 25c, 12 for 50c.

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We have only a limited number of sizes on hand and while they last you can have your choice at the above discount. Buy a pair today while your size is in stock. FOR CASH ONLY.

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Muskrat,	\$ 3.	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.	\$ 1.
Red Fox,	28.	20.	15.	10.
Raccoon,	12.	8.	4.	2.
Skunk,	6.	4.	2.	1.
Mink,	18.	12.	8.	4.
Wild Cat,	10.	7.	4.	2.
Weasel,	2.	1.50	1.	.50
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WE thank our many friends in the town and county for their generous patronage during 1919 and take this opportunity of extending to them our Best Wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

SOUTH END GRO

Boston & Yarmouth Steams

FROM YARMOUTH Leave Tuesdays

Yarmouth



Province of Nova Scotia, County of Digby.

## In the Court of Probate

In the matter of the estate of William S. Arnold, farmer, deceased.

## TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION

In front of the Court House at Digby.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17th, 1920.

At eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to a decree of the Court of Probate, for the sale of the estate of William S. Arnold, deceased.

ALL the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land and interest therein, lying and being on Digby Neck in the said County of Digby, to-wit:

1. A certain lot of land, situate on the East side of the road, known as the "Old Farm", containing one acre and one-half.

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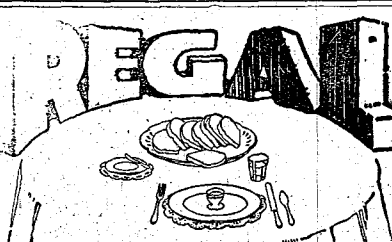
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## SANDY COVE

Sorry to report Mrs. Thomas Carthy on the sick list.

Arnold Morehouse, of Digby, spent Christmas with his family here.

Elmore Elder, of St. John, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. J. B. Hooper.

Enoch Morehouse, of Little River spent Christmas with his family here.

Miss Hazel Morehouse, of Digby, spent Christmas with her brother Enoch Morehouse.

Arthur Mitchell, of Digby, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell.

Miss Ir. M. Morehouse came home from Halifax on Friday. We understand she is in very poor health.

Ralph Morehouse, of Centerville, spent several days last week the guest of his cousin, Hugh Morehouse.

Lawrence Dakin arrived home from St. John on Thursday to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. B. E. Dakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jeff spent Christmas in Centerville the guest of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. George Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eldridge, of Digby, spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Y. P. Morehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Correll who have been visiting friends and relatives in various parts of the United States arrived home on Saturday.

## PLYMPTON

Miss Alice Dowsett is home from Halifax.

Harry R. Amers, of the sch. S. Clair Theriault, arrived home on Christmas day.

Mr. Lotie Potter is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Owen Curly, in Bridge-ton.

Orren Curly, of Bridge-ton, spent Christmas in this place the guest of H. W. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Forman Wright, of Princeville, spent Christmas with their son Lloyd Wright.

Russel Warner of Halifax, is enjoying the holidays with his parents Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Warner.

Miss Eva M. Aird is home from St. John spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McNeil.

The new term, schooner C. P. Threlkeld, is a 1200 and ready to sail, awaiting favorable tides to float from the wharf.

Miss Agnes Hight, and friend, Fred Riesen, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Watson Hight, returning to Digby on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Powell, of Little River were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Powell. Mr. Powell was a passenger to Boston on Saturday.

## BAITON AND BRIGHTON

Dame Manor says wedding bells.

George Coleman arrived home from Boston, Mass., on the 27th.

C. W. Mallett has arrived home from Salem, Mass., to spend the winter.

Jack Frean and Hubert Telfry have arrived from Toronto for the holidays.

Miss Jessie Payle, who has been visiting friends in Yarmouth, has arrived home.

Miss Dorothy B. Perry is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Perry, Hortonville Kings Co.

Misses Grace McKay and Norma Morehouse arrived home Saturday for the holidays.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Wilson again. He arrived home Wednesday from the west.

Kenneth Perry and Barry Smith, who have been spending a few days in Halifax, have arrived home.

Rice I. Kinney who is attending college at Wolfville, is spending the holidays with his parents.

Our primary teacher, Miss Marion Jeffrey, has gone to her home in Port Maitland for the Christmas holidays.

## ASHMORE

We wish the Gortons and all its readers a happy New Year.

Our teacher, Phyllis Mallett, is spending her vacation at her home in South River.

Ellsworth Duff is spending a few weeks in Westport visiting relatives and friends.

Myrtle Kinney, who has been attending school in Digby, is home for the holidays.

A certificate given by the school children to the hall was largely attended and enjoyed by all.

Geraldine Comeau, who has been at St. John Business College, arrived home on the 19th, for the holidays.

Mrs. Charles Matthews, who has been spending a few weeks with her father, Ephraim Brooks, returned to her home in Waltham, Mass., on the 23rd.

## HELPLESS WITH RHEUMATISM

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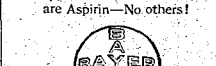
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## HOME GROWN TURNIP SEED

Apart from losses in certain localities through chubrot the turnip crop this year is of good quality. The general appearance of the fields which fell below stand and gave every indication of low vitality in the seed. On the other hand, both Dominion and Provincial Field men report that out of many fields inspected they have found a single failure in seed which had been home grown. This is a startling statement, but it is what might be expected under the circumstances.

All home grown seed is tested for vitality before being put on the market. Your correspondents in looking over a large number of reports of these tests, observed that practically every one indicated a germination of from 95 per cent. upward within four days. With other conditions reasonably favorable to such a high germination, it would certainly give a strong and uniform stand of plants.

The deduction is too obvious to need emphasis. Intending growers of turnips should do their best to secure a supply of home grown seed. Small lots are obtainable here and there over Eastern Nova Scotia. The largest quantities available are in the Western end of the Province. The Yarmouth Fruit and Produce Co., have three or four tons of seed of the Corning variety, which is a particularly good keeper. A half ton of Eastern Brook, a Spruce of beautiful and uniform shape. Intending purchasers would do well to write the Department of Agriculture, Truro for a list of those who have seed for sale.

When a man in Denmark is found so drunk as to require medical attention the doctor will not be paid by the proprietor of the tavern where the inebriate obtained his last drink.

## Sir Robert Horne Makes Reputation in England As Minister of Labor

IN the session of the British Parliament just ended two members have created big reputations for themselves. They stand out head and shoulders above their fellows.

One is Sir Robert Horne, the Labor Minister, who has stepped without any apparent effort into the very front rank of parliamentarians, and whose abilities as an administrator are second to none in the Government.

He gave up £8,000 a year at the Scottish Bar to become a member of the Government at £2,000 a year. He first worked and then won the confidence of the House of Commons in his own right, and personally interviewed, and lately has been responsible for the firm handling of the Labor situation by the Government. He has the well-deserved nickname of "Hail, Smiling Horne."

The other success of the session is an old member in a new coat—Lord Robert Cecil, who since his return from the Paris Conference has added daily to his reputation.

He is the mystery man of Parliament. Once looked on as the type of the old-fashioned politician, he now seems ready to out-do the democrats in democracy. He has a large band of enthusiastic young followers. The Labor men hail him as one after their own heart. "Which way will he turn?" What party will he lead? No one knows. His mind plans some destiny while men are wondering.

Two other figures have marched with some degree of distinction across the Parliamentary page—Sir Donald Maclean, the leader of the one band of Independent Liberals, is the Admirable Criticism of politics, compelled by the starry of his followers to give "savage" answers. And he does it at times so brilliantly that he has given a full heart of hope to a party that no longer desires the return of Mr. Asquith to lead it.

Mr. Clynes has achieved distinction as a Labor member. He is the best of that party. Honorable mention must be made also of Sir L. Worthington, Evans for his work at the London Convention, Sir Tudor Walters and Sir Kingley Wood for their work on housing; of Mr. J. S. Stoller for his able expositions on finance and economy; of Mr. Kennedy Jones for his work on London traffic and other matters; of Mr. Godfrey Lockyer for his work on the income tax problem; of Mr. McDuff for knowing something about food and the distribution of supplies; and for knowing all about everything.

Finally, after diligent search, there may be discovered on the back benches the "mystery" member out of all the hundreds arriving full of hope last January who deserve to be mentioned in the House of Commons. A doctor who has dissected politics with considerable skill, and Sir Park Goff, the most accomplished traveler in the British House of Commons, who told his fellow-members that most of them were uncertain whether they were an Indian god or a new plague.—London Daily Mail.

"Tubs" To Be Improved.

Better public houses, an improved tone for saloons, is the new announced policy of the British liquor trade.

Rear Admiral Sir Reginald Hall, a member of Parliament, who was recently elected to the directorate of one of the leading brewing companies of the United Kingdom, said that representatives of all sections of the trade had drawn up a bill embodying such reforms as the prohibition of Sunday restriction of drunkenness; reduction of the number of licenses where they are excessive; the argument of premises so as to provide greater opportunities for social amenities.

"Recreation," including reading rooms, billiard, and other games, should be provided," Admiral Hall said. The entry into the trade of those who would set up a machine, was a social disgrace, and should be discouraged; the exclusion of those who might bring discredit on the industry.

Lady Arabella Stuart.

The history of Lady Arabella Stuart was a succession of romantic incidents and adventures. She was the daughter of Charles Stuart, Earl of Lennox, and being in the line of succession to the throne, was the object of jealous eyes of Queen Elizabeth, who attempted to marry her off to some European prince, some of whom believed









## Cap'n Warren's Wards

By  
**JOSEPH C. LINCOLN**

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Slowly the captain raised his head. His expression was a strange one, agitated and shocked, but with a curious look of relief, almost of triumph. "At last!" he said solemnly. "At last! Now it's all plain!"

"All?" repeated Sylvester. "You mean everything, all that's been puzzling me and troubling my head since the very beginning? All of it? Now I know why! Oh, Hijo, Hijo, Hijo!"

Kuhn spoke quickly. "Captain," he said, "I believe you know who the owner of that 100 shares is. Do you?"

Captain Elshah gravely nodded. "Yes," he answered, "I know him." "Who is it?"

"The question was blurred out. The captain looked at the three excited faces. He hesitated and then, taking the stub of a pencil from his pocket, drew toward him a memorandum pad lying on the table and wrote a line upon the uppermost sheet. Tearing off the page, he tossed it to Sylvester. "That's the name," he said.

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"I'll be there—there's no doubt about that—rough for all hands, I guess. And I hope you understand, Mr. Sylvester, that there ain't many men I'd trust to do what I ask you to. I appreciate your doing it more'n I can tell you. Be as gentle as you can, won't you?"

"I will. You can depend upon that." "I do. And I shall not forget it. Good-by till the next time."

They shook hands. Captain Elshah returned to the boarding house, where he found a letter awaiting him. It was from Caroline, telling him of her engagement to Malcolm Dunn. She wrote that, while not recognizing his right to interfere in any way, she felt that perhaps he should know of her choice. He did not go down to supper and when Pearson came to inquire the reason excused himself, pleading a late luncheon and no appetite. He guessed he would turn in early, so he said. It was a poor guess.

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providing yourself I am proud of you. So when her uncle was announced, Caroline was ready. She entered the library and acknowledged his greeting with a distant bow. He regarded her kindly, but his manner was grave. "Well, Caroline," he began, "I got your letter."

"Yes, I presumed you did." "Indeed, I got it. It didn't surprise me what you wrote, because I'd seen the news in the papers, but I was noped! you'd tell me yourself, and I'm real glad you did. I'm much obliged to you."

"I gave you my reasons for writing," she said. "Although I do not consider that I am in any sense duty-bound to refer matters other than financial to you; and, although my feelings toward you have not changed—still, you are my guardian, and—"

"I understand. So you're really engaged to Mr. Dunn?" "Yes." "And you're calling it to marry him?" "One might almost take that for granted," impatiently.

"All right, yes. No, always, but generally I will give in. You're going to marry Malcolm Dunn. Why?" "Why, because I choose, I suppose." "Oh—hm! Are you sure of that?" "Am I sure?" indignantly. "What do you mean?"

"I mean are you sure that it's because you choose, or because he does, or maybe because his mother does?" "Do you?"

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"That's all right. She's aboard or you wouldn't have to see. You and me, we've got to get together quite a spell, so I know your little habits. I'll wait in the library, commodore. Tell her there's no particular hurry."

The niece was expecting him. She had anticipated his visit and was prepared for it. From the emotion caused by his departure after the eventful birthday she had entirely recovered on thought she had. Stephen's ridicule and Mrs. Corcoran Dunn's congratulations on riddance from the "embarrassance" shamed her and stifled the recollections of her "cousin." Mr. Dunn, as always, played the diplomat and mingled just the proper quantity of comprehending sympathy with the congratulations.

When, after the long siege, she was at least yielded and said "yes" to Malcolm she felt that that question at least was settled. She would marry him. Had not Mrs. Dunn told her over and over again what a good son he was and what a kind heart he had and how he would be? Oh, she ought to be a very happy girl! Of course she was happy. But why had her uncle looked at her as he did? And what did he mean by hinting that when they looked right they sometimes were all wrong? She wished Malcolm was with her then; she needed him.

She heard the clang of the elevator door; then the bell rang furiously. She heard Evans hasten to answer. Then, to her amazement, she heard her brother's voice.

"Caroline!" demanded Stephen. "Caroline! Where are you?" "He burst into the room, still wearing his coat and hat and carrying a traveling bag in his hand."

"Oh!" he exclaimed, "you're all right then! You are all right, aren't you?" "All right? Why shouldn't I be all right? What do you mean? And why are you here?"

"Why am I here?" he repeated. "Yes, why did you come from New Haven?" "Why, because I got the telegram, of course! You expected me to come, didn't you?"

"I expected you? Telegram? What telegram?" "Why, the—Good Lord, Caro, what are you talking about? Didn't you know they telegraphed me to come home at once? I've pretty near broke my neck, and the taxicab man's getting here from the station. I thought you must be very ill or something worse."

"They telegraphed you to come here? Who—Edwards, you may take Mr. Warren's things to his room?" "When they were alone she turned again to her brother."

"Now, Steve," she said, "sit down and tell me what you mean. Who telegraphed you?" "Why, old Sylvester, father's lawyer. I've got the message here somewhere. No, never mind; I've lost it, I guess. He wired me to come home as early as possible this morning. Said it was very important. And you didn't know anything about it?"

"No, not a thing." "Steve hastened to call upon Sylvester and from him learned sufficient to grasp the fact that he and Caroline were practically penniless. This he imparted to his sister, but unknown to her he visited the captain and talked over with him the probable effect the situation would have upon the Dunns. He was anxious that Malcolm should be kept to his promise."

**CHAPTER XVII.**  
The Unmaking of the Dunns.

CAROLINE sat by the library window, her chin in her hand, dreamily watching the sheet of ice beat against the panes and the tops of the park trees lashing in the wind.

Stephen uttered an exclamation. "Some one's at the door," he explained. "It's Sylvester, or course," he let him in."

It was not the lawyer, but a messenger boy with a note. Stephen returned to the library with the missive in his hand.

"He couldn't get here, Caro," he said excitedly. "Wants us to come right down to his office. Come! Rush! It may be important."

The cab made good time, and they soon reached the Pine street offices. "Hope he doesn't keep us waiting long," Steve muttered. "I thought, of course, he was ready or he wouldn't have sent for us."

"Ready?" His sister looked at him questioningly. "Ready for what?" she repeated, with sudden suspicion. "Steve, do you know what Mr. Sylvester wishes to see us about?"

Her brother colored and seemed a bit disconcerted.

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"METEORA" MEANS "DOMICILE OF THE SKY."

Strange Monastery In Thessaly Is Reached by a Unique Elevator. A Description of a Visit to the Strange Religious House Built on the Brink of a Precipice 300 Feet High.

Few religious movements of recent times have aroused such world-wide discussion as the proposal to form a league of churches along lines parallel to the political league of nations.

This proposal came from the most unexpected source, from the Patriarch of the Greek Church, who left the Ecumenical throne, violating a precedent of 400 years, to present his plans at Paris. Unexpected, it explains, because the Greek church not only is remote from the Western world's affairs, but many of its own strongholds are isolated and breathe the spirit of past ages. As an example it points to the monasteries of Thessaly, nature-made skyscrapers reached by unique elevators, which are described by Elizabeth Perkins, as follows:

"There is a legend, perhaps it is history, that there was once a ruler in Constantinople who disliked his brother and wished to banish him to the remotest corner of his kingdom. Consequently the monarch built a monastery on a well-known inaccessible mountain in Thessaly and founded a brotherhood, about 400 years ago, in what seemed to be the quietest corner of the earth.

"The monastery was called 'Metaora,' meaning 'domicile of the sky.' After the original was built, twenty-three others grouped themselves around and were inhabited for a while. They were, however, finally abandoned, with the exception of three which are still in use.

"The seven hours' trip across the plains of Thessaly to the town of Kalabaka is most enchanting. Occasionally a Greek priest, with long beard, long hair, and long equestrian robes, by his large cross indicating prominently his calling, and if he is not in too great a hurry, a pedestrian may behold him, his cross, and be touched on the forehead with a little switch, presumably dipped in holy water, and the sinner obtains absolution for the day.

"We left the train at Kalabaka, and there took horses and guides to climb to the high-built monastery. For three hours the horses had to pick their way over hillsides where, in the month of February, no trail was visible.

"As we looked in wonder at one detached colossal pillar of stone, we discovered our seemingly unattainable summit a building. This habitation of man, half natural rock and half artificial, seemed most extraordinary. Our guides drew attention to the higher precipices, and as we grew accustomed to their outlines we discovered that the monks had sided into the ledges of the perpendicular walls. They are not all inhabited to-day, but they are there, bearing testimony that man has climbed, and built, and lived on crags that seem impossible for goats to climb.

"The whole of the white plain of Thessaly lay at our feet, and the white mountains of the Pindos ranged rugged and imposing before us. At the base of the rock on which we stood, the monks had built a little Trinity is perched, like an eagle's nest, our guides hallowed and beat with a stick at its base, and found some back, and over the precipice, some 300 feet above us, the peering faces of several monks were seen. Then something serpentine flew into the air, and as it dropped perpendicularly we saw dangling from a coil of rope what looked like a small fish net. Down came the cable until it dropped on to the earth. The hook, the fish net proved to be a large sized rope bag, which opened and spread out flat on the ground.

"One at a time we were invited to step into the middle of this net and speak, Turk-fashion. The edges were drawn together and a large loop hooked, a shout was given, and the net soared upward, while its occupant felt somewhat like an orange at the bottom of a market woman's bag.

"The ascent takes just three minutes. Occasionally the open-work elevator swings into the rock with a slight bump, but the monks at the top swing outward, to get a rebound inward, several pairs of hands were outstretched to pull the net over to the platform, and then came a drop on to the store floor. The hook was detached, the meshes opened, and the passenger helped to her feet by the black-robed brothers. The all gathered around with words of welcome and hands ready to be shaken in greeting.

"All we had to offer in return for their hospitality were some American postcards. The Platiron Building caused much unintelligible comment, but also the perfectly understandable remark that 'this must be the Meteora of Aristotle.' Our unsharpened friend also made us understand the superiority of the original Meteora in having a net bag to facilitate the mounting. Alas! We could not make him understand the greater superiority of an electric lift."

Finished. "I'll let you off this time," said the judge, "but you fellows want to remember that you have no right to go whirling along regardless of the rights of pedestrians."

"Well, judge," said the pleased motorist, "you know to what I am human."

"What's that? You are fined fifty dollars for contempt of court."

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## VILLAGES ON OCEAN BOTTOM.

Holland to Drain Zuyder Zee In Great Reclamation Project.

Holland has decided to drain the Zuyder Zee, and in the next thirty years four acres of Dutch villages will be built upon what is now the bottom of the ocean, according to Hendrik Willem Van Loon, a Dutch scholar and historian who writes of the gigantic reclamation project in his new book, "The Zuyder Zee and the Dutch." The work will require thirty years, but at the end of that time, Holland is assured of 400,000 acres of the richest kind of new agricultural land.

"Holland has made ready to join the ranks of the annexationists," says R. W. Van Loon. "It desires additional territory; it needs more fertile soil. It is shortly going to conquer new domains at the expense of the unsuspecting herbage and the slippery eel. The old Zuyder Zee is going to be drained, and within thirty years from now four hundred thousand acres of new and valuable land will have been added to the Dutch Kingdom. They will prevent a repetition of that wholesale starvation which followed the outbreak of the Great War and the embargo of the smaller nations of neutral Europe."

"The Zuyder Zee has been a good little sea as such salty phenomena go. At times it has drowned a number of people who have placed upon it, has killed thousands of cows and sheep without a ripple of excitement. More often it has put on a thick coat of ice to give a whole nation a cheerful skating holiday. After a very prolonged and extremely careful investigation the Netherlands Parliament passed a law authorizing the draining of this useless stretch of water. As fishermen they could no longer make a living, and as farmers they have a great future before them.

"The task of this inveterate wrecking crew will not be easy. But the inhabitant of the dry land has now a new and powerful ally in the modern electric pump. This handy contrivance which can be placed upon any dike, within a very few days can handle more than one thousand cubic feet of water per minute. The old windmills which kept Holland dry for the last six centuries never could lift more than ten cubic feet during the same period of time. The picturesque mill will soon be ready for the museum of mechanical curiosities. This is very sad for the amateur painter of water-colors, but very agreeable for the farmer, who will be less exposed to sudden inundation.

"Provided the new pumps, the engineer will first of all build a gigantic dike that will connect the eastern part of the province of Holland with the western part of Friesland. Leaving the Dutch coast, this dike will run straight to Wieringen, the last of the islands in the Zuyder Zee. Past the temporary aid of the former crown prince it will then stretch out toward the opposite shore until the coast of Friesland is reached. This dike will be 48 kilometers long, and it will cost about a million guilders per kilometer. It will provide a new and direct road between the northern part of the country and the capital, and it will shorten the journey from Amsterdam to Leeuwarden, the Frisian capital, from 208 to 150 kilometers.

"In all years of constant work, if all goes well, more than 400,000 acres of fertile clay will have been secured, and a new rural population will be occupying four square villages on the bottom of the ocean. A new population, living from six to ten feet below the surface of the sea, will be engaged in agricultural pursuits. The fishermen of Edam and Monnikendam will be driven to Wieringen and there will be a new and greatly superior harbor, and the next world war will find Holland a self-supporting unit."

## Where Women Shave.

In the New East (Tokio), of which J. W. Robertson Scott is editor, there is given an interesting list of things "the Japanese do differently" from ourselves. For example:

"Ladies at with their hands folded palms up, and their feet together. Ladies never brush their hair; they only comb it.

"It is polite to make a noise with the mouth when eating certain food. It shows one appreciates the food. Ladies, however, rarely do so, as they are supposed to suppress their feelings.

"A bride calls on her neighbors and friends, instead of the neighbors and friends calling on her."

"Where we speak of a thin-felted Japanese speak of a sparrow's tear. Number three is always lucky, excepting in takayuan (pickled radish). To offer a person three pieces would be waste."

"We speak of putting a thing on the fire, 'cook.' The Japanese speak of putting the fire through it ('hi wo tsuki')."

"A man never wishes his wife 'good morning' first. She greets him and he replies. A woman never speaks of her husband as such; she speaks of 'the house.'"

## The Japanese Farm.

No one but a Japanese farmer could raise enough rice to go around in a country where there are 56,000,000 people and only 25,000 square miles of farm lands. The Government is helping by experiments which have increased the yield by one-third during the past twenty years. But where 'farm' is type and a half acres and where an additional acre costs \$500, every inch and every minute must be counted. One-third of the farmers' families have to add to their incomes by silk-raising. No wonder there is a drift toward the city factories, especially since the old order which gave the farmer social prestige is being replaced by one founded upon a financial basis.—World Outlook.

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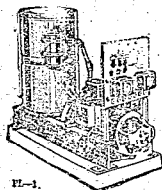
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STORY OF "THE SILENT HERO OF BELGIUM"

Plan to Cause Death of Wm. Hohenzollern Was Not Successful, and Alois Van Keirsbilck Paid the Penalty After Being Treated With Characteristic Cruelty by the Prussian Authorities.

I f earnest yearning for the demise of the Kaiser could have killed him, the death of Mr. William Hohenzollern would probably have been celebrated somewhere about August 1, 1914. But while the prolonged entertainment of a consuming desire for somebody's passing hence may be effective in some cases for all we know, it hasn't bothered the ex-Kaiser, who is reported to be enjoying robust health and making preparations to remain in America until, overtaken by extreme old age, there was at least one man, however, who wasn't satisfied merely with sitting around hatching the former head of the Huns and hoping he would meet with a fatal accident. This was Alois Van Keirsbilck, a Belgian, who tried to kill the Kaiser because he thought that by so doing the war would come to an end. It occurred to Alois that the best way to accomplish his purpose was to have an airman gently drop a bomb or two down on a building in Thiel, the Kaiser's native town, when the All-Highest and his mighty staff were holding a big banquet there, as they had planned to do. Perhaps the scheme would have succeeded if circumstances had not intervened over which the man who conceived the idea had no control.

Thiel was the headquarters of the Fourth German Army and sheltered the commander-in-chief with a staff of hundreds of officers. Alois Van Keirsbilck was chief conductor on the railway between Thiel and Bruges. Also he was the chief of a secret organization which had only one object—"help to our boys and death to the enemy." The organization was in communication with the Belgian army through spies who made regular trips into Holland across the "cable of death," and many a German plan originated at headquarters in Thiel, failed, thanks to the activity of Alois and his men.

It was not long before Alois saw his chance for a big stroke. The Kaiser was coming to Thiel on November 1. A desperate attack was to be made against the Belgian forces along the Yser and from there on against Tynes and Dusseldorp and Wilhelm II. in person was to inspect the preparations.

Kill the Kaiser and the war will be over was the firm conviction of Alois and his friends, and they set to work. Only one of the three messengers who were sent out reached the other side of the electric cable, but one was sufficient and when November 1 came Alois felt confident that something would happen.

The big dinner at which the Kaiser and his staff were to gather around the table was to begin at two o'clock. At that moment anxious eyes watched the sky toward the west. Would the airman come with their bombs to end the deed that would finish the war? Would they be in time?

At 2.15 there was a speck in the blue sky. It grew bigger and bigger and soon the watchers distinguished three flying machines. In haste Alois communicated with his friends. Barely had those who were warned taken shelter when the first explosion was heard. Then for a few minutes the town of Thiel shuddered as bomb after bomb exploded. But it was all in vain. There had been a sudden change in the Kaiser's schedule and the war-ford had left Thiel at two o'clock sharp.

This ended the attempt planned by Alois Van Keirsbilck to do away with the Kaiser, but it marked the beginning of troubles for the unfortunate Belgian. The commander-in-chief of the Fourth German Army raged and roared. Such things must not be permitted to go unpunished, and he set about discovering the guilty parties in a zealous and thorough manner.

A contra-spy system was organized at once and late news were provided for any bit of information. Slowly but surely Alois was drawn into the net woven by a most minute and complete investigation. On February 2 he was summoned to the commandant's office and taken prisoner. Already three of his co-operators were there. It was then that Alois Van Keirsbilck showed the courage which won for him the name of "The Silent Hero." He said to his friends who were still free, "Do not let my absence or death scare you; but keep up your work. I have been doing." After his arrest nothing could induce him to confess his part in the plot. He was condemned to death, and then the Germans created and applied as devilish a scheme of mental torture for a human being as could be devised. Alois had two children, and a third was to be born soon.

On a new life enters your home your life will end inquisitor speak," said the German inquisitor. On April 5 a little girl was born in the Keirsbilck house.

## "IF ALL WHO HATE WOULD LOVE US"

If all who hate would love us,  
 And all our loved were true,  
 The stars that swing above us  
 Would brighten in the blue;  
 If cruel were our kisses,  
 And every scowl a smile,  
 A better world than this is  
 Would hardly be worth while;  
 If purses would not tighten  
 To meet a brother's need,  
 The load we bear would lighten  
 Above the grave of greed.

If those who whine would whistle,  
 And those who languish laugh,  
 The rose would rout the thistle,  
 The grain outrun the chaff;  
 If hearts were only jolly,  
 If grieving were forgot,  
 And fears of melancholy  
 Were things that never are not—  
 Then love would kneel to duty,  
 And all the world would seem  
 A bridal bower of beauty,  
 A dream within a dream.

Temperature Has a Great Deal to Do With Buoyancy of an Airship.

Weather observations are even more important to airship than water-borne craft. Temperature has a great deal to do with the buoyancy of an airship. Even, however, to behold a paradox; for the officer, prior to a flight, carefully shades his thermometer from the rays of the sun before reading it, although his airship is going to be exposed to full sun.

It is the same paradox that gives rise to indignation in the average citizen when, at the close of a boiling hot day, he reads the official weather report, according to which the highest temperature was only ninety. He feels positive it was at least a hundred, and so it was over a sun-baked pavement.

The universal practice of taking air temperatures in the shade is not sheer perversity on the part of the weather man. He would like to be able to answer the question, "How hot is it in the sun." Unfortunately this question merely prompts another, "How hot is what in the sun?" The sunshine registers the temperature of the glass and metal of which it is made, not the temperature of the air.

The shaded thermometer registers more or less accurately the temperature of the air, perhaps the most important factor of weather. The thermometer is doubly protected by the wooden case, and the case is also a ventilating device in the shape of a revolving fan.

An alternative to reading the thermometer in the shade is to whirl it rapidly in the air at the end of a cord. The excessive heat which the instrument absorbs is immediately lost by conduction to the air—Popular Science.

The St. Swithin Tradition.  
 A "special cable despatch" to a New York paper tells that on July 15 (St. Swithin's Day) "a water spout which burst about Teoburny, in Argyleshire, spread a shower of burning over the town and part of the town of Hilly. They fell in heaps on the houses, and the people were quickly gobbling them up, and later these were assisted by hens, ducks, and cats."

There has been a great deal of talk about "St. Swithin" for many years. It turns out that Swithin never was a saint, although he was a bishop. Every newspaper every year reminds people that July 15 is St. Swithin's Day, and that it rains that day it will rain for forty days. As a matter of cold, scientific fact, the weather bureau expert in New York says that the longest spell of continuous rainy days known in that district was in 1907, namely, eleven days. The same expert doubts if there ever were forty consecutive days of rain anywhere except in the tropics, except, of course, in the "rainy season" mentioned in Genesis.

In connection with Swithin it may interest those who have not looked him up in the encyclopedia, that the origin of the legend: He was Bishop of Winchester about 855 A.D. Before he died, he begged to be buried in the open churchyard and not in the church. So he was. But after a hundred years the monks thought to honor him and the fact was by burying him in the church. They appointed July 15 for the removal, but this day he began to rain so heavily and continued steadily for forty days and nights. The monks took the hint and left Swithin stay where he was.

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## FARMERS SHOULD LOOK AFTER SEED OATS BEFORE ACTUALLY NEEDED

Scarcity In Some Parts Will Make Them Very Difficult To Get.

In those districts where the oat crop was a partial or total failure last season, farmers are becoming somewhat anxious as to the available supply of seed oats. There is a general tendency on the part of farmers who have seed oats for sale to withhold them until later in the winter. The movement of seed oats is delayed also, because transportation has been needed for coal, feed and live stock.

Possibly 400,000 bushels of seed oats may be required in Ontario and Quebec, and a much larger quantity in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan. The Canadian Government Seed Purchasing Commission already has substantial supplies in store in the Interior Terminal Elevators, and large quantities of good quality early-harvested oats are still to come forward. Alberta and Saskatchewan requirements will be given first consideration from the seed oats produced in these provinces.

The shortage in Ontario and Quebec may quite easily be met from the large and excellent oat crops in Prince Edward Island and Eastern Nova Scotia. No. 1 quality Island Banner seed oats are now being delivered as far west as Toronto at a price comparable with Western seed oats of the same grade. The price of No. 1 seed oats delivered in bulk carlots at any point in Ontario and Quebec should not exceed the current Fort William cash price for No. 2 Canada Western oats by more than 35 cents per bushel. Registered and other select stocks true to variety may be higher in price.

The Dominion Seed Branch provides a system of grading and inspection, so that shippers in either Western Canada or the Maritime provinces may make delivery of inspection certificates with their bills of lading. Purchasers of seed oats in any part of Canada may now buy on the basis of grade, No. 1 Seed, No. 2 Seed, etc. and subject to the delivery of seed inspection certificates.

GEO. H. CLARK, Seed Commissioner, Ottawa, Dec. 31, 1919.

## PROF. BRITAIN GOES TO CORNELL

Prof. W. H. Brittain, Provincial Entomologist, Depart. of Agriculture, left last week for Cornell University, where he will take a winter's post graduate work in his chosen subject. His numerous friends, especially among the fruit growers whom he has served so well, will be pleased to know that Mr. Brittain is thus preparing himself for yet more efficient service. In his absence, his classes at the college will be looked after by Capt. C. A. Good, B. S. A., assistant provincial entomologist, who has recently returned from three years service in Europe.

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Well, the farmers had their meeting on Saturday and I know one or two who went there on purpose to hear if things political would be discussed. But of course there would not be at a meeting of that nature. I thought perhaps there might be an "after meeting" such as our clerical friends talk so much about, but there was no time as all the afternoon was taken up in other ways. However, I have been given a hint that a meeting is to be called in a few days at which an attempt will be made to organize the farmers for political action. They tell me that President Bacon is red hot for it and that a great many others, who have been both Tory and Grit at different times, are willing to try their luck along new lines.

I have heard considerable talk about the Farmers Meeting, by the way. I find the attendance was not very large but those who were there were the leading farmers of the district. Isn't that always the case? Go to any of these meetings and you will find that the men who have been successful and are leaders in their professions, are present, and the man who has always been a near failure is absent. Ask him why he wasn't present, and he will likely ask you, "What the hell is the good of those meetings—they never put any dollars in my pocket?" Look around among your own acquaintances and see if I'm not right.

I was surprised to get from the editor a reply to the letter re. the school building published last week. I find it evidently written by a school boy, but he only signs himself "A Sufferer," and, of course, I cannot tell from that who he is. I know, Mr. Editor, it is against the rules of good newspapermen to publish anonymous letters, but I am going to ask you to make an exception in this case. The letter is as follows:

Dear Editor:—I read a letter about the Digby school in the "Courier" and I think that guy was right about everything he said. I agree with a new school and thing I evidently believe only one who would be willing to stay out on strike until a new one was built.

I think the Editor very much for the space—but I remain  
Digby, Jan. 12. A Sufferer.

I notice that since the barges commenced to load here there is considerable more stir around the

## FARMERS HELD THEIR ANNUAL MEETING LAST SATURDAY

There was Considerable Discussion Re Line Fences and Several Resolutions of Importance Carried.

Court House, Jan. 10th, 1920. The annual meeting of the D. C. F. A. was held at the Court House on the above date with the President in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were then taken up and on motion adopted. The financial statement and the Executive's report were then taken up and on motion adopted.

The President gave a report of the year's proceedings, which was on motion duly received. Carey Morgan was elected a delegate to attend the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association at Kentville, on behalf of the Digby County Farmers' Association. Duncan McKay was elected as a substitute in the event of Mr. Morgan being unable to go.

The matter of fencing for better protection of sheep owners was discussed at length. On motion of D. C. McKay and seconded by Caswell Denton, the Executive Committee were requested to draft a resolution to be presented at the Nova Scotia Farmers Association meeting re. legislation for fencing of sheep.

On motion the old list of Directors were re-elected with the exception

of W. D. Ryerson and W. F. Nichol, and there was added to the list Caswell Denton, Harvey Chisholm and Fred Lent.

Moved by D. C. McKay and seconded by Jas. Trevor, that the Executive Committee be requested to form a resolution to be signed by the President and Secretary of the D. C. F. A. and forwarded to George E. Graham, Gen. Man. D. A. R., thanking him for his undertaking to open a prize competition in this District, during the coming season, on the growing of potatoes.

On motion A. L. M. Swabey and J. Letteney were duly appointed auditors for the ensuing year.

Court House, Jan. 10th, 1920. A meeting of the Directors was held immediately after the Annual Meeting with the Pres. in the chair.

On motion of Carey Morgan and seconded by Goudy Nichols, W. A. Bacon was elected President of the Association.

On motion Carey Morgan was elected Vice President for the ensuing year.

On motion D. C. McKay and the President, Mr. Bacon, were elected a committee to look after the seeds for the Association for 1920.

The arrangement for meetings was left in the hands of the Executive. They were instructed to secure outside speakers if at all possible.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

## VITAL STATISTICS ACT PENALTIES

The Courier has been requested to publish the following sections from the Vital Statistics Act, Sect. 32. Any physician or nurse in attendance upon a case of confinement or any other person charged with responsibility for reporting births, in the order named in the prescribed form, who shall neglect or refuse to file a proper notice of birth with the Division Registrar within the time required by this Act, shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this act and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than five dollars and not more than fifty dollars.

Sect. 54. If any undertaker, sexton or other person acting as undertaker shall inter remove or otherwise dispose of the body of any deceased person without having received a burial or removal permit

## THE HIGH COST OF MEAT IS SURE SOME PUZZLE

Ontario Farmers Get More Money But Consumer Pays Less Than In Nova Scotia.

## EARNST AND AGGRESSIVE BIBLE CLASSES

The Island Bible Class invited the Karsdale class to attend their session on Saturday evening Dec. 27th, at the home of Mrs. Albert Angers. The invitation was accepted and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The lesson was a review of the lessons for the past quarter. Rev. Mr. Patterson took half of the lessons, and Rev. Mr. Brindley the other half. Both acquitted themselves splendidly and the various points brought out were greatly appreciated. J. L. Brindley presided at the piano and assisted by an excellent staff of vocalists furnished splendid music. Little Miss Albertine Angers gave a very nice recitation in good style. Rev. Mr. King who was present, was invited to speak, but owing to the late hour declined with a few words of encouragement to the classes. Being called upon E. H. Porter, president of the Karsdale class, thanked the Island class in behalf of the Karsdale for their kind invitation, congratulating them upon the success of their visitation for their efforts, and expressed a hope that their institution would continue to grow and become a great power for good in the community. Closing extended to them a most cordial invitation to meet with the Karsdale class on the following Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Bertha Hudson. Then followed a lunch served up in the grand style characteristic of Lower Granville and then after more music the company broke up.

On Tuesday evening the Island class met with the Karsdale another evening of profit and pleasure is all was spent. Rev. Mr. Brindley took up the lesson "Peter at Pentecost" and brought out some very excellent points. John K. Winchester, President of the Island class, made some very appropriate remarks asking all to meet with them the next Saturday evening. Excellent music was in order at intervals, Miss Manning and Miss Mildred McNeill presiding at the organ. An excellent lunch was then served by the Karsdale members and a most profitable evening terminated at a late hour.

## VALUES IT MORE THAN A FORTUNE

Power Gains Eighteen Pounds—Rheumatism Disappears After Taking Tanlac.

"I consider what Tanlac has done for me to be worth more than a fortune," said George Power of Halifax, N.S., while talking to the Tanlac representative a few days ago. Mr. Power lives at 20, 1-2 Rottenberg St., Halifax, has lived in Nova Scotia all his life and is a well known agent of the Nova Scotia Tram and Ferry Co.

"I've actually gained eighteen pounds since taking Tanlac, and I feel better in every way than I have in twenty-eight long years, and what's more I have spent hundreds and hundreds of dollars on medicine and never got a particle of good out of it and Tanlac," continued Mr. Power.

"I had rheumatism in both my legs from the knees down, and in damp weather I just had to stay at home from work. My ankles bothered me too, and I don't believe a body in the world ever suffered from rheumatism as bad as I did for it was just a sharp shock of pain that would go through my knees, down my legs and into my ankles like somebody was sticking a knife through me, and I would be in such agony that I would turn as white as a sheet. When these attacks came on me I would be unable to sleep a wink but would roll and tumble all night long, and my joints would swell and my knees would be as stiff as a board and I couldn't bend them at all.

"I noticed where Tanlac was being highly recommended by people right here in Halifax, so I decided to try it. And I wouldn't take anything in the world for the good it has done me. If anybody don't believe that I am a well man, and that the rheumatism has left me entirely and that I never feel even a trace of it, just tell me to see me. My appetite has picked up and I have gained in weight, and feel better in every way and can sleep fine at night. Tanlac is the greatest thing I have ever seen, and I want you to publish this statement for I want everybody to know what this medicine will do."

Tanlac is sold in Digby by P. W. Holdsworth, in Sandy Cove by Frank E. Rice, in Bear River by L. V. Harris, in Tiverton by Small Bros., in Freeport by B. S. Bishop, in Weymouth by W. G. Blackadar, in Westport by E. C. Bowers, Co., Ltd., and in Comeauville, by J. Aug. Comeau.

As herein provided, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this act and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than twenty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

JOHN DALEY, Division Registrar.

Poetic justice for the purveyors of wood alcohol would be to make them drink some.

## DR. J. W. ROBERTSON TO VISIT NOVA SCOTIA

According to a communication recently received by the Secretary for Agriculture, Nova Scotia is shortly to have a ten days visit from Dr. J. W. Robertson, Dominion Commissioner of Agriculture. Dr. Robertson has been in France at the Peace Conference as Canadian Agricultural representative and comes with fresh first hand information on the world food situation. The dates of his visit to Nova Scotia are Feb. 17th to 26th. He is always a welcome visitor to this province and besides having a nation wide reputation as a platform speaker, is one of the very first authorities in agricultural and trade questions.

Dr. Robertson has already made engagements at one or two centers. The Secretary for Agriculture is anxious, however, that he should be heard by the largest possible number of farmers. Communities or organizations wishing to take advantage of this opportunity would do well to write at once to the college so that an itinerary may be arranged.



REV. C. L. SNOW of Smith's Cove, the newly appointed organizer for the Sons of Temperance.

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## TO-DAY

In medicine, as in every other necessity, the public is satisfied with nothing but the best. This explains the ever-increasing demand for Zam-Buk. Not only is this great balm the best household remedy to-day, but it is also the most economical.

Zam-Buk's superiority is due to the fact that it is an all-around, containing none of the coarse animal fats or harsh mineral drugs found in ordinary ointments. Again, the medicinal properties are so highly concentrated that they contain the maximum amount of healing, soothing and antiseptic power, so that a little of this balm goes a long way.

Another reason why Zam-Buk is most economical, it will keep indefinitely and retain to the last its strength and purity. Best for skin diseases and injuries, blood-poisoning and piles. All dealers, 50c. box.

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MR. BOWERS EXPRESSES THANKS.

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir:—Mrs. Bowers and myself would, through your valuable and widespread columns, take this opportunity to thank our numerous friends on the Pacific to the Atlantic, from the Gulf of Mexico to the frozen regions of the Northlands and the many in the Maritime Provinces for the scores of Birthdays, Christmas and New Year cards, books, and letters sent to us during the last three weeks. We would like personally to answer them and thank the senders and donors but the effort is too great for my eyes and I trust that they will consider the wish for deed.

Westport, Jan. 12th. E. C. BOWERS.

SOUTHVILLE

George Cooman called on friends here on Sunday last.

Misses Florence Gavel and Florence Picot spent the week-end at Havelock.

Misses E. A. Wagner, Evelyn and Florence Robertson visited friends at this place, Friday.

Mrs. Isaac Prime, a son, Clarence Prime, and son Forest visited Mrs. Howard Steele recently.

Misses Rosalind, Jessie and Madeline Coomb, also Edna Steele spent a pleasant evening at Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wagner's Diners, this week.

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## CASH CASH CASH

I have decided that from Jan. 1st, 1920, to run my business on a strictly cash system (it is true). No one person allowed five cents credit after said date.

All goods will be marked net, sold lowest price possible.

All bills outstanding must be paid before the 10th Jan. 1920, after which they will be left for collection.

Must have my bills in order to pay others.

Taking this opportunity to thank my customers for past favors and soliciting their continued favors. Yours for a bright 1920.

**Centreville Cash Grocery Store**  
WM. M. B. DENTON

### CULLODEN

George Herrier, of Mink Cove, spent a few days with relatives in this village.

Miss Mary Andrews, of Mt. Pleasant, spent the week-end with Mrs. John Ross.

Mrs. and Mrs. Emmet Stark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Hand-spiker Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Ruby Campbell has gone to Digby with relatives in this village.

George Holdsworth is at Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Murphy went to North William on Saturday to visit her parents, and Mrs. W. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Daley, and children and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Ross spent Sunday in Brighton, with Mr. and Mrs. Handford Daley.

### BEAR RIVER EAST

Rev. E. and Mrs. Davis returned from Aylesford on Monday.

Miss Francis Banks, of Halifax, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Holdsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Sandford on Tuesday received the sad news of the death of their son-in-law, Edgar Warden, of Waltham, N. H.

Walter Duxshire, after two week's vacation, has again resumed work at the pulp mills now under construction at the Bear River bridge.

Mrs. W. E. Banks, after spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zwicker, returned to her home in Halifax on Monday.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen,—Last winter I received great benefit from the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT in severe attack of LaGrippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of Inflammation.

Yours,  
W. A. HUTCHINSON.

LOWER GRANVILLE

Ernest Thorne has gone to the Agricultural College to take his second course in its studies.

Miss Peter Evelyn Melanson went to Deep Brook on Saturday to visit her cousin, Mrs. Howard Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Thorne are receiving congratulations for a little daughter that came to their home on Wednesday, Jan. 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Croscup celebrated the 20th anniversary of their marriage on Saturday, Jan. 10th, by entertaining about fifty guests to a turkey supper.

Newman Andrews spent New Years with his cousin, Arnold Payson, Weymouth.

Mrs. and Mrs. Geo. O. Hankinson, Weymouth, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Andrews.

Mrs. Jane A. Drews has returned home from Granville where she has been spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Hugh Armstrong.

### NORTH RANG

Mr. Wallace, evangelist at Tiverton, held service in the Hall Sunday, and preached an able and interesting sermon to a full house.

Mr. Harvey was also present and assisted at the service.

Large numbers of his help and kindness, for through his unflinching efforts the hall was completed.

Mr. Harvey went to Grand Haven for his summer, and the kind people over there gave him \$100.00 for the hall. He also took a couple of East Ferry, which he then gave to the church.

Mr. Harvey, who has been in the business through the County, Mrs. Small and Mrs. Griffiths went to Long Island and Brier Island and the generous folks gave them \$100.00 for the purchase of the hall.

East Ferry, now one of the finest little buildings on Digby Neck. It is finished in heavy board and the sheathing is varnished in dark oak, and it is all paid for.

### PLYMPTON

No service was held in our church on Sunday owing to the illness of Rev. D. Farquhar.

We are having quite a blizzard at the time of writing. Our Bay contains quite a quantity of drift ice.

Our school reopened on the 3th, the children all well pleased to have Miss Coaboom return much improved in health.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Smith, accompanied by their son John and little grandson, were passengers on Tuesday, the 6th, to Boston where they expect to spend a few weeks with their children.

### THE BARTON CEMETERY FUND.

FOR REPAIRING AND KEEPING IN ORDER.

1919 money received since last report.

Nov. 13th, Mrs. Lewis N. Oakes, North Adams, \$2.00

Nov. 14th, Mrs. E. A. Gidney, Mink Cove, 1.00

Nov. 15th, Mrs. Amasa Eldridge, Sandy Cove, 1.00

Nov. 16th, Miss Mabel Ruggles, Waltham, 1.00

Nov. 17th, Avern Adams, 2.00

Nov. 18th, Mrs. Mary Jones, 5.00

Jan. 3rd, 1920, J. H. Urquhart, Waltham, 5.00

1919 money paid out.

Sept. 26th, paid Mr. Adams 9 days work, 22.35

Sept. 27th, notice in Digby, 1.35

Nov. 15th, paid Mr. Adams 8 days work, 18.00

Nov. 26th, paid Mr. Adams 4 days work, 9.00

Nov. 30th, paid Mr. Adams 5 days work, 11.25

Total \$67.75

Kindly address contributions to Mrs. Chas. R. Smith, Secretary, Barton, Digby Co., N. S.

MISS HATTIE M. PERRY, Treasurer.

HARLEM

Edward Durand has gone to St. John for the winter months.

Mrs. Margaret Cossaboom has returned to her home at Tiverton.

We note that A. M. Smith has purchased a fine horse from H. P. Hayes.

Miss Mary Gault, of Cossaboom, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charlie Gaudet.

Edward Wall, of Halifax, has been visiting friends and relatives in this place.

We are having beautiful sledding here, and the icebergs are taking advantage of the snow.

Fred Mullen has purchased the home formerly owned by Vernon Cossaboom who had moved to Tiverton.

Miss Isabelle LeBlanc and friend, Harry Ford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dugas, recently.

Edw. LeBlanc has returned to Halifax after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. LeBlanc.

Aubrey Amoro has purchased the home formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Horton Haynes, who have moved to St. John.

Miss Celia Dugas and friend, Amos LeBlanc, of this place, with Miss Dugas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dugas.

Horton P. Hayes has sold his property to Aubrey Amoro, of Halifax. Vernon Cossaboom has also sold his property to Freddie Mullen, of this place.

EAST FERRY

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PRESENTATION TO FORMER FREEMONT BOY.

(Copied from Vernon Standard.)

A little function was held at the High School Tuesday, when R. H. Brooks, retiring principal, was made the recipient of an address and presented with a handsome club bag on behalf of the school board, teaching staff and high school scholars.

Chairman Cooper presided and after a few introductory words called upon Miss Madeleine Tremblay, the retiring principal.

Stephens making the presentation:—Dear Mr. Brooks—We, the school board, school staff and the pupils of the High School, wish to express our unqualified appreciation of your work among us as a teacher, principal and friend.

While we regret that it necessarily means the severance of your connection with our school and town, yet we congratulate you upon your promotion and appointment to the School Inspectorate of Nova Scotia. While we value you as an ex-teacher, we value you as a true friend, and we most of all as a true friend, we want that to act the part of a true friend requires a more conscious feeling than to fill with credit and competency any other situation or capacity in the social life.

We have found you a true friend and a true friend is forever a friend. Please accept this club bag not as a parting token, but as an expression of our continued friendship and admiration for that no matter where you may go our thoughts and best wishes go with you.

Signed on behalf of School Staff, Pupils and Board.

THE HERBERT GREEN'S TRIP

The S.S. Herbert Green underwent her trial trip in St. Mary's Bay on Friday, Jan. 10th, under the command of Mr. steamship inspector, of Halifax. The boat, of a two hours run, maintained a speed of 12 knots, everything working satisfactorily.

This boat was built by B. N. Melanson in 1919 and the machinery was installed by Walter McArthur, who is to be complimented on the good job, done to the satisfaction of all concerned. She is 15 ft. keel, 22 ft. over all, 26 ft. 4 in. width to feet, 26 ft. 2 in. beam, 253 tons gross, capacity 225000 lumber, 425 tons cargo.

The boat was designed and built as a general freighter, seagoing, and could be called the "vanguard of the fleet of freighters which will eventually take the place of sailing coasters."

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DAVERS

Mr. Isaac Wagner, of Riverdale, called on friends in this place Tuesday.

Charles Cooman is spending a few days with his friend, Vernon Cooman, of Brighton.

Ralph McNeill, of North Range, spent his Christmas holidays with his friend, Miss Ora Wagner.

Alfred Abbott, of Marshalltown, has been spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. George Cooman, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barr, of Harlem spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis.

Alfred Abbott and Miss Evelyn Robertson were the guests of Mrs. Harold Sabine, of Riverdale, last Sunday.

Misses Edna and Flo a Steele, of this place, are spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Elijah Wagner.

Dorothy Prime and Letta and Dorothy Wagner, of John Prime and Carl Wagner, of this place, are spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Elijah Wagner.

Charlie Amoro who has been spending his Christmas holidays with his family, has returned to Digby where he is employed as a saw-miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Steele, of Digby, and Edna and Flo Steele, of Southville, also Mr. and Mrs. C. Prime, of New-Ticket, and Miss Mary Steele, of Digby, spent Christmas with Mrs. Elijah Wagner.

We must not forget to make special mention of two surprise parties that were held recently in Digby, in honor of two young men, where refreshments were served in abundance by the hosts.

After the evening wait, spent in playing games, the happy crowd left for home at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wagner, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Maud Wagner, motored to Scotch Village, Hunt's Co., a distance of 850 miles, where Mr. Harry Wagner spent a few days, calling on some of the most noted farmers, of midland, viewing farms, live stock, hay, etc., and also visiting some of the principal towns and villages in that part of the province.

WESTPORT

Boyd Coggins, of St. John, is visiting his sister, Miss Budora Oggins.

Miss Marjorie Smith, of St. John, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Ernest McDermann and Frank Ruggles have returned home from their trip to Florida and cities in Massachusetts.

Albert Hayford, who was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Riva Hayford, has returned to Halifax to resume his studies at Dalhousie.

Leonard Titus, of Boston, who spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Titus, left for Boston last week via Yarmouth.

Some Titus, of Wolfville, who spent a few days of the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Titus, has returned to St. John.

Mrs. Hattie Collins and daughter Reta, who were the guests during the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Welch, have returned to St. John.

Passengers to Yarmouth by S. S. Keith Cann on the 10th, were: Capt. F. H. Leat and wife, who are going to Halifax to visit their daughter, Mrs. Percy Glavin; Capt. Arthur Payson, who has returned to his work at Pinery's Point, Yarmouth; and Miss Charles Hicks who is making a business trip.

PRINCEDALE

Miss Jennie Feener went to St. John Wednesday where she expects to remain the winter.

Miss Nettie Fraser and Violet Wright spent the week-end with relatives at Clementville.

Mrs. E. E. Wright received word of the death of her father, William Hutchinson, of Roxville, Digby Co.

Henry Bees, of Nookomis, Saskatchewan, called on old friends here the past week after an absence of fourteen years.

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## A RUSSIAN MURDER LEAGUE.

Strange Story of Activities in Swedish Capital.

At the beginning of August the police of Stockholm discovered what they believed to be a political "murder league" in the Swedish capital. According to the police, the league was composed of Russian monarchists and its purpose was to assassinate the Russian emperor, Nicholas II. Four murders were attributed to it. Sixteen persons were arrested, including five women and fifty others were under suspicion. The theory held by the Swedish police was that the league intended to end Bolshevism and restore the monarchy in Russia, by murdering all the Bolsheviks.

Correspondent of the London Morning Post recently returned from Stockholm holds the opposite theory, that the murders were "executions" by secret Bolshevik agents of traitors to the Bolshevik cause. He says: "While I was in Stockholm during the years 1917-1918 I had the opportunity of constantly seeing the murdered men—Ardashev, Kalve and Engstrom—and their murderer, the so-called comrade colonel, Mohammed Beck Hadjetache. All these men were constant habitués of the Stockholm Grand Cafe Royal, of notorious fame as the meeting place during the war of scores of German, Austrian, Bulgarian, Turkish and Bolshevik agents, propagandists and other shady personages. During the summer and autumn of 1918 the Grand Hotel Royal and its cafe were crowded with Bolshevik agents, their representatives, official and secret, the Swedish Government having officially recognized the Bolshevik Government and authorized the creation of a Bolshevik legation at Stockholm. Among the members of this 'legation' was Kalve, one of the murdered men, who arrived from Germany with Lenin, but chose to remain in Sweden. This Kalve called himself a 'civil engineer', but, as learned, he had spent a couple of terms at one of the Belgian secondary technical schools and then became a professional wrestler and 'strong man' in a traveling circus in Germany. Kalve was appointed by Vorovsky, the Minister as his technical attaché. Immediately upon his promotion from a circus wrestler to the Bolshevik diplomatic service Kalve changed both his personal appearance and style of living. From a dirty, unkempt creature, ragged clothes he became an overdressed young blood, with fingers covered with costly rings, gold cigarette case studded with diamonds and heavily gold-mounted walking cane. He began to patronize the Grand Hotel Royal, giving expensive champagne lunches, dinners and suppers and always accompanied by representatives of the demi-monde. He was always escorted by his lieutenant, a Swedish named Engstrom (also reported murdered).

When Vorovsky returned from his visit to Berlin in the summer of 1918 a strange thing happened. Kalve, who had been a fanatical supporter of the Soviet system, suddenly began openly to condemn Bolshevism, saying that now he had seen it from the inside he was disillusioned; that he had come to the conclusion that all Bolsheviks were scoundrels, and that he had 'broken' from the Bolshevik service. His late colleagues of the Bolshevik 'Legation' gave another version of this 'legation'. According to them, Vorovsky, on his return from Germany, alleged that his two chief lieutenants, Kalve and Zimmermann, had in his absence helped themselves to considerable sums of Swedish crowns from the legation funds.

"A couple of months later I learned that Kalve had offered his services to the Swedish police and was furnishing very serious evidence on the secret activities of Vorovsky and the Bolshevik organization in Sweden. The result of this evidence was that the Swedish Government severed diplomatic relations with Bolshevik Russia and 'invited' Vorovsky and his staff to leave Sweden, which they did last February. On applying for a safe conduct for himself and his staff Vorovsky insisted on including Kalve's name in the list (although Kalve had 'resigned' several months before), and on being asked why he was so anxious to get a safe conduct for a man who had robbed him, answered: 'I want to get that scoundrel into Russia; then we can hang him.' But the Swedish authorities refused to include Kalve in the list and he remained behind."

**A Slow Process.**  
Mrs. Brown was at the back of the church waiting to have her baby christened. Baby was getting restless, so she beckoned the vergers. "The parson nearly finished," she whispered.  
"No, mum," replied the vergers, "another half-hour of it yet. He's only on his lasty."  
"But," said Mrs. Brown, "will it take him half an hour to get through his lasty?"  
"No, mum," was the demure reply, "but there's the 'one more word and I'm done,' and the 'finally,' and the 'in conclusion' to come yet. Don't be impatient."

**Bachelor of Films.**  
The cinema has certainly come into its own in the United States. The University of California (the home state of the film-making industry) has inaugurated a chair of cinematograph writing. The first occupant is Prof. Carl Snell, and the students who obtain the scenario writing degree will be entitled to add to their names the letters "S.W.D. Cal."—London Daily Express.

**Strong Hallroads.**  
At the time of the Madero revolution in 1910 the various railways of Mexico were beginning to use concrete in the making of culverts, and it is understood that most of the concrete culverts and bridges built at the time have withstood the bandits attacks and other injuries, while the wood and steel structures have been destroyed.

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The Japanese farmer is independent, the Chinese farmer is a tenant, the Indian farmer is a serf, and the Russian farmer is a slave. The Japanese farmer is independent, the Chinese farmer is a tenant, the Indian farmer is a serf, and the Russian farmer is a slave.

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## TYRANT WAS SHOT.

End of Costa Rican Minister Who Was Bitterly Hated.

The assassination of Joaquin Tinoco, late Minister of War and brother of the former President Tinoco of Costa Rica, on August 9 last, is still an unsolved mystery with indications that the slayer may never be brought to answer for his crime. The time which has elapsed since the tragedy has brought out a number of interesting facts in connection with which never before have been told.

Joaquin was 38 years old, one of the most handsome men in Costa Rica, a quick shooter and courageous as a lion. He was tall and of athletic build, fond of horses, and a member of one of the most distinguished families. He rarely went unarmed and had fought a number of duels. The widow of one of his associates, a lawyer he killed in a revolver duel, a few years ago sought to avenge her husband and fired five shots at close range at Tinoco, but the latter survived his wounds.

When on January 27, 1917, his brother Federico, who was Minister of War in the Cabinet, took President Alfredo Gonzalez, deposed the latter and became head of the Government. Joaquin was given the post of Minister and thereupon, it is said, became the real President of Costa Rica. For two years previously Joaquin had been energetic and aggressive, but had been fighting the revolutionaries and personal enemies and when he became Minister of War he became still more energetic and aggressive. It has been said that Joaquin on the day of his death had more enemies than a popular motion picture actress in Canada has admirers.

On the day before the assassination Joaquin went before the Costa Rican Congress and asked to be relieved as vice-president. His position he held by virtue of his Cabinet post. At the same time his brother, the President, asked official permission to leave the country because of "ill-health."

Both requests were granted and the two Tinocos were preparing to depart when Joaquin was shot down. A few months before he met his death Joaquin was known to have a keen interest in spiritualism. Frequently he went to a small village called Managua where he consulted a woman medium, and after his last visit seemed disturbed by what she had told him. That same afternoon he returned home and telephoned to his car but it was out of order and he decided to go for a walk. A block from his residence a man stepped from behind a tree and fired at Tinoco point blank. The shot pierced his eye, causing almost instant death. Notwithstanding the suddenness of the attack in front of the President's house, Joaquin had drawn his own revolver. The weapon was found in his hand, every cartridge chamber full.

On the day after the tragedy Joaquin was buried with military honors and 48 hours later the members of the Tinoco family, including the former President, left for Port Limon in spirit train. They sailed for Kingston, Jamaica, and thence to England.

The new President, Gen. Juan Batista Quirós, formerly manager of the Banco Internacional de Costa Rica, a Government institution, and generally regarded as a conservative Costa Rican, is pledged to "restore order after two years of tyranny, and the leakage of public funds and, after a few months of reconstruction, bring about free elections."

**Germany's 7,000,000 Dead.**  
In Germany 5,400,000 civilians died during the war and 1,600,000 soldiers were killed, giving a total mortality of 7,000,000.

In the same period there were 5,000,000 births; therefore the net decrease in population was 2,000,000. In Berlin marriages decreased from 21,000 in 1913 to 16,000 in 1918 and births from 40,833 in 1913 to 20,178 in 1917.

Hans Gerhardt estimates that the war has cost Europe in dead and disabled between 25,000,000 and 30,000,000 human beings, and that the "resigned" several months before, and on being asked why he was so anxious to get a safe conduct for a man who had robbed him, answered: "I want to get that scoundrel into Russia; then we can hang him." But the Swedish authorities refused to include Kalve in the list and he remained behind."

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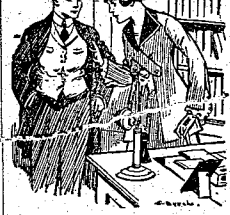
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"See here, Caro," he said, "maybe a dog knows something, or I can guess. Now, whatever happens, you've got to be a sensible girl. Somebody in the family must use common sense, and when it comes to holding a person to a promise then—confound it, Sis, we can't starve, can we?"

"What do you mean?" She rose and advanced toward him. "What does you mean by a promise? What have you been doing?"

"I haven't done anything," he grumbled—"that is, I've done what any reasonable fellow would do. I'm not the only one who thinks. Look here, we've got a guardian, haven't we?"

"A guardian? A guardian! Stephen Warren, have you been to him? Have



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"You—was that where you were last night? Why did you go to him? What did you say?"

"I said—I said—never mind what I said. He agreed with me. I can tell you that. You'll thank your stars I did go before very long. I—well, here's Sylvester!"

"The door of the room opened. The person who entered, however, was not the lawyer, but the very man of whom they had been speaking, Captain Eliza himself. He closed the door behind him.

"Hello, Steve," he said, with a nod to the boy. Then, turning to the girl, he stepped forward and held out his hand. "Caroline," he began, "I don't doubt you're surprised to see me here, but I—why, what's the matter?"

"The face of the girl, who had asked the question, Stephen's face was red, and he looked embarrassed and guilty. Caroline's was white, and she glanced from her brother to her guardian and back again with flashing eyes.

"Captain Warren, my brother has hated—he has hated—what does he mean by holding some one to a promise? Answer me truthfully."

"I shouldn't answer you any other way, Caroline. Steve seems to be worried about the young man you're engaged to. He seems to calibrate that Mr. Dunn may want to slip out of that engagement."

"His niece looked at him. Then she turned to her brother. 'You went to him and—oh, how could you?'

"Stephen would not meet her gaze. 'Well,' he muttered rebelliously, 'why wouldn't I? You know yourself that Mr. Dunn hasn't been near you since it happened. If he wasn't after—if he was straight, he would have come, wouldn't he?'

"Stop!" she cut him short imperiously. "Don't make me hate you. And you're turning to her and telling her to listen and believe things? Oh, how could you think of my friends? I heard it from your own lips. And I know why you think it. Because they know what you are, because they exposed you and—"

"There, there! Caroline, you needn't go on. I've heard your opinion of my character afore. Never mind me for the minute. And if you'll remember, I ain't said that I doubted your young man. You told me that you thought the world and all of him and that he did of you. That's enough—or ought to be. But your brother says you wrote him two days ago and he ain't been near you."

"I misinterpreted the letter. He didn't receive it."

"Um-hm. I see. That would explain."

"Of course it would. That must be the reason. Do you suppose if he were as poor as—as I am that I would desert him? You know I wouldn't. I should be glad—yes, almost happy—because then I could show him—could—"

"Her voice faltered here. She put her hands to her eyes for an instant and then reached it away and faced them, her head erect. The pride in her face was reflected in Captain Eliza's as he regarded her.

"No, no," he said gently, "I never supposed you'd cut out in one way, Caroline. I knew you. In Malcolm's what he'd ought to be, I said, he'll be glad of the chance to prove how much he cares for you. But Steve appeared to have some misgivings, and so it seemed to me that his doubts ought to be settled. And, rising as there I came as trap at the door. 'I calibrate they're going to be.'"

He walked briskly over and opened the door. Sylvester was standing with him, and with him were Mrs. Corcoran Dunn and Malcolm.

They were past the sill before Captain Eliza's greeting caused them to turn and see the girl already there. Mrs. Dunn, who was in the lead, stood

ped short in her majestic though creaking march of entrance, and her florid face turned a brighter crimson. Her son, strolling languidly at her heels, started violently and dropped his hat.

Mrs. Dunn had come to the office of Sylvester, Dunn & Graves at the senior partner's request to be told, as she supposed, the full and final details of the financial disaster threatening the Warren family. If these details should prove the disaster so overwhelming as it appeared, then—well, then, certain disagreeable duties must be performed. But to meet the girl to whom her son was engaged, and her brother and her guardian thus unexpectedly and unpurposed was enough to shake the composure and nerve of even such a veteran campaigner as Mrs. M. Corcoran Dunn.

But of the three to whom the meeting was an absolute surprise—Caroline, Malcolm and herself—she was characteristically the first to regain outward serenity.

"My dear child!" she cried. "My dear girl! I'm so glad to see you! I've thought of you so much! And I pity you so. Poor Malcolm has—Malcolm," she sharply, "come here! Don't you see Caroline?"

Malcolm was groping nervously for his hat. He picked it up and obeyed his mother's summons, though with no great eagerness.

"How d'ye do, Caroline?" he stammered confusedly. "I—I—it's a device of a surprise to see you down here. The matter and I don't expect—that is, we scarcely hoped to meet any one but Sylvester. He sent for us, you know."

He extended his hand. She did not take it.

"Did you get my letter?" she asked quickly.

"Yes—yes, I got it, Caroline. I—by Jove, you know."

Captain Eliza stepped forward. "Excuse me for interrupting, Captain," he said, addressing the girl's mother, "but Mr. Sylvester told me you and your son had an appointment with him for this afternoon. Now, there was something that we—or I, anyhow—wanted to talk with you about, so I thought you might as well make one job of it. Sylvester's a pretty busy man, and I know he has other things to attend to, so why not let him go ahead and tell you what you come to hear, and then we can take up the other part by ourselves. Ain't that a good idea?"

"I—well, I did have an appointment with Mr. Sylvester," Mrs. Dunn admitted reluctantly, "but the business was not important. And," haughtily, "I do not care to discuss it here."

"The captain opened his eyes. 'Hey?' he exclaimed. 'Not important? T'was about the real size of your father's estate, Caroline,' turning to the girl. 'I thought Mr. Dunn and Mr. Malcolm might think it important, for I understand they have been telephoning and asking for appointments for the last two days. As to discussing it here, I've got on with hand innocents, why, we're all family folk, and as I said, there ain't any secrets between us on that subject. Heave ahead, Mr. Sylvester.'

Caroline, crimson with mortification, protested indignantly.

"Mr. Sylvester," she said, "it is not necessary to—"

"Excuse me," her uncle's tone was sharper and more stern—"I think it is. Go on, Sylvester."

The lawyer looked far from comfortable, but he spoke at once and to the point.

"I should have told you and your son just this, Mrs. Dunn," he said, "I interrupted it before, and Miss Warren had already written you the essential facts. A new and unexpected development of the nature of which I am not at liberty to disclose now or later, makes Abijah Warren's estate absolutely bankrupt—not only that, but many thousands of dollars in debt. His heirs are left penniless."

It was blunt, beyond doubt. Even Captain Eliza winced at the word "penniless." Caroline, averting her hand on the table to steady herself.

"Thank you, Mr. Sylvester," said the captain quietly. "I'll see you again in a few moments."

The lawyer bowed and left the room, evidently glad to escape. Captain Eliza turned to Mrs. Dunn.

"And now, mamma," he observed, "that part of the business is over. My niece is a poor girl. She needs somebody to support her and look out for her. She's got that somebody, we're all thankful to say. She's engaged to

"Stop!" she cut him short imperiously. "Don't make me hate you. And you're turning to her and telling her to listen and believe things? Oh, how could you think of my friends? I heard it from your own lips. And I know why you think it. Because they know what you are, because they exposed you and—"

"There, there! Caroline, you needn't go on. I've heard your opinion of my character afore. Never mind me for the minute. And if you'll remember, I ain't said that I doubted your young man. You told me that you thought the world and all of him and that he did of you. That's enough—or ought to be. But your brother says you wrote him two days ago and he ain't been near you."

"I misinterpreted the letter. He didn't receive it."

"Um-hm. I see. That would explain."

"Of course it would. That must be the reason. Do you suppose if he were as poor as—as I am that I would desert him? You know I wouldn't. I should be glad—yes, almost happy—because then I could show him—could—"

"Her voice faltered here. She put her hands to her eyes for an instant and then reached it away and faced them, her head erect. The pride in her face was reflected in Captain Eliza's as he regarded her.

"No, no," he said gently, "I never supposed you'd cut out in one way, Caroline. I knew you. In Malcolm's what he'd ought to be, I said, he'll be glad of the chance to prove how much he cares for you. But Steve appeared to have some misgivings, and so it seemed to me that his doubts ought to be settled. And, rising as there I came as trap at the door. 'I calibrate they're going to be.'"

He walked briskly over and opened the door. Sylvester was standing with him, and with him were Mrs. Corcoran Dunn and Malcolm.

They were past the sill before Captain Eliza's greeting caused them to turn and see the girl already there. Mrs. Dunn, who was in the lead, stood

ped short in her majestic though creaking march of entrance, and her florid face turned a brighter crimson. Her son, strolling languidly at her heels, started violently and dropped his hat.

Mrs. Dunn had come to the office of Sylvester, Dunn & Graves at the senior partner's request to be told, as she supposed, the full and final details of the financial disaster threatening the Warren family. If these details should prove the disaster so overwhelming as it appeared, then—well, then, certain disagreeable duties must be performed. But to meet the girl to whom her son was engaged, and her brother and her guardian thus unexpectedly and unpurposed was enough to shake the composure and nerve of even such a veteran campaigner as Mrs. M. Corcoran Dunn.

But of the three to whom the meeting was an absolute surprise—Caroline, Malcolm and herself—she was characteristically the first to regain outward serenity.

"My dear child!" she cried. "My dear girl! I'm so glad to see you! I've thought of you so much! And I pity you so. Poor Malcolm has—Malcolm," she sharply, "come here! Don't you see Caroline?"



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was no misunderstanding the captain's tone. "When I want your opinion I'll ask for it. And Caroline, I want you to stay out too. This is my trick at the wheel. Mrs. Dunn, what d'you say? Never mind the young folks. You and me know that marriage is business, same as everything else. How soon can we have the wedding?"

Mrs. Dunn had apparently nothing to say to him. She addressed her next remark to Caroline.

"My dear," she said, in great agitation, "this is really too dreadful. This—this—this is in some barbarous country—savages about. Come, Malcolm, take her away."

"No," Captain Eliza stepped in front of the door. "She ain't going, and I'd rather you wouldn't go yet. Let's settle this up now. Well, Mr. Dunn," turning to the groom to be, "you're one of the interested parties—what do you say?"

Malcolm ground his heel into the rug. "I don't consider it your business," he declared. "You're butting in where—"

"No, no, I ain't. It's my business, and business is just what it is. There's a business contract between you and my niece. We want to know how soon it can be carried out, that's all."

The young man looked desperately at the door, but the captain's broad shoulders blocked the way toward it. He hesitated, scowled, and then, with a shrug of his shoulders, surrendered.

"How can I marry?" he demanded sullenly. "Confound it! My salary isn't large enough to pay my own way decently."

"Malcolm!" cried his mother warningly. "Well, matter, what the devil's the use of all this? You know—By Jove, you ought to!"

"Hold on, young fellow! I don't understand. Your wages ain't large enough, you say? What do you mean? You was going to be married, wasn't you? Caroline, don't you say a word. You say—addressing Malcolm—'that you can't support a wife on your wages. You could scrape along, couldn't you? Hey? Couldn't you?'

Malcolm's answer was another scornful shrug. "You belong on Cape Cod," he sneered. "Matter, let's get out of this."

"Wait! Put it plain now. Do I understand that you calibrate to break the engagement because my niece has lost her money? Is that it?"

"This is ridiculous," Mrs. Dunn proclaimed. "Every sane person knows, though barbarians may not—with a tremendous glare at the captain—that the engagements in which my son has shared a certain amount of—er—financial—er—that is, the bride is supposed to have some money. It is expected. Of course it is! Love in a cottage is well, a bit naive. My son and I pity your kind from the bottom of our hearts, but—there! Under the circumstances the whole affair becomes impossible. Caroline, my dear, I'm dreadfully sorry, dreadfully! I love you like my own child. And poor Malcolm will be heartbroken—but you see."

Stephen, who had been fuming and repressing his rage with difficulty during the scene, leaped forward with brandished fist.

"By gad!" he shouted. "Mal Dunn, you cut!"

His uncle pushed him back with a sweep of his arm.

"Steve," he ordered, "I'm running this ship. He gave a quick glance at his niece and then added, speaking rapidly and addressing the head of the Dunn family: 'I see, mamma. Yes, yes, yes. Well, you've forgot one thing. I guess. It d'ev's worth it in marriage business, then an engagement is what I just called it. A business contract, and it can't be broken without the consent of both sides. You want my Caroline's money, maybe, but she wants yours now. If she does, and there's such a thing as fair play, perhaps she can get it. But the fact is—'

"That's the talk!" cried Stephen, cutting in.

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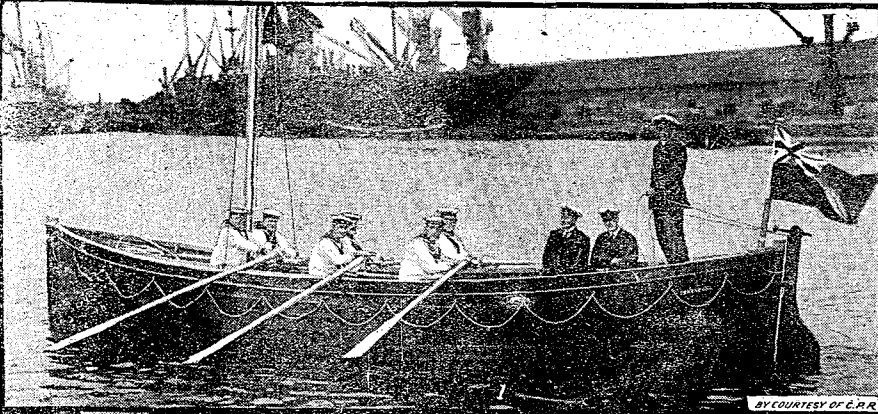
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(1) A.C.P.O.S. Crew at Lifeboat Practice.

(2) Indian Officers Waiting for the Ceremony at the Moslin Festival, Woking, England.

(3) The Wedding of Major Evelyn Gibbs and Lady Melema Cambridge (niece of the Queen). The bridal party leaving St. George's Chapel, Windsor.

(4) Princess Mary, Col-in-Chief of 1st Batt. Royal Scots, Inspecting the Regiment.

(5) Opening the Hop Season at Paddock, Kent.—A Family at Work Picking.

(6) A portion of the huge crowd watching a football match at Highbury, Eng.

(7) Visitors watching the sea dash over a German submarine, laying on the beach at Hastings.



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## A HAPPY HUNTING GROUND

The summer sun beat down on the heaving cradle of the deep, and little Bill lay dozing on the long, easy sofa. Forty miles away the dim outlines of the mountains of Vancouver Island drew a faint fretwork against the horizon. Closer the bold point of Point Grey loomed high, and closer still the rugged entrance to Howe Sound met in endless battle with the charging rollers from the Gulf of Georgia. Little Bill's mother was somewhere in the depths looking for anything in the line of fish, but preferably salmon.

A smudgy smear appeared on the skyline. It drew rapidly nearer. Little Bill saw it not. Pushing herself along at the rate of eighteen knots the fast C.P.R. steamer Princess Patricia raced for harbor, keeping a railroad schedule, and piling a huge wave from each side of her sharp bows. She came close to Bill, who had not yet been christened, the roar of machinery, the rumbling rush of the wash, startled him, and as he looked he was turned over and over in the big wave from the steership. Little Bill forgot home and mother and all things but escape. Making his little flippers drive himself toward the safety of a cove on Bowen Island, where, in the placid reaches, he rested again, feeling much more comfortable.

This is a true story. Bill is a young hair-seal. There are many thousands of his kind in the coast waters of British Columbia. They do no harm excepting perhaps that of eating a few million salmon each season and destroying a few thou-

sands of yards of salmon-nets that entangle them. The only other possible annoyance they might prove to create is that of following trolling fishermen and taking the fish off the hooks when the fisherman thinks he has caught one sure. Otherwise they are fast, lazy, comfortable, intelligent and friendly. They respond quickly to human attention. And the strange thing is that the human appeal is not made through the stomach. Young seals will make friends with men who never fed them a thing, to entice them to closer relationship.

For instance there is the illustration of Bill. He rested in the warm cove at Bowen Island. He heard a seductive whistling sound, and he raised his head to look. There, not a hundred yards away he saw some two-legged creatures playing about in the water, and one who was sitting on a floating log was making the attractive noises with his lips. Bill slipped beneath the surface.

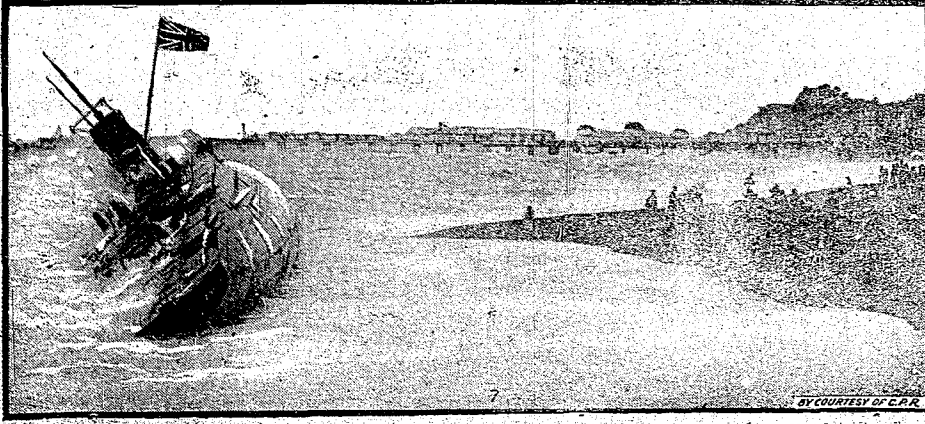
Picture the astonishment of the boys on the raft. Suddenly in their midst there came a little spotted seal that swam gently through them and drew up against the raft, looking as clearly as any creature could to be invited into the revels. One boy reached down, placed his hands behind the tiny flippers and lifted Bill out. They petted him and scratched him, dove and swam about with him. He seemed to enjoy himself fully as much as they. The day grew to a close and the seal went home, leaving their "dope" a plaything alone. Next morning, when they came to swim they whistled again. Close beside the raft a sleek little seal like that of a wet spaniel raised his head, and small flippers wriggled joyously. The daily play was on again. It was then he was christened Bill and learned to know the name. This happened years ago and still Bill plays tirelessly and in utter confidence. He rustles his own fold, he asks nothing but



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WESTPORT

Victor Strickland left for St. John on the 13th, via S. S. Keith Can.

The sick, we hear, are progressing slowly and favorably for which we are glad.

Rev. E. P. Calder left here last week for Bear River to hold a series of meetings.

Arrived from Yarmouth on the 13th, Capt. Charles Hicks; also same date, Miss Viola Connell.

Rev. J. W. Derby left for Tiverton to assist in a series of meetings which are being held in that place.

Miss Blva Crowell, of Clark's Harbour, arrived here on the 13th via Yarmouth to visit Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Connell.

Wiley Poole, the principal of our school, has been confined to his home with sickness during the last week. We understand school will reopen this week.

On Friday evening, the 16th, the sons of Temperance, Tyro Division, celebrated their anniversary in the Temperance Hall. They held a supper and entertainment which was largely attended.

**RAY VIEW**

Sp'endid sleighing and good steady winter weather now.

Miss Mathilda Adams has gone to Port Wadsworth to visit friends.

Frank Wilson, of Digby, spent a few days at Point Prim, this week.

Miss Winnifred Halliday, of Parker's Cove, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Riveret.

J. Quinton Condon, of Roxbury, Mass is spending a short time with his mother Mrs. Lelaiah Condon.

Mrs. Wallace Abbott and little daughter Mary, were to go to St. John last Saturday where they will be guests of her sister Mrs. Lennie Comeau.

Ray View Sewing Circle has been re-organized and met last week at the home of Mrs. Alex. Adams. A cordial invitation is extended to all in the community to help make this organization a decided success.

**MILFORD CORNER**

Minard Child is getting ice in this week.

Remben Alcorn is getting along fine in the lumber woods.

Stanley O. Rice was the guest of his mother one day last week.

Coleman Rice had a narrow escape from death last week. He got his jaw broke and teeth knocked out by a tree while chopping it down.

**NORTH RANGE**

Charles Andrews lost a cow last week. Roy Height, who went to St. John, has returned home.

Miss Lila Height, who spent a most delightful visit at Barton, has returned home.

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## British Policy and Prohibition.

Imperial considerations demand that there be the closest sympathy between the British people in Britain and in the overseas Dominions. The fundamental cleavage on such an issue as prohibition would be most unfortunate. It is most important that Canadian prohibitionists should understand that the British policy is far from being merely negative.

Mr. Lloyd George recently addressed an important conference at the Universities, including the leaders in surgery and medicine, said that the government was determined to secure effective control over the liquor trade. Legislation is in the hands of Mr. H. Fisher whose work on the Education Law has wrought a national transformation. The proposals offered by the liquor trade are not favored.

In view of our own history it is noteworthy that the government has already issued to all normal schools a text book so prepared that teachers will instill into the minds of the present school generation a scientific understanding of the real nature and effects of alcohol. The Scientific Bureau is also to study by observation the actual results of the more radical legislation in other countries, whether on this continent or elsewhere. This accurate information scientifically ascertained can have only one result.

Life is a strange bookkeeper, and often times shows up the loss of today as the much greater profit of tomorrow.

## Coasting

On the hillside, the snow has invited a lot of kids who are trying to coast. The soft thick snow obstructs the progress of their sleds. They can scarcely get down the hill, to say nothing of ploughing their way up again. Their persistence under them a half-dozen times on the way up, and so they have to flounder up through the heavy snow, dragging their sleds after them. No matter—they are having a fine time. Many readers can remember the venerable Aunt Orinda exclaiming, in watching a precocious child, "Infinitesimal labor for a little joy!" Infinitesimal labor, perhaps, but what if the labor is joy too? And in which one of our grown-up pleasures do we not find it necessary to pull the sled up again, after we have been down the hill?

It usually requires much greater strength of will to do the little things, than the big ones.

A combination of retail trade organized throughout the country "to safeguard the conduct of legitimate retail enterprises" was favored in resolution adopted by the National Shoe Retailers' Association at its closing session of its annual convention in Boston. Union with dry-goods associations and clothing merchants was proposed. And yet these same retailers will kick like the devil if their clerks and customers talk about organizing to protect their interests.

The failure is the man who recognizes opportunity from his back.

## HOCKEY.

The hockey fans of Digby and Annapolis Royal are disappointed in the outcome of a game in Victoria. Rink last Friday night when the teams representing the two towns scored. Digby's game all through the visitors being shut out in the first and last periods by 4-0 and 3-0 respectively and, according to the points in the second period, the game ending 7-1 in Digby's favor. The visitors had some good players but their play was not up to the mark. The game was refereed by Frank Hayden and the line up was as follows:

Digby: Goal, MacKenzie; Defence, R. Brown, R. Brown, R. Brown, R. Brown; Forwards, C. Point, W. Mahoney, E. Moore, C. Point, W. Mahoney, E. Moore, C. Point, W. Mahoney, E. Moore.

Proceedings of war veterans, who have taken improper advantage of the federal loan to unemployed returned men, are to be instituted in a number of cases. A warrant for the arrest of one man already has been issued. Cases have come to the attention of the federal government in the amount of the funds of a number of veterans giving up lucrative positions in the government to take up the federal loan. The government's loss is estimated at \$100,000.

## Local and General Local and General

Little question for today: Just what is the value of a newspaper?

The weekly newspaper is the cheapest article on the market to-day.

Only thing you can get with small change is a small change.

Turkey claims Smyrna from Greece.

In the name of the Prophet—figs!

Halifax Army and Navy Veterans want the Naval College re-established at Halifax.

20,000 Feed Bags wanted at once. Highest cash price paid. Webber Bros., Digby, N. S.

Mr. W. Wesley Archibald, charged with criminally assaulting a young girl, has been released on bail of \$2,000.

The farmer believes in the eight hour day, eight hours in the forenoon and eight in the afternoon.

The annual meeting of the Hill Grove Baptist Church has been postponed until the evening of Sunday, Jan. 29th.

Enough, enough, a vacuum cleaner is fine to empty a horse's nest with, but how about emptying the vacuum cleaner?

The steamer American, which sailed from Halifax on Wednesday for Bermuda with a full cargo of coal, returned Friday morning.

Reverend A. J. Fortier, O. M. I., of the Catholic Immigration Association of Canada.

The \$25,000,000 Belgian government six per cent gold note has been over-subscribed in one day, says J. P. Morgan & Co.

Couple of dollars was pin money a couple of years ago. Today your wife asked you for pin money and it sounds like she's going to buy a diamond pin.

Depotin & Condon, of Digby, have been awarded the contract for renewals and extensions to the Cornwallis Inn, Kentville.

"The work was started last week. A large number of the workmen are now at work on the extension. It is expected that the work will be completed in about ten days."

In the Baptist church the pastor will preach next Sunday morning on "Harvesters Wanted!" and in the evening on "The Irrepressible Conflict."

An evening service a male quartette will sing.

A Tuxis Square is being organized among the boys in the Baptist Sunday school, Major Denton will be the registered mentor. The week-night meeting will be on Friday from seven to eight o'clock.

An increase of 25 per cent, on all salaries paid, together with an increase of 15 per cent, on the maximum salary, through long service, of the increase of 2,000 school teachers of Toronto, voiced at the annual meeting last week.

The annual convention of the Great War Veterans Association is to be held in Montreal on March 22, according to an announcement from the Dominion executive of the G. W. V. A. The Dominion command has been diligently reorganizing in an effort to secure the consideration of their claims from the government.

All candy, chocolates and biscuits have made a record in the natural result of the recently announced advances on sugar and flour. Candy manufacturers have sprung an increased scale of prices on the public. The price of candy is now 10 cents per pound, which is a record for the past few years. These still are to be had at their old rates, though for a long period of time it is difficult to say.

Julius H. Robichaud, who was master builder for Dr. T. H. Macdonald, during his long career, has recently purchased the yard and plant from Dr. Macdonald. Mr. Robichaud is now in possession of the two large motor boats, measuring sixty feet and over more all, which will be used for fishing and smuggling from St. John's Bay, and other places.

Mrs. Lois Caswell, celebrated her 100th birthday Tuesday at the home of her daughter-in-law Mrs. E. Caswell. Mrs. Caswell was born in Hopewell, Alberta county, and was a Miss Edgett. She went to St. John in 1871 and lived there until 1873. She was married to Mr. Caswell in 1873. She has been married for 47 years. She has been married for 47 years. She has been married for 47 years.

It will be learned with general regret by numerous friends that the late Mr. Martin Province and especially Nova Scotia of the retirement of Haines Brothers, who have been active business life. The firm of Haines Brothers, which has been established for more than forty years, is now the oldest in the Province. It is anticipated that the firm may be taken over by the partners if they wish to carry on the business of the late establishment.

There is to be no restraint in the future in discussion of political questions at the meeting of the G. W. V. A. throughout Canada. This decision was reached at the meeting to-day of the Dominion Executive of the G. W. V. A. The following resolution was adopted: "We, the members of the Dominion Executive Committee, G. W. V. A. of Canada, assembled, do hereby endorse the general request of the members of the Great War Veterans' Association that that part of our constitution which prohibits political discussion be deleted."

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"One more and then we'll go!" he comes true in the case of a drink of wood alcohol.

The yearly business meeting of the Y. W. C. will be held at the court house on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Service will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Bay View on Thursday evening next, commencing at half past seven o'clock.

The schooner Gen Geo C Hogg, Capt W. E. Ryder, has arrived at Antwerp, Belgium, from Port Elizabeth, South Africa, making the trip in 75 days.

The Municipal Councils of Kingsland and Annapolis Counties have turned down the county hospital project, as being too large an undertaking for the present.

Mrs. Laura Halliburton Moore, of Wolfville, is to receive a nomination for the town council in the place of the late Mr. Aubrey Brown, of Digby.

Archibald Ruggles, of Westport, recently returned from overseas, has been offered the Principals of Cause High School, in succession to Miss Florence Mattatall resigned.

The sum of \$30.00 was realized at the sale held in the hall on Friday by the young girls of St. Patrick's R. C. Church. This amount will be used for the far corner of the hall.

Today, the second anniversary of the Allan shire explosion at Bealltown, in which eighty-eight miners lost their lives, will be observed by a campaign to raise \$10,000 for the purpose of erecting a monument to the victims of the disaster.

Much disappointment was felt by the members of the Canadian Women's Club owing to the fact that Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, of St. John, who was to have lectured on Thursday evening, was unable to appear. She has been kept in hospital. She hopes to give the club a date later on.

H. J. Logan of Amherst, president of the Maritime Council of Trade and Commerce, addressed the Canadian Club at Truro made a strong plea for union of the Maritime Provinces. His slogan was "Let us keep the Maritime Provinces together, for the upbuilding of these provinces, as the 'Atlantic Province' and the upbuilding of that Province would be the upbuilding of Canada, the premier Dominion of the Empire."

The Digby fishing schooner Dorothy M. Smart, Capt. Aspel Snow, arrived at Yarmouth on Saturday morning with a cargo of about 7,000 lbs. of fresh fish. The schooner left that port about a week ago, but owing to the weather, was not able to leave for several days, which port she left on Friday. Capt. Snow is well known in Digby on a well-earned vacation.

The Yarmouth sch. Grace & Ruby, Capt. Simon Theriault, arrived in Boston early last week with a fare of 6,000 lbs. of fresh fish, which was sold at that port. The crew sharing \$87 per man. After the fare was landed the Grace & Ruby proceeded to Gloucester, Mass., where she is loaded out on Saturday morning. This is the first time this schooner has been out of the water since her launching some seventeen months ago.

Charles Bell, of Halifax, was in Digby last week end, a guest at the Methodist Parsonage. On Sunday he addressed the congregation morning and evening, and the Sunday School at noon. One of the best addresses on "Prayer" which has been heard for many a day was given by Mr. Bell on Sunday evening last. He gave a stimulating report of what the laymen are doing in Halifax for the Inter-Church Forward Movement and the Methodist National Campaign.

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## The Gold Coast

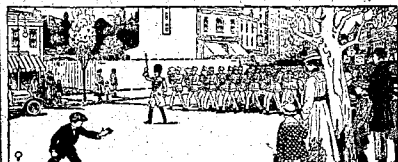


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## Cap'n Warren's Wards

By JOSEPH C. LINCOLN

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"Stop!" Caroline cried wildly. "Oh, stop! Do you think—do you suppose I would marry him now—now, after I've seen what he is? Oh, with a shudder of disgust, 'when I think what I might have done!—Thank God that the money has gone! I'm glad I'm poor! I'm glad I never want to see him or think of him again. Please, please let me go! Oh, take me home! Captain Warren, please let me go home!'"

Her uncle was at her side in a moment. "Yes, dearie," he said, "I'll take you home. Don't give way now! I'll—"

He would have taken her arm, but she shrunk from him. "Steve!"

The captain's face clouded, but he answered promptly. "Of course—Steve," he agreed. "Steve, take your sister home. Mr. Sylvester's got a carriage waiting, and he'll go with you. I don't doubt. Do as I tell you, boy—behave yourself. Don't wait; go!"

He held the door open until the hysterical girl and her brother had departed. Then he turned to the Dunn. "Well, man," he said dryly, "I don't know there's anything more to be said. All the questions seem to be settled. Our acquaintance wasn't so awful long, but it was interesting. Knowin' you has been, as the fellow said, a liberal education. Don't let me keep you any longer. Good afternoon."

Then Mrs. Dunn betwought herself of a way to make their exit less awkward and embarrassing.

"My heart!" she said, gasping and with a clutch at her breast. "My poor heart! I—I fear I'm going to have one of my attacks. Malcolm, your arm—quick!"

With an expression of intense but patient suffering and leaning heavily upon her son's arm she moved past Captain Elsie and from the room.

That evening the captain stood in the lower hall of the apartment house at Central Park West undecided what to do next. He wished more than anything else in the world to go to his business. He would have gone to her bed—had been dying to go to soothe, to comfort, to tell her of his love—but he was afraid. His conscience troubled him. Perhaps he had been too brutal.

The elevator descended, the door of the cage opened, and Stephen himself darted out. The captain caught him as he passed.

"Here, boy!" he exclaimed. "Where's the fire? Where are you bound?"

His nephew, brought thus unexpectedly to a halt, stared at him.

"Oh, it's you!" he exclaimed.

"Humph! I'm bound—I don't know where I'm bound. I'm going to the



"My heart!" she said, gasping. "Oh, I guess, or somewhere. Anyhow I won't stay with her. I told her so. Silly little idiot! I'll never speak to her again. I told her so. She—"

"Here! Here! Stop! Who are you talking about?"

"Caro, of course. She—"

"You've run off and left her alone—tonight? Where is she?"

"Upstairs—she's crying. I suppose. She doesn't do anything else. It's all she's good for. Selfish, romantic!"

He got no further, for Captain Elsie sent him reeling with a push and ran to the elevator.

"Eighteen floor," he commanded.

The door of the apartment was not latched. Stephen, in his rage and hurry, had neglected such trifles. The captain opened it quietly and walked in. He entered the library. Caroline was lying on the couch, her head buried in the pillows.

"Caroline, dearie," he faltered, "forgive me for coming here, won't you? I had to come. I couldn't rest, thinking of you alone in your trouble. I know you must feel harder than ever toward me for this afternoon's doings, but I meant it for the best. I had to show you—don't you see? Won't you try to forgive the old fellow that loves you more than all the world? Won't you try to forgive me?"

"I forgive you!" she repeated reluctantly.

"Yes. Try to, dearie. Oh, if you would only believe I meant it for your good and I leave nothing else if you could only just trust me and come to me and

let me help you. I want you, my girl, I want you!"

She leaned forward. "Do you really mean it?" she cried. "How can you, after all I've done, after the way I've treated you and the things I've said? You must hate me. Every one does. I hate myself. You can't forgive me. You can't!"

His answer was to hold out his arms. Another moment and she was in them, clinging to his wet coat, sobbing, holding him fast and begging him not to leave her, to take her away; that she would work, that she would not be a burden to him—only take her with him and try to forget her, for he was real and honest and the only friend she had.

And Captain Elsie, soothing her, stroking her hair and murmuring words of love and tenderness, realized that his labor and sacrifice had not been in vain; that here was his recompense—she would never misunderstand him again; she was his at last.

### CHAPTER XVII. The Rejection.

WHEN the apartment was given up and Captain Elsie and his wards moved to the little house in Westchester county, Annie came with them. Mrs. Moriarty came once a week to do the laundry work. Caroline acted as a sort of inexperienced, but willing, supervising housekeeper.

The house had been procured through the kind interest of Sylvester. Caroline took a domestic science course at a university. She could not quite un-



They Met Face to Face.

derstand how her uncle retained the valuable paintings of their old home. One day at her request her uncle told her the true story of Mr. Pearson's relations with her father. Caroline went to Pearson apologizing for her conduct, but she got her uncle's promise not to invite Pearson to call. However, the captain forgot all about it, and Pearson appeared. As he turned in at the front walk Caroline came out of the door. They met face to face.

It was a most embarrassing situation, particularly for Caroline, yet, with feminine resourcefulness, she dissembled her embarrassment to some extent and acknowledged his stammered "Good afternoon, Miss Warren" with a cool, almost cold, "How do you do, Mr. Pearson?" which chilled his pleasure at seeing her and made him wince with devotion that he had not been such a fool as to come. However, there he was, and he hastily explained his presence by telling her of the captain's invitation for that day, how he had expected to meet him at the station and, not meeting him, had walked up to the house.

"Is he in?" he asked.

No, Captain Elsie was not in. He had gone to see a sailboat man. Not hearing from his friend, he concluded the latter would not come until the next day. "He will be so sorry," said Caroline.

He was turning to go, but she stopped him.

"You mustn't go, Mr. Pearson," she said. "You must come in and wait. Captain Warren will be back soon. I'm sure."

Pearson was reluctant, but he could think of no reasonable excuse. So he entered the house, removed his overcoat and hat and seated himself in the living room to await the captain's return.

They were deep in the discussion of the novel when Captain Elsie walked into the living room. He was surprised, stating his feelings at their meeting, to find them together, but he did not express his astonishment. Pearson did not take the next train nor the next. Instead, he stayed for dinner and well into the evening, and when he left it was after a prompt acceptance of the captain's invitation to "come again in a mighty little while."

Pearson came again a week later and thereafter frequently. The sessions with Cap'n Jim, the hero of the novel and his associates were once more regular happenings, to be looked forward to and enjoyed by the three.

In due time two very important events took place. The novel was finished, and Stephen, his sophomore year at an end, came home from college. He had been invited by some classmates to spend a part of his vacation with them on the Maine coast, and his guardian had consented to his doing so. But the boy himself had something else to propose.

"See?" he said, "I've been thinking a good deal while I've been away this last time. Now, the way I look at it, this college course of mine isn't worth while. And the kind of work I want to do doesn't suit university training. I want to be down on the street, as the governor was. If this rubber company business hadn't knocked us out, I intended as soon as I was able to start in for myself. Well, that chance has gone, but I mean to get in some way, though I have to start at the foot of the ladder. Now, Mr. Pearson, I leave you to choose. It will be two years gained, won't it?"

Captain Elsie seemed pleased, but

he shook his head. "How do you know you'd like it?" he asked. "You've never tried."

"No, I never have, but I'll like it, all right. I know I shall. It's what I've wanted to do ever since I was old enough to think of such things. Just let me start in now, right away, and I'll show you. I'll make good, you see if I don't!"

That evening the captain made a definite proposal to Stephen. It was briefly that, while not consenting to the latter's leaving college, he did consider that a trial of the work in a broker's office might be a good thing. Therefore if the young man wished, he could enter the employ of a friend of Sylvester and remain during July and August.

The novel, the wonderful tale which Captain Elsie was certain would make his author famous, was finished that very day in June when Stephen came back from New Haven.

The advice was the first one, was ready early in September, and the author, of course, brought it immediately to his friends. They found the dedication especially interesting. To G. W. and E. W., consulting specialists at the literary clinic, with grateful acknowledgments. Probably Captain Elsie was never prouder of anything, even his first command, than of that dedication.

And the story, when at last it appeared for sale, was almost from the beginning a success, and most important of all perhaps, it sold and continued to sell. There was something in it, its humanity, its simplicity, its clearly marked characters, which made a hit. Pearson no longer needed to seek publishers; they sought him. His short stories were bid for by the magazines and his prices climbed and climbed. He found himself suddenly planted in the middle of the highway to prosperity.

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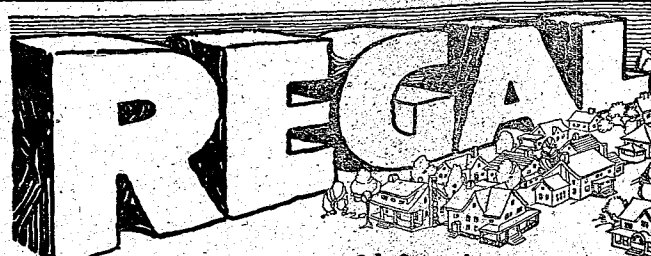
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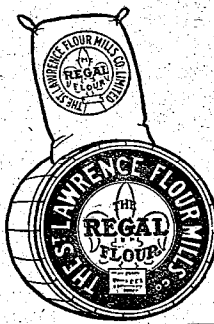
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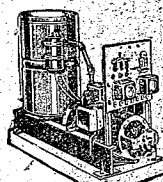


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## NEWS FROM EUROPEAN CAMERAS---QUEBEC IN WINTER GLORY



- (1) Battle-scarred 'buses back in London, being repaired for use on the streets. Owing to strikes new 'buses cannot be built quick enough.
- (2) Presentation to the nation of the late Sir John Alcock's Vickers Vimy bomb machine, which crossed the Atlantic, by the Vickers, Ltd. and Rolls Royce Co. From left to right, standing, are: The late Sir John Alcock, Mr. Douglas Vickers, Dr. F. S. Oglivie, Mr. Claude Johnson.
- (3) Oxford and Cambridge cross-country runners at Roehampton, England.
- (4) Re-opening the Bruges Canal. Part of the block-houses and its steel foundations can be seen on the left.
- (5) A new picture of the Queen of Spain taken just before she left England.
- (6) Signor Solaloi, Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs, who is said to have signed a secret treaty regarding Fiume, with England and France.
- (7) Belgium converts German war material into scrap for industrial use.
- (8) Salvage of the famous warship H. M. S. Vindictive is impracticable; her back is practically broken. She lies at Ostend.

## Enjoying the Winter in Old Quebec

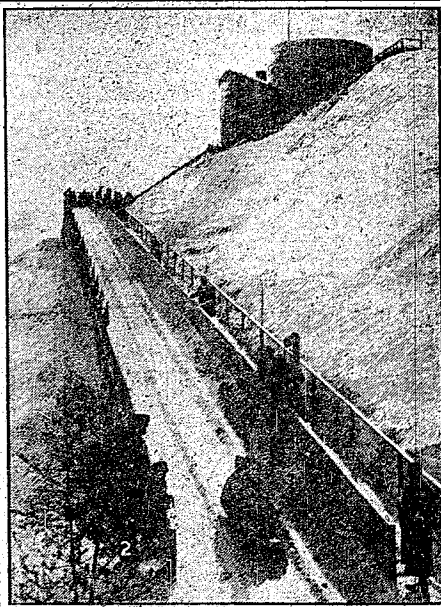


- (1) Chateau Frontenac, Quebec.
- (2) Toboggan Slide, Citadel Hill, Quebec.

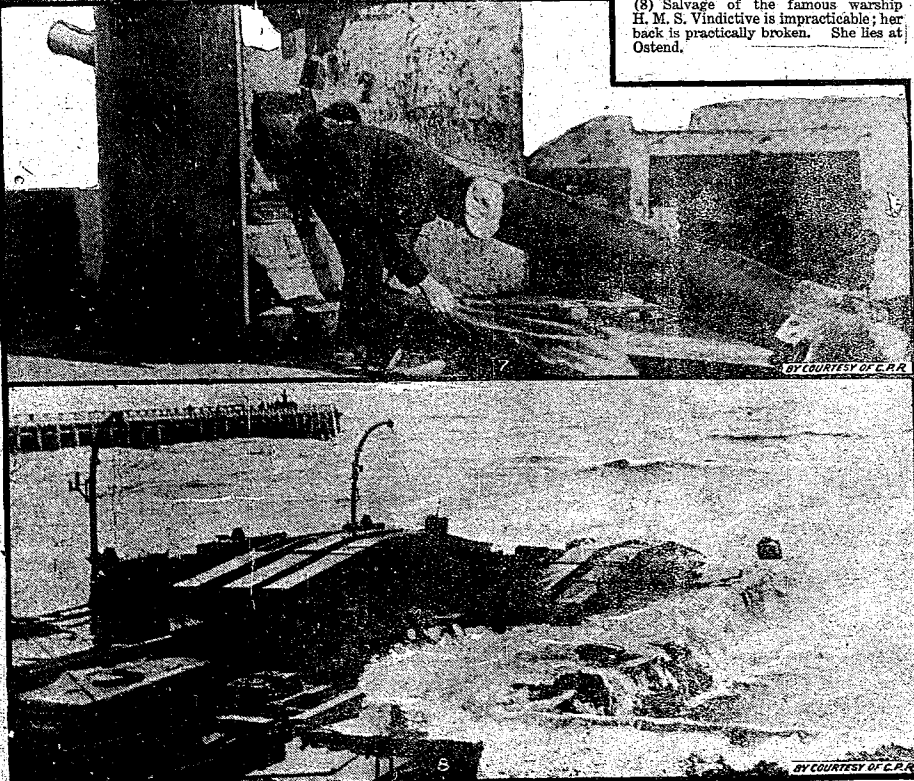
Mayor Lavigne of Quebec has announced that the official opening of the Winter Sport Season in that City will open on Tuesday, January 20th, with a grand parade of the Snowshoe and Kindred Clubs. The season will last a month, and an attractive programme of week-end races and sports has been arranged, ending with a grand carnival from February 14th to 17th.

Since Winter Sports have become as popular as those of Summer, there is no need for anyone to dread the dreariness of December, January and February. To skate rhythmically upon an open-air rink; to tramp on one's snowshoes over fields which are impassable for the ordinary pedestrian; to jump from an immense height and yet to land, upright and graceful, on one's skis; to toboggan at the rate of an express train and, most fascinating of all, perhaps, to slide on the Swiss bob-sleighs which are still a novelty on this side of the Atlantic—all this and more does Winter offer to her devotees.

Skating and skiing require some practice before one is an adept, but sliding and snowshoeing are perfectly simple; all one needs is "the will to do, the soul to dare." Where winter's icy mantle covers waters and spreads a blanket of snow over the land—there winter sports are at their best. In Canada, "Our Lady of the Snows," every type of winter pastime flourishes; and in Quebec, Canada's oldest City, the outdoor life takes on a new character. Situated on the St. Lawrence River, easily accessible by train, Quebec offers to her guests an unfetted welcome. At the Chateau Frontenac, the huge hotel which the C.P.R. has built on Dufferin Terrace, the winter guest will find that his indoor comfort and outdoor sport have alike been considered. Two rinks, one in the courtyard for the skaters, the other in the summer cafe for the curlers; a toboggan slide, built on Dufferin Terrace, and, perhaps, greatest attraction of all, the Swiss bob-sleighs—these are but a few of the inducements offered to those who love an outdoor life. The hills which surround the city make it ideal for skiing, and the broad countryside is as easy to traverse on snowshoes today, as when the Indians swept over it three hundred long winters ago. After a day out of doors, one is ready to return to the hotel for an evening of dancing and other allied amusements. The Chateau Frontenac is the centre of Quebec's social life, the magnet which draws to it all that is vivacious and charming of her society. No one who has been present at her New Year's Dance in the manoir of a French-Canadian seigneur, will ever forget it; and this season the social life



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## OF INTEREST TO THE FARMERS

General Manager Graham has just completed a list of interesting films illustrating modern and scientific farming which the railway will be pleased to show to the farmers' meetings. The D. A. R. furnishes the films, projectors, operators, and where no electric service is available, the necessary light and power is also provided to run the machines. They are furnished for the use to Agricultural Societies, Associations, United Fruit gatherings, Women's Institutes, etc. situated along the line of the D. A. R. and only expense incurred by any society that may apply for the use of the films will be the rental of the hall or building in which they are shown.

Six films take about one and three quarters hours to run off, and the management of the D. A. R. has arranged that communities requisition of two or three lots of film to be shown at different dates. The best now on hand comprise the following:

"Killing and dressing poultry," which has been prepared under the supervision of Ontario Government experts. "The strawberry" and the various phases of its cultivation. "Barberry culture showing the setting of the young canes, cultivation of the soil and many other important features including pruning." "Bee hive" and its construction. "Wintering of bees," which is another film prepared under the auspices of the Ontario Government.

"Conformation of a holstein dairy cow," which is prepared under the direction of the Manitoba Government and shows the 4-year-old animal which produces 21,000 pounds of milk a year. It also plainly depicts every point that can be found in a perfect animal of that noted strain.

"The handling of bees," showing the use of smoking bellows, swarming, etc., makes a splendid film showing the bees at work many times magnified under the microscope.

"Rearing of chickens" is another important and instructive film. "Box-packing of apples" after picking showing new type of grading machine, wrapping and packing.

"Potatoes for profit," is an extensive film showing the planting, cultivation and other principles in the raising of that important household commodity. It also depicts the use of Paris green, and arsenate of lead for hedges, and Bordeaux mixture for blight, etc.

"Community Canoeing," is a film deeply interesting to the women's institutes and other organizations as it thoroughly illustrates the use of the canoe in the making of preserves and saving in sugar. It also shows home canning of chickens and the method of sterilizing cans, etc. "Re-forestation," in two parts, is an educational film of the highest order. It is prepared by the Ontario Government experts and shows the growing of forest trees from cuttings and seeds. Part two illustrates the planting of waste land with young forest trees and the progress made in periods of years. The re-forestation of much of our land is one of the greatest questions of the present age and is also one of the most profitable of undertakings.

### THE GUILTY CONSCIENCE.

During the panic in New York a rich banker, who had been successful in many years, became so worried and nervous, that he could not for another minute stand the strain of his daily work. So he retired to one of his large and luxurious country places, not far from New York. It was a fine clear, warm, summer morning, when he woke up. After a hearty breakfast, he started out on a long tramp, always remaining on his property. After some hours, the sky clouded and soon drops of rain indicated an advancing thunderstorm. When he came to an open stretch of ground a down-pour followed, as he was unprepared, he looked around for shelter, but only spied a hollow tree, lying down. He could just crawl into it and he smiled at his ingenuity to find so good a place. The rain lasted much longer than he thought it would, it was hours of continual down-pour. When eventually it did stop, he tried to crawl out, but found he could not move; the tree had tightened. He cried and howled for help, but being so far away no one could hear him. He became frantic, he might remain unobserved and even die of hunger. He thought of his past life. How from a small beginning he had risen step by step, until today he had reached the green position he now occupied. He thought of the friends and enemies he had made, how he had cheated, skinned and stolen. How he had driven innocent clients to the wall. How he had robbed the poor, and he shuddered. Then he felt so mean and small that he slipped out.

### DEEP BROOK

Mrs. E. V. Hutchinson entertained the W. M. Aid Society, on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 22. There were a large number present. A most interesting programme, arranged by the secretary, Miss Ruth Hutchinson, consisting of Missionary letters and very much valuable material along Missionary lines was rendered. The president, Miss E. A. McCall, outlined the Society for their kindness in making her their guest of honor. The treasurer, Mrs. Manning Nichols, reported last year the best in the history of the Society. The report was most interesting. Besides the regular contributions to time and foreign Missions, a Bible woman is being supported in India; also a contribution to Dr. Margaret Patterson, Hospital in India.

The Baptist Church held their annual business meeting on Friday evening, Jan. 22. Very encouraging reports were given from all Departments of Church work. The treasurer reported all bills paid and balance in the treasury.

SCHIR PEACELAND REPORTED LOST AND COOK DROWNED.

An unconfirmed report has been received at Boston of the loss of the three masted schooner Peaceland, a new British vessel, which sailed from Perth Amboy, N. J., for Fort de France, Martinique, with a cargo of fertilizer. All hands are reported to have been saved with the exception of the cook. Mrs. Frank Dakin of Somerville, whose father, Robert McDuffrey of Clementport, was director of the Peaceland, has received a letter containing the report of the disaster. The Peaceland was launched six months ago and was commanded by Capt. John Berry.

Edward's Memorial Church, Digby

## WORLD'S AUTO- MOBILES

The estimated number of automobiles in the leading countries of the world at the present time is given below.

Argentina	35,000
Australia	23,000
Austria	19,300
Belgium	12,000
Brazil	10,000
British East Africa	900
British South Africa	11,500
Bulgaria	1,000
Canada	300,000
China	1,500
Cuba	20,000
Denmark	7,500
Egypt	1,500
France	200,000
Germany	75,000
Great Britain	415,000
India	4,500
Italy	35,500
Japan	3,000
Mexico	15,000
Netherlands	20,000
Newfoundland	500
New Zealand	14,665
Norway	3,500
Russia	1,500
Spain	14,000
Sweden	10,000
Switzerland	6,140
Turkey	500
United States	3,000,000

As exports make the chief factor in paying our war bill farmers will be glad that Canadian exports of bacon to Great Britain between 1913 and 1918 made a record: they increased sixteen-fold. The link between farmer and world market, beyond dispute, is the large scale packing house.

An Australian inventor has given a piano a slightly curved key board so that a player can reach all parts of it with equal effort.

Exports must pay our war debt and so the encouragement of farming to add to our export trade is a national benefit.

## UNABLE TO WORK FOR EIGHT MONTHS

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The remarkable results being obtained from Tanlac is further evidenced in the case of Albert Burgess, a popular conductor on the Winnipeg Electric Railway, who lives at 453 Stradbrock avenue, Fort Rouge. Mr. Burgess called at Liggett's drug store for his fifth bottle of Tanlac, recently, and made the following statement: "I have been so wonderfully benefited by Tanlac that I will never stop praising it," said Mr. Burgess. "For the past four years I have not been able to work but about three days a week and have had to spend a good part of my wages trying to get my health back. For eight months I was unable to hit a lick of work and was just barely able to get about. I suffered with awful pains through my forehead all the time and also had spells of dizziness when I would have to catch hold of something to keep from falling. My stomach finally got in such a bad shape that I could scarcely eat a thing and barely enough to keep me alive. What little I did eat soured on my stomach and I suffered terribly from gas and bloating. I took all kinds of medicines, but still I suffered and could not get myself in shape to work more than half time. I would go for weeks at a time without getting more than an hour's sleep a night. My condition was awful, and I didn't know what to do for relief.

"At last a friend begged me to try Tanlac and, now I wish I had known about it long ago, for it has really made me feel like a brand new man. I used to suffer with a dreadful hurting in the pit of my stomach, but after taking Tanlac a short while this trouble disappeared and now my stomach is in such a good shape that I can eat just anything I want and never suffer a bit with gas or pain, and my appetite is so big that I can hardly get enough to eat. The pains have not only left my head, but all my misery is gone, and I have not missed an hour from my work since shortly after I began taking Tanlac. I have also gained several pounds in weight, but what I was after was relief; and thanks to Tanlac I have found it. I can now handle my work as well as when I first got my run seven years ago. It certainly was lucky for me that I got Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Digby by P. W. Holdsworth, in Sandy Cove by Frank E. Rice, in Bear River by L. V. Harris, in Tiverton by Small Bros., in Freeport by B. S. Bishop, in Weymouth by W. G. Blackadar, in Westport by the E. C. Bowers, Ltd., and in Comeauville, by J. A. Comeau. J. A. Morehouse, Brighton.

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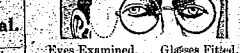
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## A SERIES OF TALKS ON MUSIC--THE PIANO

C. C. Laugher, Mus. Rec. Bowmanville.

Just listen to the master pianist, Paderewski. When a child of three years he played to a party of children for dancing. When he was seven he wrote his first musical composition, "A Set of Dances." When Paderewski became renowned some critics were very hard on him and lay his great charm to hypnosis. He certainly has a magic power that holds both the musically educated and the ignorant. Let us investigate where this magic box—the piano—came from and how it got here.

**THE LUTE:**  
You may have read about the lute and the dulcimer, the lute of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries was very popular.

The body was pear-shaped with a neck or fingerboard, and across the frets on the finger board are stretched eight strings tuned in pairs like a mandolin and plucked with a pick held in the right hand.

**THE VIRGINAL:**

An instrument called the Virginal is like a big lute with a key-board attached. When a key is pressed down a mechanical pick inside plucks the string, but with the virginal each key operates one string only—and the tone is very weak. The virginal was very popular and fashionable for young ladies to play upon. Queen Elizabeth was quite a proficient performer on the virginal.

**THE HARPSICORD:**

An improvement on the virginal is the harpsicord. The key-board is similar, but has two and sometimes three strings to each key. Dr. Burney describes the tone as "a scratch with a sound at the end of it." The harpsicord sometimes has two and even three key-boards, the upper keys playing on one string only the lower on two strings. Stops were added on this instrument which attempted to produce something like the effect that pedals of our pianoforte produce. Some had a venetian swell which opened and closed, causing a sort of crescendo and diminuendo.

**THE CLAVICHORD:**

Now the clavichord came next, and in the place of picking the strings it was termed "a struck string" but not like our modern instruments. Yet it is the direct predecessor of the pianoforte. Handel, Haydon, Mozart, Beethoven and Bach thought it of the clavichord. The first clavichord had 36 notes but later the number was increased.

**THE PIANOFORTE**

Then came the pianoforte with the struck strings. The inventor of the pianoforte went back to the dulcimer for the idea of striking the strings, the dulcimer being an instrument with steel strings stretched across a kind of sounding-board. The wires were struck by two hammers held in the hand of the performer. The first pianoforte was made in 1710 by a man named Cristofori. This was a crude instrument. Johann Stein improved the action in the 18th century which was called the Viennese Action.

It would be well for each piano student to lift the front of the piano which will reveal the action which comprises a system of levers, hammers and rods, and examine the accuracy and delicacy of its movement.

The first time a pianoforte was used as an accompaniment was at a program of an Opera called "The Beggar's Opera," it read: "Miss Bradley will sing accompanied on the new instrument by Mr. Dibdin." The first solo announced for the pianoforte was played by J. C. Bach in London, June 2nd, 1768. Mr. Broadwood of London invented pedals to be used with the feet. Mr. John Hawkins of New Jersey made the first upright piano in 1800. Bach and his predecessors played with just pressing down the keys like the organ action but it was Liszt who introduced the wrist action and produced what is termed the powerful school of pianoforte playing.

How came the name "Pianoforte"? The pianoforte is the instrument that gives easy access to extremes of power. The first part of the word, piano means soft. The playing of this instrument may be made in an extreme whisper. The second part of the word, forte, means loud, and with a competent player the imitation as of a great orchestra may be made, hence its name Piano-forte—capable of extreme softness and loudness.

What piano playing now is, is largely due to such men as the following. They had been called to other employment, but afterward received the real call to music: Handel—a priest; Haendel—a doctor; Dvorak—a butcher; Chopin—a book-keeper; Beethoven—a doctor; Strauss—a bank clerk; Schumann—a lawyer.

The Pianoforte is the instrument which is second to the orchestra in its possibilities. Years of application are necessary to acquire the art of playing which will comprise a mastery of the "even touch" staccato and legato playing and correct fingering. Seek to understand the pieces you play that you may feel it as a conversation or dialogue and thus the following conversation would seem to suggest in the little skit.

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Brown—"Where did she get the money?"

Jones—"All the neighbors gladly chipped in."

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

On Tuesday, the 13th day of January, 1920, the Councilors met in and for the Municipality of Digby met at the Court House in Digby at two o'clock in the afternoon, and were sworn into office according to law. Viz: The Hon. R. H. Marshall, No. 1; Harry H. Marshall, No. 2; J. W. Andrews, No. 3; Norman A. Ruggles, No. 4; E. J. Ruggles, No. 5; E. J. Ruggles, No. 6; E. J. Ruggles, No. 7; E. J. Ruggles, No. 8; E. J. Ruggles, No. 9; E. J. Ruggles, No. 10; E. J. Ruggles, No. 11; E. J. Ruggles, No. 12; E. J. Ruggles, No. 13; E. J. Ruggles, No. 14; E. J. Ruggles, No. 15; E. J. Ruggles, No. 16; E. J. Ruggles, No. 17; E. J. Ruggles, No. 18; E. J. Ruggles, No. 19; E. J. Ruggles, No. 20; E. J. Ruggles, No. 21; E. J. Ruggles, No. 22; E. J. Ruggles, No. 23; E. J. Ruggles, No. 24; E. J. Ruggles, No. 25; E. J. Ruggles, No. 26; E. J. Ruggles, No. 27; E. J. Ruggles, No. 28; E. J. Ruggles, No. 29; E. J. Ruggles, No. 30; E. J. Ruggles, No. 31; E. J. Ruggles, No. 32; E. J. Ruggles, No. 33; E. J. 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## PASSING OF WILHELMSHAVEN.

"German Plymouth" Had Short and Inglorious History.

Wilhelmshaven, the German Plymouth, an enthusiastic Flottenverein members sometimes caressingly called it, is no more. At least it is emphatically and distinctly not what it used to be. Simultaneously with the news of the scuttling of German warships in Scapa Flow the German papers announced that the once proud base fortress of the Imperial German navy had been sold by the government to a private syndicate. The latter has already started work on converting the piers, wharves, warehouses, etc., for the uses of mercantile shipping.

Thus closes the career of one of the most formidable naval strongholds in history. It is a sad and—for Germans at any rate—incongruous ending. The proud words with which Von Roon, the Minister of War of the old William II. baptized the newly built port are well remembered in the fatherland. "And so I announce to you the strength of the new order of his majesty the King, that from this hour on this port and the city which is to rise around it shall be called Wilhelmshaven until the end of time."

This was exactly half a century ago, on June 17, 1870. How could Von Roon then know that the eternity to which he dedicated the new fortress would not last fifty years?

Like most of the institutions of the Hohenzollern empire, Wilhelmshaven was not the spontaneous result of a long organic development. It was simply made to order, like the statues of the Siegesallee or the books celebrating the silver jubilee of the Kaiser. The site of the harbor and city originally belonged to the Grand Duke of Oldenburg. From him it was purchased by the emperor in 1855, and the construction of the base was a year later. It was a desperate struggle against the sands of Friedland, against wind and sea and climate, and the German engineers had the right of pride themselves on their creation. The job was finished in 1870, but Wilhelmshaven's real boom originated in the late 80's with the unfolding of that navalistic propaganda which aimed at making Germany the first maritime power in the world and whose landmarks are Cernaul, the Falkland Islands, Skagerrak, Scapa Flow and Azerbaijan.

A Second Niagara.

What is thought to have been a second mighty cataract of Niagara has been discovered at Thorold by Doherty, Wunnian and Robertson, Limited, contractors on Section 3 of the new Welland ship canal. After excavating some twenty feet of solid clay near the upper end of this section the rock bed was found to be very smooth, and further down a series of steps in the rock have been found to be smooth on the edges and well worn. The edge of the cataract so far uncovered begins at the eastern abutment of the new Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Railway Bridge and runs in a south-westerly direction for a distance of about 400 feet. This, being the end of the excavating, does not permit further exploration. The first fall in the form of steps for a distance of 20 feet, with a total drop of 35 feet. The depth of the next fall cannot be determined as yet, but the excavating shows that it is likely a perpendicular fall for an unknown distance. The eastern abutment has been built on the edge of the steps a depth of 15 feet, while the western abutment, just 75 feet away, went to a depth of 75 feet before striking rock, which was found to be in a sloping position. The discovery is about half a mile back from the Niagara escarpment, and is believed to have worn back as the Niagara dug from Queenston. Below the escarpment, and now absorbed in the new waterway, was a deep valley known as the Right Mile Creek, running in an irregular direction to Lake Ontario. This may have been the outlet for the big waterfalls. Altogether it gives the appearance of an immense river which connected Lake Erie and Lake Ontario some 100 years ago, and the exact age of which is unknown, but histories and geographies speak of only one, the Niagara.

Plying Over the Side.

When the Hun Admiral Meurer came aboard Admiral Beatty's flagship to arrange for a banquet over the German ships to be interned here was "piped over the side" by the Queen Elizabeth's boatswain.

This curious custom—a survival of the old days of sailing ships when officers holding flag rank, instead of having to clamber up the rickety rope ladder dependent from the vessel's side, were hoisted on board in a "bosun's chair."

In those primitive times the boatswain took up his position by the rail where he could see over the side, and by means of his "pipe" gave the signal to the sailors to haul away as soon as the great man was comfortably seated in his "chair."

Nowadays, of course, gangways are fitted to all men-of-war. Nevertheless the old custom is still kept up, and the boatswain's signal in denoting "hoist away," "high enough," "lower away," and so forth, being played by the boatswain upon his pipe.

Suffragettes of Nippon.

Mrs. Yosano, Japanese feminist and mother of ten children, says "Equality is incomplete, of course without the vote. In Japan it will take some time, but we shall have it in ten years after European women take their places at the voting booth is her guess for the women of Nippon, says Besie Beatty, in World Lookout.

## MOZAMBIQUE.

Portuguese Colony In the "Dark Continent."

The war is over, but the necessity for further strange young nations of new lands and peoples is far from over. The spot light which has brought to view such little known peoples as the Czechs, the Croats and the Ukrainians in Europe, now will be turned, in part, on Africa. Through the redistribution of colonial possessions, and the removal of the blight of German domination, Africa bids fair to be the "boom continent" of the twentieth century.

New interest is being taken in the colonies of the erstwhile "Dark Continent," with the capital near the southern boundary and half a dozen smaller towns scattered along the coast; more than 3,000,000 inhabitants, of which only about one per cent are white; one of the oldest of all European possessions and one of the richest in natural resources, at least, but one of the least known countries in the world. Such is Mozambique.

"Four or five good ports and as many bad ones; five towns and a small but up-to-date capital city, and a generous supply of military posts and outposts, a few of which are in the real raw interior; millions of acres of the finest alluvial soil fairly rich to the heart; a few big crops may be grown; waterways like the Zambezi, the Limpopo, and plenty of other rivers to allow cheap handling of products; no deserts, no salt sinks, no large swamps, no mountainous wastes, no impenetrable jungles; out of some twenty only one of two tribes that object seriously to paying taxes to the government, now that the reality that the white tribe, which objects to any one tribe exterminating another in the good old way, for which a bush policeman tries to be, he must needs fall far short of the unrestrained chief's 'insane'."

"The early history of this strange section of East Africa should not be, even if it could be, written. We know the old-time black was as bad as a barbarian can be, and the endless tale of persistent, widespread, and continuous butchery would not be good to read."

"The Zulus have had for centuries a superstitious fear of salt water, so, when Chaka, Dingaan, and their brother heads had devastated practically all the country between Zululand and Inhambane, wiping out kraals and even whole tribes by scores, they came to a long chain of lakes (the Lower Inharrime) parallel to the coast, and there they stopped, thus saving one tribe of true, pure-blood Kaffirs who had fled over onto the dunes and low, bushy hills between the rocky and brackish lagoons and the Indian Ocean. This tribe, the M'Chopsis, is the purest of the unmixed Kaffir tribe now in existence."

"At Quiesco we had the good fortune to witness a banquet, or ball, as the natives call it, at which about 3,000 fine specimens, mostly adults, were present. To describe the music and minor dances, the drumming or huge xylophones, the blood-freezing death chants, the thrilling war songs, the 'expression' dances of both women and men, and the divinatory ceremonies which the witch doctors were induced to show us would require much space."

"The young girls' dance of the M'Chopsis tribe requires several years' practice before the difficult poses and contortions can be successfully performed. Ankle rattles are worn by girls. These hollow spheres are made of palm-leaf and are filled with young gourd seeds, pebbles, etc. The noise of these ankle rattles is supposed to assist in keeping time to the dance. This is probably a Zulu custom, and even to-day in civilized Durban the rickshaw boys frequently wear similar ornaments."

"Near Mopeia, three days up the Zambezi, we passed through two small native kraals in which the lions had eaten eighteen people in three months previous. It is quite impossible to hunt these man-eaters on account of the tall rank grass (up to six feet high), and, since they soon learn that two or three cubs will make a big hole in the sides of an ordinary hut, the poor native must roost high or die."

The Word "Selah."

The word Selah, which occurs so frequently in the Psalms, is usually believed to be a direction to the musicians who chanted the Psalms in the temple. Matthew, the musical critic, wrote a book on the subject, in which, after rejecting a number of theories, he came to the conclusion that Selah is equivalent to the modern "da capo," and is a direction that the air or song is to be repeated from the beginning to the part where the word is placed.

A Bird Colony.

The most remarkable bird colony in the world is on Hat Island, in the Great Salt Lake, Utah. The island is about 12 acres in extent, and on a rocky pinnacle 100 feet above the water level, with not a drop of water to be found and apparently nothing to attract the birds except the sense of security which the island offers.

A Jewel.

"First you talk of a jewel robbery," said the policeman, "and now you have to say is that you have lost your rock." "Well," exclaimed Mr. Grosblott, "that rock was a jewel and some of the neighbors came around and stole her."

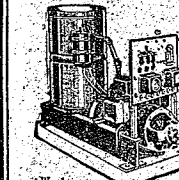


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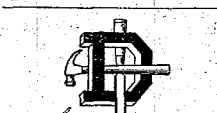
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We will, in future, handle the above lines on the basis of small consignments, to the benefit of our farmer and other customers.

## DAKIN BROS.

### IN MEMORY

IN LOVING MEMORY of our dear son and brother, **Edwin T. Dakin**, who died in England, July 2nd, 1918, at the age of 21 years. He was a member of the 1st Canadian Trench Mortar Battalion, and was killed in action. He was a very kind and gentle soul, and his death is a great loss to his family and friends. His funeral was held on January 24th, 1920, at 2 o'clock, at the residence of his mother, Mrs. J. Dakin, 101 St. John Street, Digby. Interment in the Digby Cemetery.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. and Mr. George Hinkman, of Acadiaville, take this opportunity of expressing their thanks to all those who have assisted them in any way during the illness of their daughter, and for the many expressions of sympathy and the numerous floral offerings following her death.

Mrs. ARTHUR WOODMAN wishes to thank all those who so kindly assisted in any way during the illness of her son, and for the many expressions of sympathy and the numerous floral offerings following his death.

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## Obituary

Mrs. AMBROSE GADETT.

The death of Mrs. Ambrose Gaudet took place recently at her home at Little Brook, Digby. The deceased was an estimable lady and a most consistent worker in all church and social matters that lead to the betterment and uplift of conditions over her native place. Mrs. Gaudet was about 50 years of age and is survived by her husband.

JOSEPH N. LEBLANC.

The residents of Saint-Jeanville, Digby Co., have been informed of the death of Joseph N. LeBlanc, which took place at his home there a few days ago. He was one of the most highly respected citizens of the Clare municipality and all through his life displayed a keen interest in the affairs of the community. Mr. LeBlanc was about 40 years of age and is survived by his widow and one daughter.

HARRY W. COZZENS.

News has been received announcing the death of Harry W. Cozzens, of West New Brighton, who passed away at St. Luke's hospital, on January 24. He was manager for the Interiors Corporation of Brooklyn, N. Y. He leaves a widow, who was Bertha, daughter of the late Captain E. C. Wood, Newport, R. I., and one son, James, a student at college. The deceased was a brother-in-law of Mrs. (Dr.) Read, of this town.

Mrs. PHOEBE PARSON.

The death of Mrs. Phoebe Parson took place the first of last week at Marshalltown at the age of 83 years. She was the widow of the late George Parson, of Westport. Mrs. Parson was a lady of refinement and one known for her kind and helpful ways to many in the community. The funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 from the Christian Church, at Westport, the Rev. J. W. Dwyer led the services.

JOHN P. ROBINCHAU.

The death of John Pierre Robinchaud took place at his home in Digby on January 24. He was 71 years of age. He was one of the best known residents of the Clare municipality and honored by all. He is survived by five sons, Elmer, manager of the flour mills of Meteghan Centre, Silfric, of the Hoves Construction Company; Joseph, a merchant in Meteghan; Alexander, of the Wood Working Mills, Meteghan Centre, and John in Boston. Two daughters are sisters and co-workers in the Guelph Islands, the others are Mrs. E. Comeau, Bourque, of Belleville; Mrs. E. Comeau and Mrs. Theodore Comeau of Meteghan.

OLD-HOME SUMMER NOTES.

On February 12th and 13th there is to be another Conference in Halifax in connection with the Old Home Summer, which will be attended by the County convener, press delegates and representatives from all schools as well as the adult population. Many of the municipalities of the Province are passing resolutions endorsing the Old Home Summer and International Exposition, and thirty-six of the branches of the G. W. V. A. have also endorsed it.

SEND US THE NEWS.

The COURIER would like to be able to publish every item of interest between the two towns, without making a charge. And to do this we ask the co-operation of our friends. Bring in, send in, or phone any item of news to our office. It does not matter whether you are a subscriber or not. We want the news from every corner of the surrounding county. We do our best to get it, but we can't get it all without assistance. If your contributions are of interest to our readers, we will use the occasional to become regulars. But you do not need to become a recognized correspondent. If anything of interest happens in your community, let us know about it. Send news in early—that is a most important matter—and make it explicit.

CHURCHES SHOULD BE LIVE ADVERTISERS.

This is the advertising age, and advertising is spreading in directions undreamed of a decade ago. One of the most potent of these is the church. Up until a few years ago many churches did not advertise, and those that did usually confined their appeals to half-dozen lines. Now, however, the church is a regular feature of the Saturday edition and the display advertisements of the churches are prepared as carefully as the merchandising advertisements. In the city of Bradford, where the church is a regular feature of the Saturday edition and the display advertisements of the churches are prepared as carefully as the merchandising advertisements. In the city of Bradford, where the church is a regular feature of the Saturday edition and the display advertisements of the churches are prepared as carefully as the merchandising advertisements.

"MISSIONS" THE THEME.

Last Sunday was "Home Missions Day" in the Methodist Church, next Sunday will be observed as Foreign Missions Day. Special sermons will be preached and appropriate music rendered. Digby Methodist churches occupy the leading place for missionary giving in the Annapolis district, and it is hoped that they will make a new record this year.

The work in China and Japan offers much encouragement for our operations. The Canadian Methodist Press in West China is a servant of all the churches. It is the only publication of the Protestant churches within a radius of more than a thousand miles, and it serves the workers of all the missions laboring among a population of over one hundred millions. It has printed twenty million pages of literature in the Chinese, Tibetan, Manchu and other languages.

In Japan there are two Methodist Conferences. Each of the native churches is becoming self-propagating self-governing and self-supporting in the near future. 35,000 Sunday School members are under the care of Methodist Missions in Japan.

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Well, of all things! Did you ever see less interest taken in anything than was taken in the town election. Hasn't anybody got anything enough to work for the town? We can all kick—and do kick, in fact—over the way the town business is conducted, although there is not one of us can suggest any improvement. Do you know I am going to keep my eyes and ears open this year and when another nomination day rolls around—if I am spared—I shall try to get the three biggest kickers (except one) nominated for the council, and the biggest of all nominated for the mayoralty. We have often in town who would kick if the Angel Gabriel was mayor, with a council of archangels behind him, and yet haven't got backbone enough to accept a seat at the council board.

But, for all that, I think we have a good council. The three new men, as far as I know, are not tied up with any claims and rings, and should bring new life and energy into town matters. In the past the town has been too much in the habit of following the lines of least resistance, and letting others do what they should do themselves. I suppose this has been done in the name of economy, but gentlemen, you should remember that economy can be carried so far as to become miserliness. If Digby is ever going to get out of the rut the town council has got to lead it out—and that can't be done with a mean, chattering body. I don't want plungers in charge of affairs but I do want men with vision—men who will not hesitate to spend money if by so doing they can advance the interests of the town.

And the board of trade held its annual meeting last Thursday. One of those present tells me that the old officers were to elect and that there was nothing new or startling discussed. Let me see that the first meeting since the last annual—and in a full year there has nothing turned up sufficient to arouse a discussion! Well, all I can say is that the town or the board of trade is dead—dead, or nearly both are. My Lord! What live bodies we have to do our civic business—the town council, the board of trade, the retail merchants' association, and others too numerous to mention and not enough ginger or pep in the whole crowd to make one live body. Do you know I believe selfishness is at the bottom of all this indifference. I know business men in this town who will not take half an hour from their private business in order to do a little public business—but if anything is done for the real benefit of the town you can bet they will have their stones open to get some of the benefit even if they have not helped in any way. No town can build up with that kind of a spirit.

I paid good honest hard earned money to see a picture at the movie theatre last night. I had gone tired and the very thoughts of a good picture rested me as I sat at my very bones in a seat about half way back. A lady, I mean a woman, came in with a large hat and sat down directly in front of me. It was a pretty hat I thought but surely she would not wear it all the evening. But she did. After standing it as long as my nervous system would allow I moved to a vacant seat a little further ahead and hadn't been there ten minutes when two girls came in and sat down in front of me. One read every sentence on the screen as it appeared on the screen while the other audibly commented and predicted what would come next. At first I concluded I had jumped from the frying pan into the fire but at least I could see the pictures which was more than I could do behind the hat, so perhaps after all I

was more happily situated as it was a remarkably fine picture that evening and by putting my fingers in my ears I could drown the voice to some extent and to my own reading.

A dollar was a dollar once. But it has since turned fickle. A dollar was a dollar once. Today it's worth a nickel.

Which reminds me of the merchant not far from Digby who in glancing over his books recently came across these awe inspiring entries.

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We sigh for the good old days so long since resting peacefully in the private grave yards of various trust companies, and food hogs that the war has made for them. "Will they ever again wonder!"

But why, why, why these repeated rises in the price of flour, sugar, and various other necessities? Can it be that the well-to-do are again hoarding? Surely not now that the war is over—yet I would like to see the matter investigated by the authorities. Turn on the flash lights and if the search light can't clean out their pens and give to the poor. It is a pretty hard problem for a disabled man to live on his pension when the prices go sky scraping every day or so as they do.

Of course if a man's income rises in proportion it is an easy matter to match sales, but do they? My own does not and the Editor, after great pressure on my part, reluctantly tells me his does not.

"Brethren these things ought not to be." When we get a council with a few level headed women members we shall expect great things to happen—wrongly will be righted and revelations will be made. And believe me there are some who will not welcome these revelations or my name is not.

AERONAUT.

## Wedding Bells

CONRAD-A-MURRAY.  
A very pretty wedding was celebrated in St. Joseph's Church, Yarmouth at 6.30 a.m. on Tuesday morning. When Miss Mary, daughter of the Rev. D. J. Murray, and Mr. Ed. B. Murray, became the bride and groom. The bride looked charming in a suit of dark, brown velvet with lace to match. Miss Estelle Comeau was bridesmaid while James R. Murray acted as best man. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Fr. Horne, the happy couple retired to the home of the bride, where they were joined by a short wedding trip to Halifax. The groom is very popular, being a retired soldier, and President of the Yarmouth branch of the G. W. V. A.

THE ROLL OF HONOR.

A few weeks ago there was hanging in the Post Office a framed picture of those brave boys of Digby who laid down their lives during the Great War. Sydney Dakin, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Vates copied the photos and framed them. But it is to Wm. Caines that the town owes a debt of gratitude for originating the plan and securing the contributions to carry it into effect. The photos are as follows:

Morgan, L. Churchill, W. Hayden, R. Caines, H. Levy, B. Hutchinson, J. Winchester, D. Avey, R. Cornwall, A. Tardiff, G. Sherry, E. V. Jones, W. VanZant, E. Handspiker, W. Shortell, W. Gilpin.

The following made this possible by their contributions:  
Field Corners, \$10.00; F. J. Jones, 2.00; Arch Dillon, 1.00; M. Dutton, 2.00; H. B. Short, 2.00; A. M. McPherson, 2.00; H. T. Warner, 1.00; R. A. Sherry, 2.00; J. F. Rice, 1.00; F. W. Nichols, 2.00; Wm. Collins, 2.00; G. G. Lynch, 1.00; C. W. Dakin, 1.00; W. Casey, 1.00; J. O. Babin, 50c; A. W. Casey, 50c; W. P. Ait, 50c. Total \$55.00.

A meeting of the ladies qualified to form a Ladies Auxiliary of the G. W. V. A. in our town will be held next Thursday evening (Feb. 4th) in the Green Lantern Hall. A large attendance is requested.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Gerald Syda was in Halifax for a few days last week.

George Koenig left Saturday on a business trip to Boston.

James Stuenkel of Port Wade, left for Monday for St. John.

Warren Bryant and friend arrived from Boston, returning Monday.

Angus McPhee is at present confined to his home with rheumatism.

Miss Addie McKinnon was in Weymouth for a few days last week.

W. H. Covert, K. C. of Halifax, left for Ottawa on Friday on a short business trip.

Harold K. Kiley was a passenger to Halifax Saturday night returning Wednesday.

Mrs. Moses LeBlanc, of Little Brook, went to Yarmouth Monday and is now a patient at the Yarmouth Hospital.

Miss Marguerite Elderton of Weymouth spent the week with Mrs. A. DeWolfe Smith, Henry St., Halifax.

Edmund Melanson, of Grosses Coques, Digby Co., who has been a patient in the Yarmouth Hospital, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Farnsworth returned home yesterday, after spending the past week and a half with friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Frank Baxter and little daughter Joyce, went to Keeganville Tuesday to visit friends, accompanied by Miss Gladys Baxter.

A F. Hache, who spent two weeks at various parts of Yarmouth County in the interests of the Yarmouth Hospital, returned Tuesday to Meteghan.

Miss Abbie Eaton, who has been spending several weeks at her home in Meteghan, returned to Digby last Wednesday.

Mrs. Carman M. Nae was in "At Home" to her friends, on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, February 24th and 25th, 1920.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lambert left yesterday on a trip to St. John where they will be the guests of Messrs. Caines, at the Duffin Hotel.

Mrs. L. C. Moore recently returned from Digby where she spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Brown—of Wolfville, Acadia.

Rev. D. Crandall, now of Bridgewater, is a pastor of the Digby Baptist Church, was a visitor at the paragon one day last week.

Kitchener Snow, of Boston, has been on a brief visit to the Digby. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boutlier, South Park St., Halifax.

A. Merry, who made many friends in Digby while agent for the D. J. Murray, last summer, has returned to Digby, and is again employed at the station building near the wharf.

Edward Winchester, of Victoria, B.C., is seriously ill. His son L. V. Winchester, has arrived home from Kentville, and Miss Lillian Winchester, was called home from Digby.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Keane, of Westport, arrived in Yarmouth on the Keith Chan on Friday and on Sunday proceeded by the North Land on a trip to Boston and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Newman, of Wilton's Beach, N. B., and their five children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tinker, returned home last Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Hower, who was visiting her mother in Freeport, went to Yarmouth on Friday evening and on Saturday morning proceeded by the C. N. express for her home in Sillville.

Migratory Bird Warden Tutts, of Wolfville, and Deputy Warden Sheriff Smith, of Digby, left for Yarmouth on Friday and on Saturday left by the C. N. express on a trip along the north shore in the interests of those birds.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman F. Pate, who were married three weeks ago in Marlboro, Mass., and spent their wedding trip as the guests of Mrs. Frances Comeau, at the Riverside Hotel, Meteghan, returned on Sunday to their home in Massachusett.

Frank Sullivan, of Meteghan, passed through Yarmouth on Sunday en route to Boston, where he expects to join one of the United Fruit Co.'s steamers. Mr. Sullivan was seen inside of the town schoolhouse, St. Maurice, which only a few weeks ago while in mid-ocean was destroyed by fire and after which he returned to his home for a short stay.

The Boston Book and Shoe Club, at its annual observance of "Ladies' Night" at the Copple-Plaza theatre last week, presented a check for \$250 to Thomas F. Anderson in recognition of his services as secretary of the organization for the past 10 years. The presentation was a feature of a programme which included a reception, banquet and entertainment, followed by dancing.

## Don't Send Your Hides Away

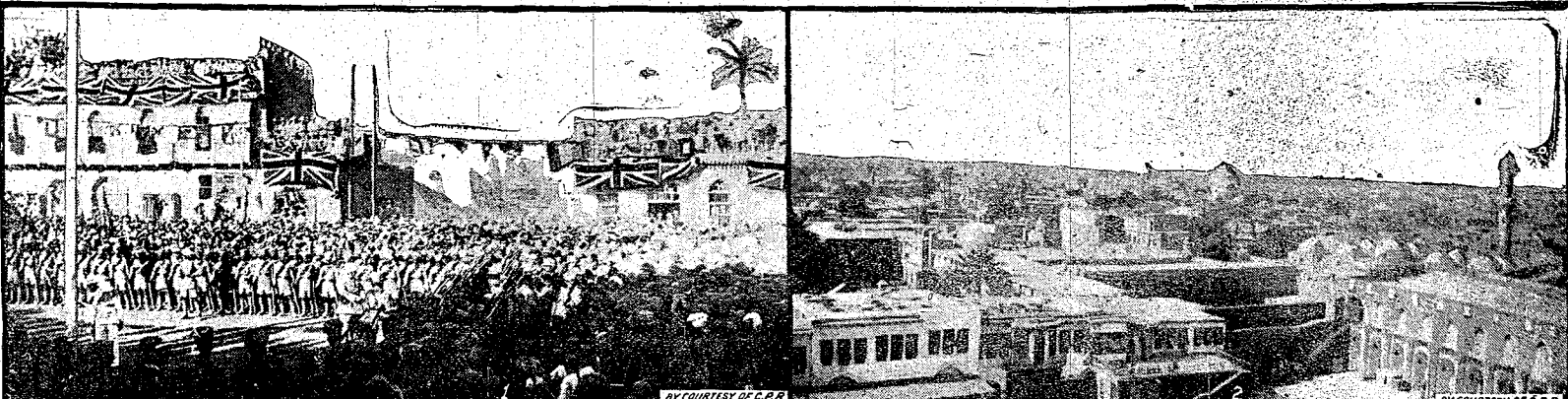
We are paying the highest cash prices for Wool, Hides, Calf Skins, Sheep and Lamb Pelts.

## Webber Bros., Digby



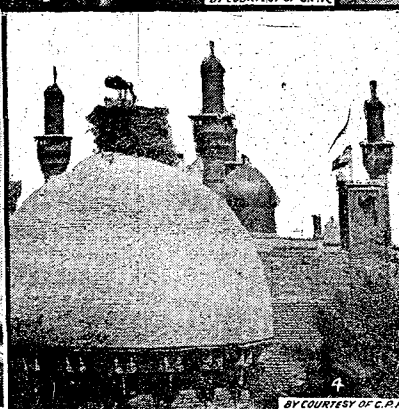


## BAGHDAD AND THE MESOPOTAMIA CAMPAIGN



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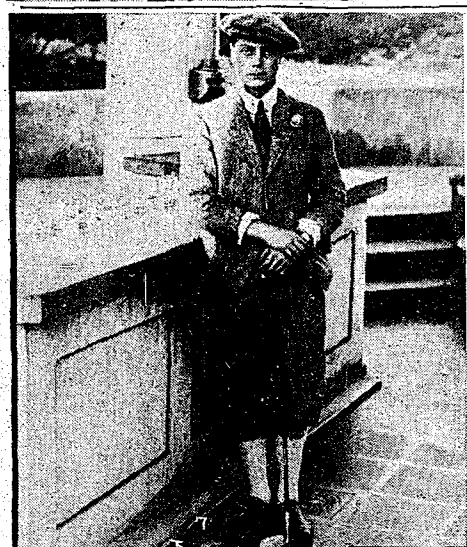
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- (1) Armistice Day in Baghdad.
- (2) A Birdseye View of Baghdad.
- (3) A Naval Monitor, Red Cross Launches, and an Arab Gouffa on the Tigris, at Baghdad.
- (4) Herons' Nests on the Domes of a Mosque.
- (5) Mr. Con. Hammett, who was in Mesopotamia during the war.
- (6) Entrance to Mosque of Golden Domes Khazmain.
- (7) The Prince of Wales at White Sulphur Springs.
- (8) Sisters' Quarters above Baghdad.
- (9) The Prince of Wales in New York.—Just arriving from Battleship Renown to Inspect British Guard of Honor of Great War Veterans.
- (10) A Mosque in Baghdad.

## THE PRINCE IN THE UNITED STATES

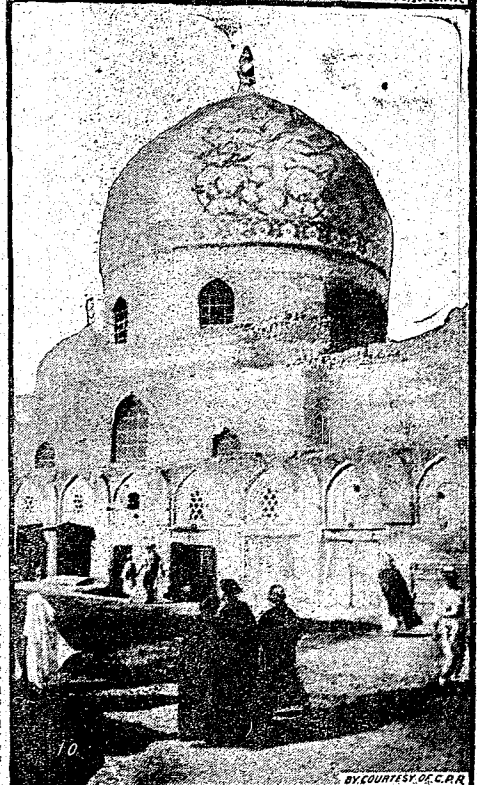
The Prince of Wales captured the hearts of the people of the United States just as he did the hearts of the Canadians. Enthusiastic receptions greeted him everywhere he went. In Washington he made a profound impression amongst American statesmen, and in that capital as well as in all the other cities visited the Prince was idolized by the people, who were glad to learn that an English Prince can be as democratic as the humblest of his countrymen. The Prince was made a freeman of New York city. When leaving there he promised to see the United States soon again. The visit just completed will no doubt add to the friendly relations that exist between the British Empire and the great American Republic.

**THE BRITISH AT BAGHDAD.**

With the eyes of the world concentrated on that all important area known as "The Western Front" the arena of the greatest crusade in the world's history, the progress of Great Britain's lesser campaigns have passed almost unnoticed. Yet the successful occupation of Mesopotamia was the termination of all Germany's hopes in the East; and in no other area of the war has British prestige suffered greater vicissitudes. With the surrender of that ill-fated band of heroes under General Townshend our prestige in our vast Eastern possessions was at its lowest, and in no instance has it been more brilliantly upheld than in the subsequent route of the Turks and the British occupation of all that vast territory. No other campaign has exemplified with greater clarity the pertinacity of British troops in the face of almost unsurmountable difficulties; no other campaign in proportion has placed a bigger toll on the lives, health and reason of the Empire's defenders. It is not my purpose in this short article to describe the military operations in detail, these are already, or will in time be adequately recorded in literature. I can, however, try to visualize to all who live under the protection of the British flag the untiring and heroic efforts which have been made to reduce these vast deserts peopled by nomadic and often recalcitrant tribes to some semblance of law and order. The rise and fall of civilization in this country has been affected more than any other by the energy or the laissez faire of its various conquerors, of which the British occupation is the addition of but one more to a list which comprises all the preceding Empires which are recorded in history. Like a page from the history of the great Alexander's triumphant wars in the East, the British occupation has been marked by the same remorseless fights against the enemy, the continual depredations of nomads on its long line of march, the unceasing toll on the lives of brave men by excessive heat and lack of water and transport, and the waste of every scourge and disease that the flesh of man is heir to. Following in the wake of our disease stricken, emaciated but, victorious troops, have gone the first incitators of British rule, intrepid missionaries of British law and order. At the call of duty, these men—men whom none are braver—have carried the initial propaganda of the Empire's political policy into the vastness of the desert; here gaining the allegiance of one wandering tribe, there being foully murdered and his body subjected to all the infidelities which religious fanaticism can prescribe. It is in these byways of the world that the Empire puts its greatest test on the loyalty of its subjects.



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10c off Barrel  
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When called for at store.

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## Some Candy Patterkrists

Tastes Like More. 50c per pound.

McFarren's Cream Cheese,	12c
Pimento Cheese,	12c
Imperial Mustard,	15c
Maple Butter,	35c
Garden Eggs,	15c
Ground Rice,	15c

## SOUTH END GROCERY

## Boston &amp; Yarmouth Steamship Company, Limited.

## WINTER SERVICE

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## FROM YARMOUTH

Leave Wed. and Sat. at 6:00 p.m.

For Yarmouth and other information apply to

## FROM BOSTON

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Yarmouth, N.S.

## WANTED

## Raw Furs and Hides

- 50 Bear Skins
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- 200 Mink Skins
- 300 Muskrat Skins
- 500 White Weasel Skins
- 300 Red Fox Skins
- 100 Cross Fox Skins
- 25 Black and Silver Fox Skins

All other kinds of Fur.

Will pay highest cash prices for the above skins.

Send them by parcel post (except skunk). If we cannot "skunk" you, we will ship them back at our expense. Write or phone me at my expense, if you have \$50.00 worth or more, and I will come and get them. Send them along while the prices are up; they are too high to stay up.

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Rope, Rubbers, Iron, Brass, Copper, Zinc Lead, Bottles, Rags, Feed, Eggs, Tea Lead, Old Sails and new canvas Cuttings, at Highest Cash Prices. Cow Hides, Horse Hides and Sheep Pelts Dealer in All Kinds of

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This flour is sold under an unequalled record of economy but it is not perfect in every way.

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## 20TH CENTURY MINISTER.

## ERNEST LAPOINTE.

A Clergyman's Views of an Ideal Clergyman.

What are the qualifications of the "twentieth century minister?"

Rev. John Galt, of Peterboro, Ont., who was awarded the first prize in the competition promoted by the Presbyterian Church in Canada, thus sums up the requirements:

"A man, strong, very courageous, whose shoes are as iron and as brass, and whose strength shall be even as his days. This is what the hour demands, for the Promised Land is manifestly now in sight."

"Let the church forever make an end of talking about improving the comfort of the minister. Tell them that their King has need of them. Call them, not to comfort and to ease, but to hardship and heroic endeavor."

"The minister that the twentieth century calls for, and the only minister that will count, will be the one who is cast in manly mould—clean, strong, virile, fearless."

"He is called to be a man among men, one whose advice may be sought and whose counsel may be depended upon in connection with everything that matters in the lives of men, a man who will count for something in matters relating to the well being of his community."

"The minister must be a man of God, one who has cultivated the knowledge of God, His will, His purposes, His plans."

"Not a man with a theory or a philosophy, although he may have plenty of both, but a man with a clear and definite 'Thus saith the Lord.' Prolonged and devoted study of the Word of God is essential to make the student wise unto salvation."

"Of all men of the twentieth century who are to be his fellows with authority, the ministers of the Gospel must be conceded the chief place. There need never be anything derogatory or apologetic about the man who is called and sent."

"All the strong men of the pulpit have been clothed with the mantle of knowledge, and it was largely this that made them strong and gave them presence and dignity before the people."

"The minister will be invested with the authority of a great and revealing urgency, and he will always bring with him the highest kind of authority for the man who can point the way, for the man who has the word to speak, for the man who can deal with the situation. All this the Christian minister can do, and all the more so if he himself is charged with a sense of the supreme urgency of the situation, if he sees and feels the dire conditions now and in the north end of St. Mary's Bay, Digby, N.S., comprising the whole of the property covered, as well as any equipment now standing, including the dwelling accommodation."

"The Pond is well adapted for the impounding of lobsters caught during the open lobster fishing season for export during the closed fishing season, the license for which may be secured under the provisions of Section 25 of the Fisheries Act."

Alternative Tenders will be considered:

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The rental must be paid annually in advance.

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The Future Leader of Liberal French-Canadianism.

When the Liberals went out of office in 1911 Ernest Lapointe, B.A., LL.D., was an obscure member of the back benches, a big, jovial, youthful French-Canadian, scarcely able to read or write, or even to speak in English. To-day he is conceded to be one of the foremost orators in the House of Commons, speaking with weight and authority and standing easily among the first half dozen figures in the Parliamentary life of the nation.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier returned to Parliament in 1917 Lapointe with a number of other comparatively unknown members moved up to the front benches. Almost at once the House became conscious of the presence of a formidable personality. The shy, unassuming, almost diffident French-Canadian suddenly revealed himself as a brilliant political leader, an eloquent and aggressive speaker. His speeches, though few, came to be regarded as models of eloquence.

His ability, and though the new House, mostly assembled from Quebec, was little in sympathy with his doctrines, men of all parties paid tribute to his labors and his ability. To Sir Wilfrid, with his following, dedicated intellectually as well as emotionally, he was the shadow of a rock in a weary land, and in the last year of his life no voice was more potent in influencing the "Old Chief" than the voice of Lapointe.

The course of action that this of this newly arisen star in the Quebec political firmament.

Starting under the reality of Lapointe's stature has steadily grown greater. At the National Liberal Convention he was an outstanding figure.

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In 1916, I saw in an advertisement that "Fruit-a-tives" would stop Rheumatism, and took one box and got relief; then I took them right along for about six months and the Rheumatism was all gone and I have never felt it since."

Anyone who would care to write me as regards "Fruit-a-tives" I would be glad to tell them what "Fruit-a-tives" did for me."

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Contractor and Mason.

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Save your hair! Get a small bottle of Danderrine right now—Also stops itching scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scourge. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, eventually producing a terrible itching and itching scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A Danderrine treatment—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a small bottle of Danderrine from any drug store. You surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderrine. Save your hair! Try it!

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## RAILWAY SECURED SOME AMENDMENTS TO RESOLUTION

Made Objection to Resolution as First Passed by the Council  
—Considerable Routine Business Transacted.

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held on Monday evening of last week. Present—His Worship the Mayor, and Councillors Anderson, Dillon, Jones, Smallie and Winchester.

The minutes of the last meeting of the Council were read and approved.

The monthly report of G. A. Vye, Superintendent of Streets and Water, was read as follows:—

Digby, January 26th, 1920.

To His Worship the Mayor and Council:  
GENTLEMEN: I beg to submit the following report. Councillors have been placed on sidewalks on three occasions. Snow plow used a number of times clearing sidewalks and streets.

Also two stand pipes worked down on hydrants at corner of Prince William and King Streets and Prince William and Maiden Lane.

G. A. VYE.

On motion of Councillors Anderson and Winchester the report was received and adopted.

The report of the Auditors was read as follows:—

To the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Digby.

GENTLEMEN:—We have examined the books accounts and vouchers of the Town of Digby for the year ending December 31st, 1919 and find them correct.

Assets and Liabilities, General Balance Sheet and Abstracts of Receipts and Expenditures.

W. E. VANBLARCOM, Auditors  
Digby, Jan. 1st, 1920.

On motion of Councillors Smallie and Dillon the report was received and adopted.

Application of Rupert D. Guest and Leonard Elliott for the position of policemen were read and on motion referred to the incoming Council.

Letters of W. H. Hattie, M. D., and F. E. Lawler, M. D., were read and on motion ordered to be filed.

The following bills were reported up by the Finance Committee:—

Mr. Alice Handspiker..... \$23.00  
Maritime Fish Corporation Ltd. 31.00  
Charles VanTassel..... 22.50  
Daleys Electric Light..... 99.46  
H. E. Turnbull..... 31.84  
H. B. Short..... 19.70  
Royal Bazaar..... 60.25  
W. L. Holdsworth..... 10.00  
Victoria General Hospital..... 47.00  
Ernest H. Bliss..... 184.07  
W. H. Hogg and W. E. Van Blarcom..... 40.60  
Mrs. D. H. Sullivan..... 36.00  
B. L. Deaulson..... 88.70  
W. L. Holdsworth..... 10.00  
Nova Scotia Hospital..... 73.13  
Maritime Telephone Co..... 6.60  
Pay Roll Streets and Water..... 145.00

\$ 939.99  
On motion of Councillors Dillon and Winchester the bills were ordered to be paid.

The Clerk stated that it would be necessary to fix up two booths for voters at the Election of Mayor and Councillors, on February 9th, as there were 741 voters on the list.

On motion of Councillors Anderson and Smallie, Jonathan Letteney was appointed Presiding Officer, and William Oliver, Poll Clerk, in one booth, and H. W. Bowles was ap-

pointed Presiding Officer and A. L. M. Swabey, Poll Clerk, in the other booth and the Clerk was directed to have two booths fitted up in the Town Hall for voters.

A. D. Daley, Fireward, reported that a report had been made to him that the Railway Watering tank was a fire menace to buildings in the neighborhood. He had inspected the tank and was of opinion there was no danger of fire.

G. C. Jones addressed the Council in reference to the resolution passed at the last meeting of the Council closing a portion of Prince William Street for the purpose of having a new station built thereon. On behalf of the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company he objected to some of the conditions of the resolution. After discussion it was moved by Councillor Winchester, seconded by Councillor Smallie, that the resolution passed at the meeting of the Town Council held on the 29th day of December, 1919, closing a portion of Prince William Street to vehicle traffic be repealed and the following resolution be substituted:—

"Resolved that that certain portion of Prince William Street between the eastern side line of First Avenue and a line thirty five feet east of the present tracks of the Dominion Atlantic Railway be closed to vehicle traffic and conveyed to the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company for the purpose of erecting a station thereon and enlarging the station yard on the following conditions:—

1. That the said Dominion Atlantic Railway Company shall build and complete the said station including freight shed, on the site hereinafter mentioned, during the year 1920, according to plans submitted to this Council and shall build and maintain in good and sufficient condition sidewalks from First Avenue east along or near the side of the said portion of said street so closed to Birch Street for foot passengers to pass and repass at all times across and over the tracks of the said Dominion Atlantic Railway.

2. That should the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company, its successors or assigns, at any time abandon the said site for station purposes the said portion of Prince William Street so conveyed or to be conveyed to the said Dominion Atlantic Railway Company shall be reconveyed to the Town of Digby and reopened to vehicle traffic.

3. That the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company shall maintain over and upon the portion of Prince William Street so proposed to be closed, the water courses as they now exist.

4. That all the buildings now standing and used by the said Railway Company on the West side of the tracks between Sydney Street and Prince William Street shall be removed and the grounds graded on the completion of the new station. The said conditions to be embodied in an agreement in writing

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

I find that I was not the only disappointed, disgruntled person in town over the way our civic matters settled themselves, this year. Settled themselves, I say! If ever a town needed stirring up surely that town is Digby. It makes me think of the times in the familiar Christmas poem, "and mamma in her kerchief and I in my cap, had just settled ourselves for a long winter's nap." Believe me "mamma" and I have napped long enough and I thought from all pre-election talk that we were both stirring and about to wake up—but, oh! it makes me sick to think about it! There wasn't even life enough left for an election. Nobody as near as I can find out was willing to shoulder so great a responsibility as to be a councillor. It meant too much risk, etc., but take every- body from now on or write those who must finally be pushed into a corner and nominated. Why couldn't some person have been nominated who would have accepted their duties willingly from a spirit of

patriotism. If the men hadn't gumption enough, I for one know several high-minded, noble energetic women, who though not eager to press themselves upon the public would willingly run for election, and having been elected would not shrink from the responsibilities involved. We hope that in another year the fair sex will not again run the risk of being dubbed "the fear sex" but will go boldly and nominate whom they will and give us a real honest-to-goodness election. If we can't have women in the Council the next best thing will be to have them on the school board - and perhaps after all that is where the dear creatures can do the most good. The Lord knows the school problem needs looking into! Wake up dear people; and remember the words of Solomon: "Yet a little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the hands in sleep. So shall thy poverty come as one that travelth, and thy want as an armed man."

The editor has handed me the following letter received this week. It is a reply to "Ian," which was published in the issue of January 23. I thought it was rather strong and so, for that matter, did the editor, and yet I do not see where it can be toned down. It was written by an American visitor to Digby who lives in New York City and no doubt it reflects the feelings of many Digby people who have been compelled to go away to make a living.

To the Editor of the Courier:  
SIR—In reply to "Ian"—"What is the Matter with Digby?"—That is easy—I can tell him few things are easier—First and greatest of all there is no good fellowship among the people. There is no feeling of comradeship; each one is trying to go the other fellow one better, in grabbing the almighty dollar. The idea of doing business to benefit others than oneself never occurs to them. If anybody started an enterprise in Digby with the idea of gaining the

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

REPORT OF KEEPER  
SANE INMATES PRESENT DURING 1919.

No.	NAME	RESIDENCE	No. OF DAYS
1	Alfred Comenau	Plymouth	365
2	Annie Comenau	Plymouth	365
3	Ida Kinney	Port Gilbert	365
4	Melessia Hill	Weymouth	365
5	Jessie Lewis	Calton	337
6	Carrie Hatfield	Calton	365
7	George Hatfield	Calton	365
8	A. M. Willet	Hill Grove	365
9	Mary Amoro	Weymouth	365
10	Maynard Lewis	Plymouth	365
11	Edward Amoro	Bear River	365
12	Henry McKinnon	Bear River	365
13	Albert McKinnon	Weymouth	365
14	James Brash	Sandy Cove	365
15	Helena Crowell	Bear River	365
16	James Miller	Bear River	365
17	Charles Elliott	Tiverton	255
18	Jessie Thibodeau	Bear River	365
19	Ben Smith	Sandy Cove	297
20	Dora Lewis	Tiverton	297
21	Leahy Weir	North Range	365
22	Chas. Marshall	Marshalltown	365
23	Douglas Melanson	Plymouth	365
24	Eva Melanson	Plymouth	365
25	Katherine Melanson	Plymouth	365
26	Louise Melanson	Plymouth	365
27	Doris Conroy	Bear River	260
28	Edith Hooper	Digby	365
29	Henry Benson	Bear River	365
30	James Armstrong	Digby	328
31	Edward Doran	Weymouth	234
32	David McCullum	Weymouth	365
33	Robert Addington	Little River	47
34	Dora Thibodeau	Plymouth	18
35	Maude Farnsworth	North Range	116
36	Robert Donahue	Port Gilbert	12
37	Cecil Farnsworth	North Range	84
38	Edward Thibodeau	Plymouth	365
39	John Barr	Centerville	136
40	Mrs. Chas. Payson	Westport	136
41	Annie Melanson	Seabrook	125
42	Harry Thomas	Seabrook	125
43	David Grey	Seabrook	125
44	Ida May Melanson	Marshalltown	108
45	Samuel Ryan	Marshalltown	108
46	Certie Melanson	Ashmore	35
47	Bertrise Melanson	Ashmore	35
48	Annie Melanson	Ashmore	35
49	Joseph D. Melanson	Ashmore	35
50	Josephine Melanson	Ashmore	35
51	Edward Melanson	Ashmore	35

Sane present January 1st, 1919  
Admitted 31  
Discharged 10  
Ran away 3  
Died 1

January 1st, 1920, Sane, 58  
Sgt. J. ARTHUR MARSHALL,  
INSANE INMATES PRESENT DURING 1919.

No.	NAME	RESIDENCE	No. OF DAYS
1	Nancy Ray	Weymouth	365
2	Nancy Hamilton	Weymouth	126
3	Agnes Willett	Calton	365
4	Addie Maxwell	Jordanville	365
5	Annie Graham	Westport	365
6	Elizabeth Bain	Calton	365
7	John Monrohan	Bear River	365
8	Albert Monrohan	Centerville	365
9	Harley White	Port Gilbert	365
10	Body Pendleton	Smith's Cove	365
11	Richard Collins	Westport	365
12	Charles Letteney	Calton	365
13	Mrs. Pittman Lewis	Freeport	365
14	Oliver Dunn	Calton	365
15	George Swift	Sandy Cove	365
16	Fred Thomas	Calton	365
17	Chas. E. Outhouse	Tiverton	365
18	Lillian Bain	Calton	365
19	Mrs. Roland Wornell	Calton	134
20	Annie Nichols	Hill Grove	188
21	Wm. Swift	Bear River	296
22	Edward Walker	Westville	296
23	Fred Thierau	East Ferry	296
24	Joseph Hammond	Weymouth	296
25	May Melanson	Port Gilbert	15

Insane January 1st, 1919  
Admitted 19  
Discharged 3  
Died 1

January 1st, 1920, Insane, 21  
MEMO OF STOCK ON FARM, JAN. 1ST, 1920  
One horse, 4 cows, 1 heifer, 2 pigs and 75 hens.

There were 4 hogs killed during the year, weighing 298 lbs., 265 lbs., 287 lbs., and 298 lbs. respectively. All of this has been consumed on farm. We have one sheep on hand.

## Music in the Home

THE VIOLIN—No. 3  
A Series of Talks on Music, now running in The Courier  
By C. C. LAUGHER, Mus. Bac., Bowmanville.

The violin is the principal orchestral instrument. It is the soprano of the string quartette, the quartette of instruments being, violin (soprano), viola (alto), cello (tenor), contrabass (bass). The quartette more often used is 1st and 2nd violin, viola and cello.

The face value of the material in a violin may not exceed many cents, but that same little instrument may be valued at several thousand dollars. I quote from the catalogue of an American violin dealer of the better known makers as follows: Guarnerius—\$18,000; Bergoni—\$9,000; Guarnerius—\$8,500; Stradivari—\$7,500, etc.

Everyone is familiar with the shape of the violin which is entirely hand made; its weight being 3.2 ounces, has 4 strings and is played with a bow. The tone of the violin resembles the human voice. It was formerly larger, but to "Caspar da Salo" we owe its present shape. A well made violin consists of 70 parts, and is generally understood that the old Italian makers used such a delicacy in the making of violins that it is often spoken of as the violin of the human voice. It was the makers of that period. Violinists are familiar with such names as Stradivari, Stainer, Guarnerius, Cremona, Amati, etc. Mozart says to choose a violin by its looks as like choosing a singing-bird by its feathers.

Modern violin students smile to think of the great violinists playing with the chin on the right hand side of the tail-piece. Now we play with the chin on the left hand side of the tail-piece.

Violin compositions were in evidence around 1600. About that time the art of violin playing was generally understood.

Two notes at one time may be played on a violin and with a quick sweep of the bow four notes may be played almost simultaneously. The violin and its music hardly bears the name of the great violinists of today and the execution and interpretation forms will simply amaze one.

Let us review the career of the greatest violinists that ever lived, Nicolo Paganini, an Italian, born 1781, died 1840. Although Nicolo was devoted to his mother's dream that he would become the greatest violinist. This inspired him for at 6 years he was a remarkable player and at 9 years he played at a concert, playing his own original variations. It must be remembered that Paganini played only on his own compositions. At eleven years of age his father took him to Parma to take lessons from the great teacher, Rollo, but Rollo was sick in bed, and while Nicolo waited in an adjoining room, he saw a violin and music compositions lying on the table, and taking the violin he played the composition so perfectly that Rollo inquired what master was in the house. On seeing a mere boy he could hardly believe his own eyes and protested that he could teach him nothing.

Paganini played astonishing feats on one and two strings to imitate a conversation between two lovers. He took off the 2 middle strings D and A and played the duet on the remaining strings. So well was Paganini received and appreciated that Pope Leo XII. decorated him with the Order of the Golden Spur. Reports were abroad that he was a child of Satan, whom one man declared he saw directing his bow at a concert. Paganini frequently

visited an old Florentine castle and people declared that he held intercourse with the Devil for they heard all manner of queer noises coming from the place. When he made his first appearance in London through followed him in the streets, even pinching him at times to see if he were real. In his playing he combined the arco and pizzicato together, plucking the string with his left hand and at the same time using his bow with his right, making most astonishing feats. He tuned his violin to produce different effects, his system being mostly his own even though he had much training. Paganini was much opposed to the wives of society leaders. On one occasion they tried to secure from him \$1,000 worth of violin music in return for the price of a dinner. On another, while concertizing in Paris he received a pressing invitation to dine with a notable company, and a postscript adding "Do not fail to bring your violin." Paganini returned the invitation card with following written on it, "My Violin does not dine." Paganini wrought a revolution in the Violin world. He was the renowned Violinist, who had heard the wonderful Virtuoso said "He is the greatest of us all."

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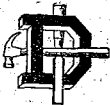
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He went to school in the old building which formerly housed the concern, but which had been converted into an improvised technical school. It has long since been superseded by a modern, palatial structure with up-to-date equipment. Over thirty years ago Mr. Cadbury's humanitarian spirit led him to transfer his business to Bourneville, a pretty suburb of Birmingham.

He felt that healthier conditions could be provided for his staff, though the move was strongly discouraged by his friends. Visitors to the place have seen the beautiful cricket ground, two football fields, open-air swimming baths, recreation rooms and institutes for boys and girls. Competition for employment with such a concern is very keen and strikes are unknown.

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**Forward Movements.**

Forward movements are the milestones of the mountain peaks, of Christian history.

Forward movements are impossible of success if they fail to capture the heart of the common people.

Forward movements need the vision of prospects and possibilities beyond the best endeavors of today.

Forward movements are none the worse if the discovery is made that they are the refining of old paths.

Forward movements worth securing right-of-way are born of unselfish and sacrificial desire to benefit others.

Forward movements which are not also upward ones lack vitality, and fall short of the attainment of permanent good.

Forward movements are the essence of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and have as their constant imperative the Master's "Go ye."

Forward movements may have many and various objectives, but they get nowhere without the driving power of spiritual motives.

Happiness is like health in that it is not known until it is gone.

A Woman Councillor

The election of Mrs. Laura Haliburton Moore for membership on the new Town Council of Wolfville is a new item that will interest many men and women. It is too, further evidence of the fact that worth and ability are the assets that bring to their possessor, sooner or later, the recognition that is justly theirs.

Mrs. Moore, who for many years has been the chatelaine of Kent Lodge in Wolfville, comes of a well known Nova Scotia family, as her name indicates. She is a woman of great executive ability and of a sane judgment.

In its social and literary life and in its business enterprises Wolfville owes not a little of its success to the interest taken in its development by Mrs. Moore. This is the first time in the history of the province that a woman has been elected as a Councillor. Digby people are particularly interested as Mrs. Moore is a sister of Mrs. Aubrey Brown, of this town.

Most people go to bed the same day they get up; others again, get up the same day they go to bed.

A St. John house, which annually buys many thousands of dollars' worth of American goods, a few days ago sent to the firms with which it has long and close and friendly relations notification that the exchange rate made business dealings impossible. This is a practical adoption of the Buy-in-Canada policy, which is followed by other Canadian business houses.

The man who lives for himself alone, is poverty-stricken, though he work his millstone.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING.

The third quarterly meeting of the Methodist Churches of the Annapolis District was held on Tuesday last, in the Bridgetown Methodist Church, Rev. W. I. Croft, of Digby, presiding.

There was a good attendance of Ministers and Laymen. The principal speakers were Rev. Jas. W. McConnell, of Halifax, and the Rev. R. G. Fulton, of the stimulating words of the speakers were made more impressive by reason of the good reports from most of the churches in the district which were in line with the other denominations federated in the Inter-Church Movement. The individual canvass will take place next week.

Wedding Bells

The wedding took place at the home of the bride's father, Adair McLeod, Acadiaville, on Wednesday evening of last week, when the Rev. Dr. E. H. Hatt officiated.

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Lucky Nova Scotia simply cannot keep good thermometer down.

Abkhaz and red clover seed were never so high as today.

The initiatory degree will be conferred in St. George Lodge of Oddfellows tonight.

Service in Smith's Cove Methodist Church, on Sunday afternoon next at 3 o'clock.

The censorship on books and literature has been removed.

A special appeal will be made in all the churches on Sunday in aid of the Forth Movement.

The only thing that goes down these days is the mercury, and even that adds to the high cost of living.

A woman of experience says it is impossible to keep children or their carpets in place without using the rod.

A case of sleeping sickness, *Leishmania*, has been reported from North River, and another at Deep Brook.

Prices of furs will be decidedly higher next winter, according to buyers attending the recent sale of the International Fur Exchange at St. Louis.

Rev. Dr. C. Randall is visiting old friends on Digby Neck and will preach in the Baptist Church, on Sunday, at 10 o'clock.

At the annual meeting of the Lunenburg Marine Railway company held last week, a dividend of 10 per cent. was declared and \$8,000 carried to rest account.

The extreme cold weather has been keeping the street commissioner busy looking after various hydrants and the water supply. Saturday was the coldest day since 1888.

Many fishermen along the south shore who will engage in the lobster fishery during the approaching season, have already commenced moving gear to the various stations among the outer islands.

The westbound train did not arrive until 6 p. m. on Saturday morning, and was two hours late. The night train due about 10 o'clock, passed through here about 14 hours late.

A resident of Broad Cove was in town this week. Calling at a local store he asked in all seriousness: "Is it true it is 112 below in Digby last Saturday?"

Some of the fishermen of Grand Manan and Campobello, are getting \$1 each for lobsters of three and four pounds, and the traps. The crustaceans bring nearly double the price at retail in Boston.

The captains of the coastal steamers between Yarmouth and Lunenburg report the ice conditions most severe at some places and that the drift ice has played havoc with many of the ships.

Hugh F. Hamilton, provincial secretary, G. W. V. A. left Halifax Monday morning for a tour of the local branches in the western counties.

James W. MacDonald, provincial secretary, left for St. Patrick's church, Halifax, for the Starving People in Europe was announced Sunday and amounted to \$702.50. This was the largest collection taken in any Catholic church for that purpose.

The Boston & Yarmouth S. S. Co.'s steamer Prince Arthur, which is now being recommissioned at Egan's Landing, Machine Works, Hobeoken, was placed in that company's large dry dock at that place in order to drain it out and her hull painted below the water line.

Rev. Dr. E. Hatt gave addresses on the Inter-Church Forward Movement, at Range last Friday evening and Centreville and Rossmore on Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week.

In the morning of Tuesday, the 1st, Major M. C. Denton, secretary-treasurer for the Digby group of Baptist churches, sent out the news from your community.

Send us the map. There are two things an editor enjoys, faithful correspondence and early news. It is heart-breaking to receive a nice budget of snappy items just as you are hurrying to get the forms closed up, in time to catch the mails. Call by phone or send by mail.

E. Caroline Wilcox, of St. John, Joseph Williams and George Gilbert of Bathurst have been incorporated as Can Toy and Novelties Manufacturers, Ltd., with capital stock of \$3,000 and head office in Bathurst.

The company is to manufacture toys and novelties and engage in other business. Why couldn't a toy factory be started in Digby?

Capt. Ainsley T. Croft, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Dartmouth, has received his Military Cross, beautifully inscribed and encased. The congratulations of everybody in the Town of Digby will be extended spontaneously in having achieved, worthily, this recognition.

On account of bad roads the Forward Movement programme announced for the Baptist Church last Sunday morning was postponed until next Sunday morning.

Several business men are out on a tour of the town, and are out lining and urging the claims of National Campaign for more efficient work by the churches. In the evening the pastor will preach on "The Substance of Apostolic Preaching."

The Parrsboro Leader of Parrsboro, Nova Scotia, has been published in 1916 when its editor and proprietor, late T. C. Choiniere, went overseas with the 103rd Battalion, will resume publication this month.

The principal speaker at the meeting was Mr. M. Lewis, who has been with the Campbellton Graphic since last July, and David Pettis, of Parrsboro, both returned men by the proprietors under the firm name of Lewis & Pettis.

The mid winter meeting of the Valley Medical Society was held in the St. James Methodist Church, on Tuesday last.

Dr. E. A. C. Hallett, of Weymouth, the president of the society, occupied the chair. Dr. A. C. Hallett, of Weymouth, secretary. Members of the profession from Kentville, Berwick, Aylesford, Middleton, Levis, and other places were present. The June meeting will be held at Bayville Farm, Weymouth North one of the most popular summer resorts along St. Mary's Bay.

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**Local and General**

A combination storm and glare blizzard that can be clamped on an automobile windshield in front of a driver's seat has been invented.

The tern schooner Jean F. Anderson, which is now on a voyage from Sagua to Mexico, has been sold to Duluth, Minn., interests, who will continue to use her in the southern trade.

Is your heart lost, stony or stone-cold? The Valentine Social, given by the Canadian Club next Thursday evening (Feb. 12th) and see what can be done about it. All local hearts are guaranteed to be melted that evening, without extra charge.

Altho the weather was unfavorable the election supper which was given in the Acadiaville A. B. Church under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary was quite successful. For the sake of the friends who could not attend; the auxiliary is anticipating giving another later in the season.

TRAIN WILL STOP AS USUAL.

To The Editor of The Courier:

Sir:—Will you kindly find space in your valuable paper for the following letter?

I wish to thank all who so kindly supported me in my appeal for the rights of the public travelling along the line of the Dominion Atlantic Railway.

A copy of the letter received from Mr. Geo. C. Graham, General Manager, N. B. Ry., to my mind of the 26th, ult.

Dear Madam:—You have reassured me that the train will continue to stop at station as in the past, at least for the present time. As advised in my letter of December 18th, you will be notified of any change.

Yours Truly,  
 GEORGE E. GRAHAM  
 General Manager

We trust we shall have no further trouble in the matter, and thanking you for your kindness in publishing the same.

Mrs. Geo. Taylor  
 Gilbert's Cove

Feb. 2, 1920

HOCKEY.

In spite of the extreme cold and stormy night local hockey fans were in attendance at the rink.

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**MEMORIAL HOSPITAL SUGGESTED.**

For some years past there has been considerable talk of a hospital, and since the close of the war it has been argued that this hospital take the form of a memorial.

On Tuesday the first really definite step was taken when a meeting made up of one representative from each of the churches and societies in town, the two doctors and a Courier representative took place in the town hall.

Dr. Reed was appointed chairman and J. J. Wallis, secretary. There was considerable discussion of the subject, and it was finally agreed that a memorial hospital was necessary. It was suggested that a twelve-bed hospital would meet all requirements. Such an institution would cost about \$30,000 and the yearly maintenance would be about \$7,000. It was also ascertained that a number of societies have funds in hand for such a purpose.

FEAR DIGBY GIRL IS PRISONER OF THE BOLSHIEVIKI.

Relatives of Miss Alida E. Israel, a native of Digby, who she has been captured by the Bolshievi forces, which recently overwhelmed the town of Kitchin, Siberia.

Miss Israel was a Red Cross nurse engaged with others from the United States and Canada, including Miss Hamilton, of St. John, in relief work in that country. She was at the town named and as her sister, Mrs. Foster, whose marriage to Miss Mayne Foster will take place in the near future.

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## BIRTH

DENTON, At Centerville, Feb. 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. R. Denton, a daughter.  
STREET, At Little River, Jan. 28, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Street, a daughter.  
LAMBERTON, At Barton, Jan. 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lambertson, a son.  
WALKER, At Weymouth, Feb. 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Walker, a son.  
EVERETT, At Bay View, Feb. 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Everett, a daughter.  
TIDD, At Centerville, Feb. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. George Tidd, a daughter.  
EVERETT, At Digby, Feb. 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Everett, a son.

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## MEMORIAL TABLET UNVEILED

The unveiling of a tablet and roll of honor erected in memory of those who had served in the world war at Holy Trinity Church and congregation in this town took place Sunday night. There was a very large congregation, among them being a strong contingent of veterans. This church erected a large monument in memory of the fallen in the war. The inscription was as follows:  
To the glory of Almighty God and as a memorial of the patriotism and loyalty of the parishioners and former parishioners who served their king and country in the great war of 1914-1918, this tablet has been erected by the corporation of Trinity parish.

WILLIAM DUFFIELD, Rector.  
L. M. SWANEY, A. D. DALRY, churchwardens.  
**KILLED.**  
"I am the Reconciliation and the Life," said the Lord.  
Louis Lawrence Churchill.  
Bernard M. Dakin.  
William Savvy Gilpin.  
Arthur E. G. Goddard.  
Charles Deyrell Shreve, M.C.  
George Archer Turnbull.  
Walter VanTassel.

**WOUNDED OR GASED.**  
"They jeopardized their lives unto the death."  
John Carney Geddes, D. S. O.  
Walter Drummond.  
Stephen Marshall.  
Gus Torrie.  
Wilfred Eddy Tupper.  
Alfred Minton Churchill.  
Bevis Watson Turnbull.  
Gerard Archibald Turnbull.  
Donald Smith Winchester.  
John Fulton Turnbull, M. C.  
Alexander Griswold Viets.  
Robert Bostford Viets.  
Donald Smith Winchester.  
Earl Sinclair Winchester.  
Ralph Buzell Winchester.

**PRESERVED IN SAFETY.**  
"The living, the living, he shall praise Thee."  
Gordon Lester Alcorn.  
John Allan.  
Rev. George Michael Ambrose.  
George Willard Baxter.  
Arthur W. Beat.  
Henry Parks Bonnell, D. S. O.  
Edmund Ernest Burnham.  
Joseph Henry Churchill.  
Harry Payson Cousins.  
Raymond Dakin.  
Boyd Smith Dunham.  
Allen M. Goddard.  
Allen Percival Hughes.  
Gerald Oswald Carleton Minkel.  
Stewart Freeman Raymond.  
Chauncey Frederick Rine.  
Bertram Digby Robinson.  
George Chamberlain.  
Richmond Seymour Shreve.  
Clifford Allison Smith.  
Hallett Stephenson.  
William Albert Sullivan.  
Honora Torrie.  
Abraham Arnold Turnbull.  
Herbert Hendricks Turnbull.  
Carolyn Winifred Viets, R. R. C.  
Roy Martin Whybnight.

**RECOVER REGISTER.** The Rev. H. H. McNeil, now of Calcutta, Ontario, has accepted an invitation to the pastorate of the Anglican Methodist Church. As our readers know, Mr. McNeil's youthful days were spent in Berwick. (Mrs. McNeil was formerly Miss Hildesworth of Digby.)

**WYEMOUTH BOARD OF TRADE ANNUAL.**  
At the Weymouth Board of Trade meeting H. L. Jones was re-elected President, J. F. Blagden, Vice President, D. Knapp, Secretary. Treasurer. Among other matters discussed, the Board proposed that the unexpired term of the Weymouth Board of Trade be extended to the 1st of January, 1921. It was also proposed that the Board should be empowered to purchase a site for a new market place, and to erect a new market place on the site.

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## Obituary

**EDWARD WALKER.**  
Edward Walker, at one time quite a prominent business man in Digby having been proprietor of the Myrtle House and engaged in other pursuits, died at Weymouth, N. S., on Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1920, at the age of 75 years. The funeral will take place today, Rev. Wm. Driffield officiating.

**Mrs. JOHN PEARCE.**  
The death of Agnes Aeretha, wife of John Pearce, now of Calgary, but formerly of Bear River, took place at Calgary on Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1920, at the age of 75 years. The funeral will take place today, Rev. Wm. J. Wright officiating. Mrs. Pearce was about 65 years old.

**ETHEMIA A. FENWICK.**  
On Tuesday Mrs. Abramson, of this town, received word from Andover, Mass., that her cousin, Ethemia A. Fenwick, formerly of New Brunswick, had died there last Friday, after an illness of two days caused by hemorrhage of the brain. Miss Fenwick leaves one sister and four brothers, besides a number of cousins in Canada and the United States.

**Mrs. MOSES LEBLANC.**  
Mrs. Moses LeBlanc, of Little Brook, died Saturday in Yarmouth hospital, which institution she entered some days previous. She had been ill for several months and her case when she entered the hospital was decidedly serious. Mrs. LeBlanc was 52 years of age and leaves her husband, one stepdaughter, and five step-sons.

**Rev. HENRY AMMONS.**  
The death of Rev. Henry Ammons, Little River, took place last week at the home of his brother, Wm. Ammons, at the advanced age of 83 years. He was only a few days past his 80th birthday. Besides the brother mentioned another brother, Harold Ammons, died in the hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1920, at the age of 75 years. The funeral will take place today, Rev. G. C. Durkee officiating.

**Mrs. MARION SILVER.**  
The friends of Mrs. Marion Silver, the well known pianist, will regret to learn that she passed away at the V. G. Hospital, Halifax, after an illness of about three weeks. She is survived by two daughters, Celeste, stenographer at the Workmen's Compensation Board, and Elizabeth, at home also on the V. G. Hospital. Mrs. Silver was a daughter of the late Israel Burritt, of Weymouth, and was a sister of Mrs. A. E. McEwen, of Moncton.

**Mrs. GEORGE W. MITCHELL.**  
That troubles never come singly has been exemplified in the case of Geo. W. Mitchell, of Weymouth, who in fourteen months has lost both parents, sister and wife, the death of the latter taking place in the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Mitchell was Esther, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis LeBlanc, of Combeville, and leaves besides her parents and husband, two sons and daughters, the oldest being but five years old the youngest being three years old. She is also survived by three sisters, Misses Rose and Emma, of Combeville, and Mrs. Wm. Thierault, of Digby, and two brothers, William and George, of Combeville. The remains will arrive this afternoon.

**JOHN WETMORE.**  
News has been received in Digby of an occurrence at Beaver River, Digby County, Thursday evening, when John Wetmore, an aged resident of that place, was burned to death when his home was destroyed by fire. When the fire was discovered by neighbors, it had gained such headway that they were unable to do anything to save the property. A search was made for Mr. Wetmore, but he was not to be found until early next morning, when he was found in the ruins. Mr. Wetmore had spent Thursday in Yarmouth and the last of his trip was to Beaver River, where he was to spend the night. He was 77 years of age, and had lived in the United States. An inquest was held before Coroner Foley, of Salmon River, and a verdict of "accidental death" was found.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Frank Jones K. C. arrived home from Boston last week. Mr. Jones is now in A. G. McIntyre, of Bear River, left for St. John yesterday.

Coun. George Green arrived here from Weymouth, N. S., on Wednesday. Donald Winchester was a passenger to Halifax on Monday last.

Mrs. George E. C. Burton of Yarmouth, visiting her sister in Yarmouth. Capt. James Wright, who has been confined to his home with grippe, is now improving.

W. H. Spurr, "Colonial Arms," Deep Brook is expected here from the South next week.

Rev. G. W. F. Glendinning, M. A. is president of the ministerial association of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Mrs. T. E. G. Lynch, of Digby, is visiting her brother, George E. E. Nichols, of Coburn Road, Halifax.

Mrs. Edith Letterson, of Digby, is visiting her brother, Mr. H. H. Letterson, of Mass. Overbury Street, Dartmouth.

Mrs. Helen B. Smallie was successful in passing the Civil Service examinations at St. John's, N. B., and will receive notice of her appointment in Grade C, of the second Division.

Capt. Arthur Porter, of Westport, arrived in Yarmouth by the Keith Canoe on Sunday morning and returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Hatt, daughter of Rev. D. Hatt, arrived in Digby from Liverpool on Tuesday and will spend some time in the parish.

Mrs. Alex. Ross, Culloden, left for Boston on Wednesday to see her son, Capt. Wiley Ross, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

George Burgoyne, of Sandford, who during the past few months has been absent from his home, and is now in Westport, has returned to his home.

Mrs. Mary Ellridge and her family left for Yarmouth on Tuesday on a boat for Yarmouth, and will arrive on Wednesday at the Provincial Normal College.

Mrs. Capt. L. O. Overst, who was in Yarmouth, arrived in Yarmouth by the Northland on Saturday morning, and came home on Monday.

Mr. Hants Journal, Mr. D. Munroe, went last week to Digby to join her husband, who is there on business for several months, for the J. B. King Co. of shipping plaster.

Among the marriage intentions filed in the Registrar's Office, Digby, on Feb. 4, 1920, are: J. B. Eaton, 26, steward, 2nd West Newton street, and Nettie A. McKinnon, 25, educator, same address.

## WE WANT THE NEWS

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It will make us smile from forehead down to chin. It will drive away the blues. When your neighbor reads the news, So phone your local paper—phone it in. When you hear of some occurrence, STEP RIGHT IN. We'll greet you with a "howdy" and a grin.

For we like to print the news. And "twill save our daily shoes. If we do not, have to chase the fleas in. THE Digby Weekly Courier.

The Montreal Daily Star—S. B. Townsend has returned from Southern California after spending the holidays with Mrs. and Miss Townsend at their winter home in Pasadena. Mrs. Arthur C. Fenwick is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. B. Townsend in Pasadena, California.

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SATURDAY, Feb. 7—  
Shirley Mason in  
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Briant Washburn in  
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WEDNESDAY, Feb. 11—  
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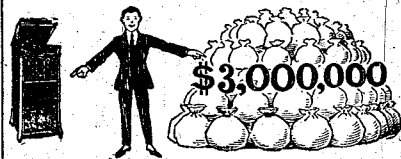
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## Cap'n Warren's Wards

By  
JOSEPH C. LINCOLN

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"Yes. What does it cost to buy one?"

He hesitated, wondering why she should be interested in that subject.



"And you are our own folks, ain't you?"

Captain Elsha had not told him a word of the interview following Pearson's last visit.

"Well," he replied, smiling, "they're pretty expensive, I'm afraid. Caroline, I think the last sale was at a figure between \$30,000 and \$100,000."

"Indeed! Was father's seat worth as much as that?"

"Yes."

"But," with a sigh, "that, I suppose, went with the rest of the estate."

"Into the hands of the man who took it all?"

"Yes; the same hands," with a sly smile at his own private joke.

"Then how does it happen that my uncle has it in his possession?"

The lawyer smiled no more. He turned in his chair, looking quickly and keenly at the young lady beside him. And her gaze was just as keen as his own.

"Why? Has he?"

"Yes. And I think you know he has, Mr. Sylvester. I know it because he told me so himself. Didn't you know it?"

"I cannot answer these questions," he declared. "They involve professions at secrets and—"

"I don't see that this is a secret. My uncle has already told me. What I could not understand was how he obtained the seat from the man to whom it was given as part of father's debt. Do you know how he obtained it?"

"Er—well—probably an arrangement was made. I cannot go into details because—well, for obvious reasons. You must excuse me, Caroline."

"One moment more," she said, "and one more question. Mr. Sylvester, who is this mysterious person—the stockholder whom father defrauded, this person who wishes his name kept a secret, but who does such queer things? Who is he?"

"Caroline, I tell you I cannot answer these questions. He is—well, to remain unknown, as I told you and your brother when we first learned of his and his claim. If I were to tell you I should break my faith with him. You must excuse me; you really must."

"Isn't he my uncle, Elsha Warren?"

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"CHAPTER XIX."

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SYLVESTER paused. Caroline did not speak for a moment; then she asked:

"And no one knew—you or my uncle or any one of all this until last March?"

"No. Graves had, with his usual care and patience, placed together the evidence and testimony until we were sure that a stockholder in the Akra company existed and that all of your father's estate belonged to him. Who that stockholder was we did not know until that day of the meeting at our office. Then Captain Warren told us."

"But he did not know either?"

"Not until then. He supposed his Akra stock worthless and had practically forgotten it. When we told him of its value, of the note and of the missing shareholder, he knew, of course."

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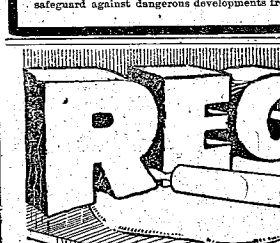
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in your presence. He would have done it, but he persuaded him to wait and think it over for a day or two. He did think and then decided to wait a little longer for your sake."

"For my sake? For mine?" She passed her hand in a bewildered way across her forehead. "Mr. Sylvester, I don't seem to understand even now. I—"

"For your sake, Caroline. Remember, at that time you were engaged to Malcolm. He was a very good man. Her intent gaze wavered. She drew a long breath. "I see," she said slowly. "Oh—I see."

"Yes, Captain Warren is one of the best judges of character I ever met. The Duns did not deceive him for one moment. He was certain Malcolm intended marrying you because of your money. For that matter, so was I. Your own must see the proof with your own eyes. And he showed it to you."

"But then," she begged distractedly, "why couldn't he tell me after that? I—I am so stupid, I suppose—well, Mr. Sylvester, all this is—"

"He might have told you then, but he did not think it best. Caroline, your uncle has always believed in you. Even when you sent him from your life he did not blame you. He said you were deceived—that was all. But, too, he has always declared that you had been, as he expressed it, 'brought up wrong.'"

"Yes, yes. I understand. I understand your estimate of people and things. And there was Steve. You know, Caroline, that money and what it brought were spoiling Steve. He has never been so much of a man as during the past year. He considers himself poor. But your uncle has planned for him as well as for you, and when he believes the case has come here—"

"Please don't say any more. Let me think, Mr. Sylvester. You say that Uncle Elsha intends giving us all that father took from him—all of it?"

"Yes, yes. He considers himself merely your guardian still and will accept only his expenses from the estate."

"It is wonderful!" she repeated brokenly. "Even though we cannot take it, it is wonderful!"

"What? Cannot take it?"

"Of course not. Do you suppose that either my brother or I would take the fortune that our father stole—yes, stole—from him, after he has been living almost in poverty all these years and we in luxury—on his money? Of course we shall not take it!"

"But, Caroline, I imagine you will have to take it. I understand your feelings, but I think he will compel you to take it."

"I shall not!" She sprang to her feet. "Of course I shall not! Never! Never!"

"What's that you never going to take, Caroline—measles or another trip down in these parts? I hope 'taint the last, 'cause I've been 'calfin' you'd like it well enough to come again."

Caroline turned. So did Sylvester. Captain Elsha was standing in the doorway, his hand on the knob. He was smiling broadly, but as he looked at the two by the fire he ceased to smile.

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## Municipal Council

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fighting system for the House and then, so that all danger of fire and loss of life by fire may be eliminated.

Ordered that a heater, bath tub and tank be installed in the Alms House by the Committee on Tenders and Public Property.

Ordered that the Committee on Tenders and Public Property employ a solicitor to act on behalf of the Municipality.

Ordered that the matter of Leonard Amereau, of Plympton be placed with Councillor Andrews with instructions to investigate same and report to Committee on Tenders and Public Property.

Upon again reading report of F. E. Rice, M. D., Medical Health Officer, ordered to be received and adopted.

To the Warden and Councillors for the Municipality of Digby

GENTLEMEN—I beg leave to make the following report as to the sanitary condition of the Municipality for the year 1919.

On coming into office, January 1919, Smallpox was reported in the district of Marshalltown. I immediately investigated and found several cases, of a mild type, in the home of Mrs. Siler, and the contagion was wide spread. This seemed to me to threaten the Municipality with a very serious condition, as it generally found that once the disease is well started it is difficult to get rid of. Strict quarantine was maintained, and acting in conjunction with the Local Board of Health for the district of Brighton, I quarantined and vaccinated all who had been exposed to the disease. Several cases afterwards developed in quarantined houses, but there was no further spread. A free general vaccination was ordered, in the district of Marshalltown, and carried out as well as possible considering the prejudice against vaccination.

January 23rd, I discovered Smallpox, at the home of Leslie Thomas Rossway. These cases were quarantined and vaccinated at the time of my first visit. I then reported to the Board of Health for the district of Rossway, which immediately met and took steps to look after them while under quarantine.

March 15th, the disease again appeared in Rossway and Centreville, and as in the other cases was wide spread, here discovered. The epidemic continued until about May 15th when I was able to report the Municipality free from the disease. I wish to thank the Boards of Health for the districts of Marshalltown, Rossway and Sandy Cove for the efficient and hearty support received from them in carrying out the various measures I advised to suppress the disease.

I am pleased to say that the influenza, which was so prevalent, during the fall of 1918, has not returned and that the Municipality has been unusually free from infectious and contagious diseases, other than Smallpox.

During the last session of the Legislature, amendments to the Public Health Act were made contemplating the establishment of a Health Clinic in each county, the appointment of a Public Health Nurse and of a Provincial Medical Health Inspector.

The following section of the Public Health Act is of interest and should receive your attention.

(7) The Council of each Municipality or where there are two Municipal districts in a County then the Councils of these districts and the Councils of the various townships, if any, within the County, shall provide and maintain jointly suitable accommodations for a County Health Clinic, located, furnished and equipped to the satisfaction of the Provincial Health Officer, and shall arrange for such medical and dental attendance thereon as the Provincial Health Officer deems necessary.

It will be noted that suitable quarters are to be provided by the Municipal Councils, in co-operation with the Councils of the towns within the County borders. It is the intention of the Provincial Health Officer to have these quarters centrally situated and under the supervision of the Provincial Inspector of Health, who will visit these Clinics as often as practicable to assist in the diagnosis of suspected tuberculosis and to advise in the treatment of or disposition of the patients.

FRANK E. RICE—M. D., Municipal Health Officer.  
Dated at Sandy Cove, Digby County, Jan. 12th, A. R. 1920.  
Ordered that W. R. Dickie M. D., be and he is hereby appointed Medical Health Officer of the Municipality for the year in accordance with the statute.

Ordered that W. F. Read, M. D., be Jail Surgeon, Ingram Saunders Court Crier, David Hazelton, Court Constable, for present year.

Ordered that the following lists of officers be received and adopted: No. 1 Hillsborough, 2 Brighton, Sandy Cove, 3 Freeport, 4 Westport, 7 Plympton, 3 Weymouth

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Before Paris, at the Marne and at the capture of Jerusalem, declared Rev. Dr. A. C. Dixon at the Baptist convention in Massey Hall, Toronto, there was, in answer to prayer, undeniable intervention of behalf of the allied armies of a Divine power. There were about 1,500 persons in the congregation. With force and conviction which thrilled his audience, the speaker expounded on the power of prayer. Jesus Christ almost unceasingly talked with God, and Dr. Dixon declared that even if the Christian Church of to-day could restore sight to blind eyes, make deaf ears to hear, and raise the dead in the cemeteries, there would still be an essential necessity for daily fervent prayer to the Almighty.

"I for one," he said, "believe that the victory over the Germans, with all our skill, leadership, and with all the courage of the soldiers, came about largely in answer to prayer. When the Germans were before the gates of Paris a little band of Christians in Metropolitan Tabernacle Church prayed all night that God would keep the Germans out of Paris. He quoted Lord Roberts as saying to Lord Kitchener, upon the retirement of the German army. "You and I know only God could have done it."

A HIGHER POWER THERE. Next, the speaker related the testimony of a Jewish officer concerning the defeat of the Germans at the Marne. "I know nothing about the angels," the Jew was reported to have said, "but I can prove I think by nearly every man in my company that some higher power helped us to gain the victory."

"Do you know," went on Dr. Dixon, "that Jerusalem was captured by prayer and not by guns? I have it authentically. An intimate friend of Allenby's told me and gave me permission to tell it in public, that when General Allenby had learned that the Germans and Turks had mined all the sacred places in Jerusalem and the order had gone forth just as soon as the British-made entry every sacred place was to be blown into atoms that the British might get the blame and the shame of it, Allenby called together his military staff.

"They thought there was to be a military consultation, but not a word was said about military affairs. He called together his staff to pray, and they spent one hour and a half on their knees asking the God of Jerusalem to give them the city without the destruction of the sacred places. When the hour and a half had been spent in prayer Allenby ordered one division down the right, another down the left, his aeroplanes took the air, and the Germans and Turks got frightened and ran and left their fortifications, and Allenby and his staff walked through the open gates."

North: 13 Tiverton, 15 Rossway, 16 Smith's Cove, 17 Culloden 22 Weymouth.

Upon reading a letter from the Secy-Treasurer of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities ordered that the Warden and Clerk be delegates to meeting of said Union at Windsor the present year.

Councillor Ruggles, from the Committee on Finance and Public Accounts, read a report of same, which upon motion is received and adopted.

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## Bird's Eye View

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goodwill of the people, he has another thing to consider. The only one who ever succeeds in Digby is the one who does not give a damn for anyone but himself. There is a way of doing business to benefit oneself and others.

They have no feeling of good will to the American who goes there and spends his money. It is a case of who can grab the most. The C. P. R. should take over every hotel and place for the accommodation of tourists and get their supplies by the car-load outside the town.

There are a few people in Digby who consider themselves the "four hundred." Digby is too small a place to have a "four hundred," inasmuch as most of the people are related to each other. I see no reason for snobbishness. Of course there must be a distinction, but there is no society in a Home Town like Digby; it ought to be just a big garden spot for all to enjoy. There ought only to be two churches—Protestant and Catholic—there are too many different church names and it is name only in most every instance. Of course there are some good wholesome citizens in Digby, but most of them want to "loosen up and look around." Digby is beautiful as far as natural scenery is concerned, but the greedy, envious feeling among its residents, more than reflects on its natural beauty.

A Lover of Natural Digby.

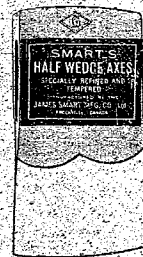
Next week will see us in the midst of another drive—a drive which is probably more important than any which have preceded it during the past five years. This time several of the big Christian denominations—the Anglican, Methodist, Baptist, Congregationalist and Presbyterian—are reaching out for twelve million dollars, to assist them in carrying the Gospel to every part of the world, and Digby is asked to contribute about \$7,500 of this amount and the municipality as much more. This amount should be easily attained and no doubt will be. But it seems to me that the leaders have been dead slow in placing the matter before the public. The clergy have been urging the church's claims on the people but their messages have only reached a comparative few and feel positive that half the people have not heard of it and of the other half only a few realize what it means.

AERONAUT.

Pope Benedict has conferred upon Admiral William S. Benson, Chief of Naval Operations of the United States, the Grand Cross of St. Gregory the Great Military Cross. The decoration of the order will be sent to Admiral Benson through Cardinal Gibbons Archbishop of Baltimore.

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has stood the test for many years of keen competition and as each successive year's sales will show, it is one of the best on the market. Many of our customers have continued to buy this axe from the time the first sample was brought here. The Smart Axe is made of the best steel, carefully finished, tempered and re-ground to a thin bit. The above shape is the standard Nova Scotia Pattern with a heavy pole.

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The Clothes Clearance Sale you have Looked For, Hoped For, Waited For. Right Now, with Three Months of Winter before You, we are Starting an Unreserved Sale of Suits and Overcoats, Mackinaw Coats and Trousers.

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When you study these Prices, equal to a loss of 25 per cent. on the cost of each garment, you will realize that this Sale means that we must lose money and gain only in good-will.

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It is only natural for any woman to dread the thought of an operation. So many women have been relieved of their troubles by this famous remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and in operation has been advised that it will pay any woman who suffers from such ailments to consider trying it before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

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## News of Weymouth

Albert Comeau is away on a trip to Bon. Mrs. Edward Hogan has returned to her home, having been for some time visiting at Mr. J. P. Blagden's. Louis Stebbins, a passenger to Yarmouth on Friday, returning on the late train Sunday.

Legion Grange has been doing rushing business, supplying people with ice, which this year is of excellent quality.

The many friends of Miss Theresa Smith will be pleased to hear of her safe arrival in France according to a cable received by the family. We are glad to hear that little Winnie Hogan, whose illness in Boston has given Dr. and Mrs. Hogan so much anxiety these last weeks, is now quite well again.

Alfred Hood, of Victoria, B. C., is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. F. Journeay. A. Dixon has been making considerable improvements in his shop, and his customers will be glad to know he has new telephone connections.

Household coming back will wonder what has become of what once was Dr. Elderkin's office. Julius LeBlanc has purchased it and has moved it to Weymouth North where he is adding it as an extension to his house. Strangely that our enterprising and "push ahead" body as our local Board of Trade, should be the fact of its requiring such an addition would indicate more traffic, therefore more prosperity in the town. As for the appearance of the building, why any one should know that weather is not favorable for outside painting and the Board may not be aware of the fact that besides the painting of not only the new but also the old building is an attractive color, the Dr. A. R. also contemplated having decorative flower beds planted on the station grounds, and the Board is even now being assiduously cared for by the staff in the office.

Regarding the soldier's monument to be placed on the site of the old fort, the board decided what that monument is to be. Would not the erection of a "town clock" be an honor to our town as well as to our returned hero? A clock in a conspicuous place would tick and say to all who pass, "Our boys are brave."

## WEYMOUTH NORTH

Mrs. Harrison Jones is visiting friends in Halifax.

Mrs. G. D. Campbell Jr. is enjoying a visit from her father, sister, John Black and Miss Margaret Black.

Mr. Anderson is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Fred Leach.

Clara and her sister, Henry Tucker out again after an illness of some weeks.

James Durant is now engaged in the meat business and hopes soon to have an up to date meat market for which he is well equipped.

A. G. Ruggles has accepted the principalship of the Canoe school.

Union meetings are being held this week in Anglican, Methodist, and Baptist Churches in the interest of the Forward Movement Convention. Canvassers are also about and we hope will meet with success.

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Tanlac Restored Dartmouth Man To Health Two Years Ago Still Feels Fine.

"Yes, sir, I can recommend Tanlac for it set me right two years ago, while I was living in Hamilton, Ontario, and I have been in good shape ever since," said Jeffrey Gilbert while in Kinley's Drug Store in Halifax, recently. Mr. Gilbert resides at 35 Ochterstoney street, Dartmouth, and is employed as boiler maker at the Halifax shipyards.

"Never in all my life," he continued, "have I had a medicine 'do me' so much good as Tanlac. My stomach had been giving me trouble for sometime. It just seemed like I could not eat anything but what would give me indigestion of the worst kind. I would blot all up with sour gas and feel miserable for hours after every meal. There was a feeling like a lump of lead in the pit of my stomach. I would almost double up with cramping pains and could hardly draw a deep breath. My appetite was so poor that I never relished anything to eat and I just suffered constantly with that indigestion. I was continually losing weight, felt weak and sluggish all the time and had no energy."

"I had tried all kinds of medicines, but kept getting worse, and after many came to Hamilton, and so many people there got to praising it I bought a bottle and I declare that was the best investment I ever made in my life. Before I had finished the first bottle I felt a considerable improvement. I then bought another, and another, and when I had finished my fourth bottle my stomach was in fine condition and I have not been troubled with indigestion since that time. The gas and pain all disappeared and I am still eating just anything I want without the least trouble from it. It was not only my own experience with Tanlac that convinced me it was a wonderful medicine, but I personally know many others who took it with just as fine results as I did. You can't beat it and if I should get to where I needed medicine again I wouldn't think of anything else."

Tanlac is sold in Digby by P. W. Holdsworth; in Sandy Cove by Frank E. Rice; in Bear River by L. V. Harris; in Yarmouth by Small Bros; in Freeport by B. S. Bishop; in Weymouth by W. G. Blackadar; in Wapogo by the E. C. Bowers, Co., Ltd.; and in Comeauville by J. A. Comeau, J. A. Morehouse, Brighton, and Stella Maris, Meteghan.

## PARKER'S COVE

We have had very cold winter weather; hope to see it more milder.

Service in the Methodist Church on Sunday at 4 o'clock by the Rev. H. B. Patterson, Methodist.

Sorry to report Gordon Weir on the sick list at time of writing.

Wallace Longmire, of Hillsboro, called on Mr. and Mrs. David Miller recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Anderson are being congratulated on the arrival of a little daughter on Feb. 9th.

Mrs. Austin Weir and baby Muriel is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Miller, this week.

Frank Poole and nephew, of St. Croix Cove, were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manasse Weir quite recently.

## HAYLOUK

Glad to report Dwight Sabean convalescing.

Miss Rife Prime is spending the winter months with her grand-mother, Mrs. J. D. MacLipine.

Miss Mittle John, of Weymouth, was the guest of Mrs. Mittle recently.

Gilford Grange returned from Halifax on the seventh.



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## FREEPORT

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Leander Melanson on the arrival of a baby boy.

Miss Velma Buckman of Westport, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Teed.

Miss Nina Hersey and Miss Zella Thurber left on Feb. 1st for Truro to attend Normal College. We wish them success.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair Whitehead and son, are spending the winter at Westport with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Southern.

Merrill Sallows who has been visiting friends at Westport, has arrived home.

Capt. Charles Teed, of St. S. Frances Bouthier, is spending the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Stevens and daughter Alla, are spending a few weeks at Central Grove with Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Delaney.

Gordon Titus made a flying trip to St. John Feb. 3rd, returning same boat.

Mrs. Leslie Finigan spent a few days in Truro last week.

Miss Endora Stevens, of Lynn, Mass., is home for a few weeks.

Walter Martell of Boston is the guest of Allan Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Thurber are spending the winter at Grand Manan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Brooks were passengers to Grand Manan on the 8th.

Percy Stevens was a passenger to Digby last week where he has accepted a position on the steamer Empress.

Mrs. Leonard Ring and daughter Lois have gone to Tiverton to spend a few days before leaving for Boston.

Victor Finigan has returned home having spent the past month with friends at Halifax.

The "Brighten The Corner Club" from Westport attended a very interesting subject entitled "Every Man in His Place" on Sunday afternoon by Rev. Lewis Wallace.

## PORT WADE

Edmond Baine, who went to Halifax for medical examination, returned on Tuesday.

His many friends were pleased to welcome Lloyd McGrath home for a few days this week. He returned to Liverpool on Wednesday.

B. Cosaboon, representing the Ecclesiastical Life Insurance, was in this village on Monday.

On Tuesday evening a 15 cent tea and rummage sale was held at the home of Ansel Casey. It being a pleasant evening the affair was well patronized.

The first three-dollar dinner Jean F. Anderson built here last summer by Capt. Jno. Snow, was sold last week to New York parties.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Covert have recently purchased a new home in the town of Middleton, and (after disposing of their property here) will take possession of it in the early spring.

W. H. Anthony has purchased a five organ from N. H. Phinney & Co., Lawrenceville, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hayden who have recently purchased a new piano from the same firm, were at home to a number of their friends on Tuesday last week.

Evening last week. Thos. Brindley, of Acadia, presided at the piano, and in his masterly way presented a number of excellent selections, which were much enjoyed by all present.

## HILLSBORO

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Hiram Young has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. William Bent, Belleisle.

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The young folks enjoyed a sing at the home of Mr. Bernard Longmire Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Longmire who have spent the past four months at St. John have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Longmire received word on February 5th that the daughter of Mrs. Mittle, of Weymouth, was very ill with pneumonia and heart and returned for her recovery.

Roy Smith, of St. John, who is engaged in the lumber business here, went to New York on a business trip last week.

## CULLODEN

Miss Mildred Stark is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Archie Handspiker, Mount Pleasant.

Martin VanTassel, of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday with relatives in this place.

Stanley Hines of Sea Brook, is in this village getting timber for H. T. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hayden of Digby, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Odo Middleton.

Miss Ruby Campbell, of Digby, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Campbell.

On Monday evening a sleighing party from Digby were the guests of Mr. Odo Middleton, where a very pleasant evening was spent in music and games.

## MILFORD

Mrs. A. D. Thomas of the "Milford House" returned home the 7th inst., after a very pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Boston, New York, and other American cities.

Mrs. Lettie Oude went to Annapolis on Tuesday to attend a special meeting of the Rebekah Lodge.

Joseph Manroe, of Lake Manroe, passed away at the home of his brother, on Sunday. Burial will take place at Milford on Tuesday afternoon.

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20 pairs Men's Mahogany Blucher Bala. Fibre soles and rubber heels; sizes from 5 1-2 to 9. Regular price \$9.00. Bargain price \$7.28

42 pairs Men's Box Kip. Bala. Regular price \$6.00. Sizes 6 to 10. Bargain price 4.68

15 pairs Men's Heavy Grain Working Boots. Sizes 6, 7, 8, 9, 11. Regular price \$5.50. Bargain price 3.98

Don't forget that these bargains are for one day only and the day Saturday, February 21st. These prices are good only for CASH and no goods on approval.

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Not more than twenty five bars to one person.

H. T. WARNE - Digby

## Wedding Bells

COMRADE - COMRADE

A very pretty wedding took place in the Stella Maria church, Meteghan, last week, when Miss Adelaide Connors became the bride of Fidele Connors. The young couple are most popular with the residents of that place and their many friends extend best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

THURSDAY

Sackville Methodist Church was the scene of a very pretty nuptial event at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday evening of last week, when Miss Annie Belle Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ford, of Sackville, was united in marriage to Harrison Burrill, of Digby.

Rev. H. E. Thomas officiated at the ceremony, which was witnessed by a large gathering of interested friends and acquaintances. The bride wore a white gown with a high collar and long sleeves, and was accompanied by her father. The groom wore a dark suit and was accompanied by his best man, Mr. J. H. Thomas. The ceremony was a simple but beautiful one, and the young couple were pronounced man and wife.

The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful wedding presents, including a silver service, a set of linens, and a large quantity of food. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, and was attended by many friends and relatives. The evening was a most enjoyable one, and the young couple were wished every happiness.

## Obituary

JAMES F. DOUGLAS

James F. Douglas, a respected citizen of Digby, passed away at his home in New Brunswick on Saturday, January 31, at the advanced age of 80 years.

Mr. Douglas was born in Scotland and came to Canada in 1871. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church and was active in its work. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows and the Moose Lodge. He was a kind and generous man, and was loved by all who knew him. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Douglas, and several children.

Funeral services will be held at the Digby Presbyterian Church on Monday, February 8, at 10 o'clock. The Rev. J. H. Thomas will officiate. Burial will be in the Digby cemetery.

Mr. Douglas was a well-known figure in the community, and his death is a great loss. He was a man of many talents, and was a devoted family man. He will be missed by all who knew him.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

W. S. Troop was a passenger to Halifax Wednesday. Rev. F. H. Bone of Bear River was in town Monday evening.

Miss Whitman, of Lawrencetown, is visiting in Digby. Lewis Simpson and Ernest Peck, of Bear River, are guests for St. John's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hovey and child, of Stewiacke, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hovey.

Mrs. M. Costley and Miss Myrtle Sproule were passengers to Boston last Saturday.

Mr. Howard Seelye, of Yarmouth, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Van Tassel, this week.

O. E. Comeau, of Weymouth, who has been spending a few weeks in Boston and vicinity, arrived home on Monday.

Miss Muriel Turner entertained at a movie party on Saturday, P.M. in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Coleville, of Halifax.

Mrs. (Bess) Wm. Owen and daughter, of Sandy Cove, were guests at the Harpington on Tuesday and left for Halifax to spend a few days.

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## TOWN COUNCIL

Digby, February 12, 1920. A special meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chamber at 8 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the result of the Election of Mayor and Councillors for the Town of Digby.

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## FROST BITES

Mr. W. T. Charlton of Waterville, P.E.I., restored his frozen feet to health after a month of suffering from frost bites. He was born in the great part of his life was spent there; he having moved to Marshalltown, Iowa, in 1871.

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## SPECIAL SERVICES AT FREEPORT.

Rev. Louis Wallace and Mrs. Wallace are conducting a series of most successful Evangelistic meetings at Freeport. The attendance covers the building, both on Sunday and Monday, 1920.

On Sunday afternoon, a special men's meeting was held in the Church at 3 o'clock. Nearly two hundred men listened to a splendid address from Mr. Wallace, on "Every Man in His Place."

Mrs. Wallace is superintending the music. A Sanborn Choir, composed of boys and girls has been formed. An augmented choir, including the music under Mrs. Wallace's able supervision. "The Brightest Corner Club" from Westport, visited Freeport Sunday afternoon and joined in the men's meeting, a number of Westport men forming a choir for the service.

Services at Freeport, Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1920, public meeting, Thursday, 8 p.m., (at the Church), Friday, 7:30 p.m., (at the Church), Saturday, 8 p.m., (at the Church), Sunday, 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7:30 p.m., (at the Church).

Sabbath school, 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Sunday school, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sunday school, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday school, 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sunday school, 9:30 to 10:30 p.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 p.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Sunday school, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sunday school, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday school, 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sunday school, 9:30 to 10:30 p.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 p.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Sunday school, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sunday school, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday school, 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sunday school, 9:30 to 10:30 p.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 p.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Sunday school, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sunday school, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday school, 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sunday school, 9:30 to 10:30 p.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 p.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Sunday school, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sunday school, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday school, 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sunday school, 9:30 to 10:30 p.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 p.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Sunday school, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Sunday school, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., Sunday school, 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., Sunday school, 9:30 to 10:30 p.m., Sunday school, 10:30 to 11:30 p.m., Sunday school, 11:30 to 12:30 p.m., Sunday school, 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., Sunday school, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Sunday school, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Sunday school, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., Sunday school, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Sunday school, 5:30

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## Zam-Buk

CENTREVILLE.

Loran Shaw is home again. He went to Westport, N.B., was rather slow in getting back, but no one was miffed. Mr. Hersey, of Mill Cove, and family have moved here. Mrs. Ora Spaves has got a little baby dear. Birthday parties have been well attended thru the snow. There have been three quite recently. And some girls have caught a bear. Miss Alda Shaw, Vira Graham and Byron Lewis. Gave these three parties started here. Good times have not been few. Mrs. Henderson, of Newbrook, has made a visit here. She stayed at Charlie Morton's home. Her sister there to cheer. Please don't forget the Social friends. The weather being fine, Who wouldn't come and buy a pie And get a valentine?

LOWER GRANVILLE

On Monday evening, February 2nd, about twenty young friends from the island took advantage of the sleighing and went to Belleville to the home of the teacher, Miss Troop, where a very pleasant evening was spent in playing games, etc. After refreshments, the happy crowd left for home at a late hour. Mrs. Archie Troop, of Belleville, spent the evening with her sister, Mrs. Harry Anthony, who is quite ill.

The ladies of the Anglican church circle met at the home of Mrs. Edwin Connors, Wednesday. We had a supper at Mrs. Thomas. We had a very pleasant evening, and a success, when \$51 dollars was realized.

Mr. Malins, from Annapolis was in town last night, and he is a very head of cattle.

SOUTHVILLE

Edward Hill, Havelock, called here recently.

Frank Foye and Eben Doucet, visited friends at this place Sunday.

A number of the young people took advantage of the sleighing and moonlight nights during the past week.

Miss Edna Steele recently visited her sister, Mrs. Elsie Wagner, Danvers.

Miss Florence Gavel, spent Sunday at her home in Havelock.

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## MANY ALIENS GOING HOME.

Hundreds of Poles Are Leaving the Country Every Week.

To judge from the steady exodus of aliens, now that the war is over, Ontario in a short time will be minus many thousands of her "Polack" citizens. Strangers in a strange land, never adapting themselves to its customs nor mastering its language, these foreigners are now turning their eyes towards the land of their birth. A wave of sentiment appears to have swept over the whole community. Every man, woman and child is suffering from "homesickness" in the most potent degree.

Many of them have been out of touch with their home since the outbreak of hostilities. Seventy-five per cent. of their savings is kept in the Post Office, and an examination of the books would show that each man's savings averaged about \$1,000. As this is worth five times as much in their own country, they want to get home and live like millionaires in their home towns. They emigrated because of the existing conditions in their country, but now that the old regime has been abolished and a new democratic government established, they are anxious of sharing in the benefits.

It is estimated that 500 applications for steamship passages are received weekly. Unfortunately there are many obstacles in the way of these men leaving Canada, while in the United States their departure is encouraged. They even are willing to pay big prices for their passage over. So eager are their brethren across the border to go home that many are sailing on Canadian vessels, while their Canadian brethren are left on the dock.

An example given by an agent was that of the Sicilian, which sailed on September 17. She had on board 530 passengers, of whom 480 were from Galicia and the remainder from Canada. Fifty of the Canadian "Polacks" were left on the wharf. One of the hindrances to their departure is the absence of proper consular service. So far the Roumanian consul has not shown up, and the Polish consulate is only occupied by a provisional consul.

There are many complications with regard to nationalities on account of the division of Poland between Germany, Russia and Austria. Many of the men who have been classed as Austrians have turned out to be Galicians, or men of Polish origin, who have lived in the land annexed by Austria. Under the new conditions there is a confusion of their Polish nationality. It is necessary for them to swear allegiance to the new Polish Government. By order passed on April 8, 1919, Poles were released from registration, and it was possible for them to leave the country after they had procured a passport from their consul. At the alien registry office it is said that about 250 of the registered "Polacks" have already received their passports and have left the country.

On account of the transient character of the people it is hard to estimate how many foreigners there are in Ontario, but it is thought that there are between 30,000 and 100,000. Of these, 15,000 are registered in Toronto as alien enemies. The number registered each year is approximately as follows:—1914 (Aug. 18), 1,848; 1915, 2,495; 1916, 2,898; 1917, 3,538; 1918, 2,340; 1919 (Sept. 30), 672.

Of the 15,000 registered, it is estimated that between 500 and 600 are continually moving from town to town each week.

## Civilization Not a Blessing.

Mene, the Eskimo boy whom Admiral Peary brought back from the Arctic some years ago, died of pneumonia in a local camp, says an exchange. It was scarcely a kindness, though meant as one, for Peary to take him away from his native snow and ice.

A man of the old stone age could not survive in the modern environment of civilization, or perhaps the view of the Cro-Magnons, who drew pictures in colors on the walls of French and Spanish caves 20,000 years ago, drawings that still survive, civilization does not amount to much when dangers from street cars, automobiles, falling airplanes, influenza and a multitude of other things are greater than were those from the sabre-toothed tiger or the woolly mammoth in their day.

No Eskimo has ever flourished in the temperate zone. The scenery of Greenland and Baffin may be monotonous. It may have a certain uniform whiteness that tires the eye, but fresh air is abundant and nipping. It is not poisoned by second-hand smoke, and it suits the natives lungs!

## Thanksgiving Dates for 18 Years.

1902	Thursday, Oct. 16
1903	Thursday, Oct. 15
1904	Thursday, Oct. 14
1905	Thursday, Oct. 26
1906	Thursday, Oct. 18
1907	Thursday, Oct. 31
1908	Monday, Nov. 9
1909	Monday, Oct. 25
1910	Monday, Oct. 31
1911	Monday, Oct. 30
1912	Monday, Oct. 28
1913	Monday, Oct. 20
1914	Monday, Oct. 12
1915	Monday, Oct. 11
1916	Monday, Oct. 9
1917	Monday, Oct. 8
1918	Monday, Oct. 14
1919	Monday, Oct. 13

## A True Democrat.

An amusing incident occurred while the King of Belgium was visiting Niagara Falls. His Majesty was changing to oilskins. A dressing room attendant, after assisting the King into slippers and oilskins, returned to find him ready to start on the trip. "All right, King," he nonchalantly remarked as he held the locker room open for the monarch of the Belgians.

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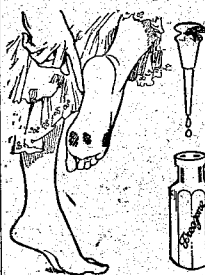
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## Municipal Council

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Robert Woodman, George Nichols, Perry Porter, Francis Foster, Goudy Nichols, George Marshall, J. Arthur Marshall, John Franklin, Jr., Wm. Mallett, Harris Cosman, John M. Balser, Samuel Woodman.

Supervisor statute labor: V. C. Marshall.

Fence viewers: Wallace Berry, Robt. Woodman, Wm. H. Porter, George Nichols.

Surveyor of bark, piling, lumber, etc: Wm. Mallett, Philip Theriault, Frank Gates, James Franklin, Wm. Franklin, Fred Hutchinson.

To prevent cattle going at large: Albert Marshall, Wallace Berry, George Nichols, Steven Marshall, Philip Theriault, Thomas Abbott, John D'Ambridge, Goudy Nichols, Albert Trefry, James Woodman.

Found keepers: Dennis Fountain, Wm. Smith, Francis Foster, James Trefry, Chas. Seeley, Fred Roope, John Franklin, Sr., Chas. Savery, Wm. Mallett, Robert John Ryan, Perry Porter, John Nichols.

Overseers of highways: 1. Joseph O'Neill; 2. Reuben Morehouse; 3. Thos. Abbott; 4. Chas. Seeley; 5. Augustus Doucet; 6. Harris Cosman; 7. Wm. Smith; 8. Harry Foster; 9. Jerry Vanhook; 10. Augustus Marshall; 11. Fred Haight; 12. Perry Porter; 13. D. S. McKay, from present time; 14. Preston Harris; 15. George Nichols; 16. Bernard Smith; 17. Whitfield Bartos; 18. Wallace Berry; 19. Stephen Marshall, Sr.; 20. Benjamin Seeley; 21. John Franklin, Jr.; 22. Jas. Woodman; 23. Roy Rice; 24. John Balser; 25. John O'Brien.

Sheep Valuer: W. W. DeLong.

Reviser electoral list: Geo. L. Marshall.

Assessor: Charles Haines.

Collector of rates: William Crowell, senior.

Clerks of license: Orwell Speights, Robert Bishop.

Freighting officer at municipal elections: Orville Morehouse.

Deputies: Kenneth Dakin, Stephen Frost.

Constables: Ira Graham, Arch Hersey, William Saunders, Reginald Sypher, George Merritt, Israel Hersey, Walter Frost, Herbert Trefry, Harold McCullough, Oscar Theriault.

Police constables: Lemuel Raymond, Clair Dukeshire, Warren Crowell, Walter Theriault, Endon Tibert, Donald Tidd, Edward White.

Found keepers: Daniel Graham, Everett Walker, G. W. Eldridge, Edwin B. Giller, Royl Denison, Henry Tidd, Cutter Theriault.

Weighters of coal: Reuben Morehouse, Hair Tupper, Charles Frost.

Surveyors of Public works: Robert Graham, Amos Outhouse, Walter Denton.

Surveyors of highways: 1. Albert Titus; 2. Norval Morehouse; 3. Jones A. Morehouse; 4. Arlie Crowell; 5. Herold Goudy; 6. Charles Morehouse; 7. Heli Sinton; 10. Harry Foster; 11. Charles Frost; 12. Marvin Griffith; 13. William Frost.

Fence viewers: Watson Holmes, Clarence Sanford, George Harrington, Thomas Cartt, Byron Trefry, Guy Stanton, Byron Sully.

To prevent cattle running at large: Reuben Morehouse, Leslie Titus, John Walker, Alex McKay, J. Home Goudy, Charles Frost, Archie Frost, Charles Haight, Benjamin Stanton.

Ferryman between Tiverton, Little River, Miram, Cove, Sandy Cove and Weymouth: St. Mary's Bay S. S. Co.

Inspectors of fish: Fred Dakin, Demille Dakin, Samuel Gidder, W. S. Trask, Lyons Stanton.

To prevent rubbish and gurry, from being thrown in the waters or on the beach above high water mark, at Sandy Cove and Little River: Alexander McKay, Omer Denton.

Board of health: F. E. Rice, M. D.; Reuben Morehouse, Amasa Eldridge, Curtis Denton, J. W. Tidd.

Overseers of poor: Darin Farnsworth, Edward McKay, Walter Denton, Morris Cullough.

Inspector of woods: T. R. Morehouse.

Sheep Valuer: Norval Morehouse.

Polling District No. 5—Freeport.

Assessor: Horace Thurber.

Supervisors of public land: Edward Young, John W. Thurber, Sr., James Haignan.

Police constables: John W. Thurber, Jr., Bertie Brooks, Mitchell McLanahan.

Board of health: Doctor Weir, R. E. Morrell, George Bushey, Fred Stevens.

Clerk of license: Robert R. Crocker.

To prevent fish offal from being thrown above high water mark: R. E. Morrell, Edwin Haines, James Finigan.

Overseers of poor: Fred Prime, Ervin Thurber, Reuben Thurber.

Constables: John Finigan, Byron DeLaney, Carmen Nass.

Measurer of coal and salt: G. A. Thurber.

Inspector of coal by weight: Ralph Haines.

Overseers of highways for shoring: snow: 1. Brian Thurber; 2. Arlie Crowell; 3. Albert Perry; 4. Byron DeLaney; 5. J. W. Tibert; 6. Albert W. Thurber; 10. Addie Nickerson; 11. George McNeill.

To prevent cattle from running at large: Albert Thurber, George Lent, Pitman Lewis, Jessie Thurber, Percy Lewis, John W. Thurber, Jr., R. E. Morrell.

Freighting officer at Freeport: R. E. Morrell.

Found keepers: Harris Young, Henry Outhouse, Clarence Tibert.

Fence viewers: Elias Riserett, Albert W. Thurber.

To prevent bait from being thrown below high water mark: Whitford Morrell, Edwin Haines, Brian Thurber.

Collector of rates: Joseph McNeill.

Inspectors of meat: Ralph McNeill, Willard P. Morrell, A. R. Westcott.

Reviser of electoral lists to take effect in May: Ralph Haines.

Sheep valuer: William Pyne.

Polling District No. 6—Westport.

Overseers of poor: A. R. Payson, Stewart Hinch, James G. Mallett.

Board of health: Charles McDormand, Frank B. Lent, Johnson S. Denton, George W. Clements.

Assessors: H. F. Denton, A. R. Bailey.

Constables and police constables: George Cochran, Edwin Ellis, John, James G. Morrell, William R. Welch, Charles Webber.

Clerk of license: R. V. Watkins.

Inspector of coal by weight: Edward Cousins.

Inspector of coal by measure: S. T. Payson.

Collector of rates: Thomas Pugh, Jr.

## Bird's Eye View

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getting into a "comfy" office job they are adding to the high cost of living by joining the large army of non producers. Production is what we want and there is in this county the material to keep hundreds of young men busy if they will only take hold and not wait for someone to offer them a soft job.

By the way, while on this subject of raw material in this county, do you know that we and our neighbors in Yarmouth and Annapolis counties are in danger of letting some of our natural heritage fall into the hands of our erstwhile common enemy?

There has recently been a lot of land so d around several sections of this county and close to the town of Annapolis and options have been secured on many farms in the interior sections of these counties particularly along the Tusket Lakes, in Yarmouth, by agents acting on behalf of a German woman residing in this part of the province.

This woman is now in Germany and I am informed on good authority is organizing a band of German colonizers to come out here to take up this land. We know of their ability as manufacturers and we can rest assured that if they do come the raw material in hand will be used and we will not get the benefit of it. This is a hint to the board of trade committee to get busy and do something. A lot of our young men have a small amount of money which they would be willing to invest in anything of this kind if there were someone to take the lead.

The editor told me of an amusing conversation he had with W. E. VanBlarcom last Saturday. He had gone to Mr. VanBlarcom's office to order some coal and Mr. Van mentioned the fact that he had just got a car in, also adding that several tons had gone out of one end—stolen in transit. The editor asked if that were usual and was told it was. "Why," said Mr. VanBlarcom, "there are families in this town who burn soft coal all the year round and only buy a barrel occasionally. Some time ago there were some cars in the yard bound for Yarmouth. I saw one of these men who always have a full coal bin, and said to him, 'What kind of coal is that going to Yarmouth?' and he answered, 'Fine, Mr. VanBlarcom, fine!' You'd ought to get some just like it."

AERONAUT.

Two human skeletons, unearthed by children while playing at New Hailes, Mid Lothian, near a spot where many others were found some years ago are believed to be those of two Scottish soldiers, killed by the English in the pursuit after the battle of Pinkie, 372 years ago.

Rent profiteers received an object lesson in a Paris Court on Tuesday.

Lucien Bisson, an employee of the Bourque, was sent to prison for eight days and fined \$100 for adding \$25 to the rent of a furnished apartment which was occupied by two girls.

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Yours very truly,

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Inspector of wood and lumber: J. W. Denton.

Found keepers: William B. Welch, John E. Trefry, Augustus Morehouse.

To prevent cattle going at large: Gordon Welch, Sinclair Dakin, Lloyd Denton, R. E. Welch, Hilbert Garson, George Cochran, Wallie Gower, Fred Coggins, Jun., Walter Coggins, James Buckman, Charles Pugh, Jr., Ernest Peterson, Hudson Morehouse.

Reviser of electoral list: L. S. Bailey, (to be appointed in May).

Overseers of highways for shoring: snow: No. 1, Roland Welch; 2, G. W. Dakin; 3, Herbert H. Bailey; 4, John E. Titus; 5, H. H. Morrell.

Fence viewers: H. P. Titus, Thomas Pugh, Jr.

To prevent fish offal being thrown above high tide mark: Geo. Denton, S. T. Payson, H. C. Titus.

Sheep valuer: John H. Churchill.

Freighting officer at municipal election: W. A. Pugh.

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Sick children needn't be coaxed to eat this harmless 'fruit laxative.' Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. Ask your druggist for a bottle of 'California Syrup of Figs,' which contains directions for babies, children, of all ages and for grown-ups.

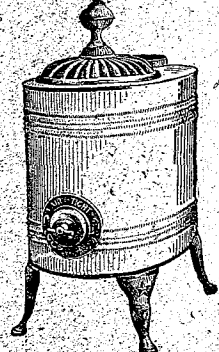
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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

**Polling District No. 7—Plymouth.**  
 Overseers of poor: Alfred Doucette, W. K. Smith, Bruce Cook.  
 Surveyors of highways: 1. Howard Marshall; 2. Chas. Comeau; 3. Martin M. Melanson; 4. Roy Melanson; 5. Joseph Potter; 6. Howard Comeau; 7. Ethel Ring; 8. John B. Lamberton; 9. George Taylor; 10. Hamilton Wagner; 11. 12. Clarence Tebo; 13. Samuel Tebo; 14. Herbert Deveau; 15. Ambrose Tibedo; 16. Frank J. Amoro; 17. August Cook; 18. Wilmel Haight; 19. Wilmel DeVoe; 20. Joseph Salomon; 21. Clarence Thomas; 22. Cornelius Cook; 23. Simon Amoro; 24. Chas. Tibedo; 25. Archibald Wagner; 26. Edward Amoro; 27. Edward Bragg; 28. Ernest Haight; 29. Ralph Haight.  
 To prevent cattle from going at large: Curtis Specht, George M. Tebo, Elias O'Neil, Ois Amoro, James Doucette, Andrew Morrissey, Bruce Haight, Ira Sabean, Clarence A. Sabean, Tebo, Herbert Deveau, Alfred Haight, Charles Andrews, Hamon Wagner.  
 Board of Health: Dr. W. A. Dickie, Hamilton VanBlarcom, Martin Dugas, Theodore Tibedo, John A. Andrews, Collector of rates: W. A. Andrews, Assessor: Jesse C. Amoro, Clerk of license: Hamilton VanBlarcom.  
 Pound keepers: Leslie Dugas, Edward Hardy, Ambrose P. Amoro, Monda Tibedo, John Theriault, James J. Amoro, Albert Amoro, John A. Amoro, Ambrose Robicheau, Leonard Comeau, John A. Andrews.  
 To prevent offal and couch grass roots being thrown in the sea: John O'Neil, Monda Tibedo, Anson Warner.  
 Surveyors of logs and lumber: Hamilton VanBlarcom, P. P. Warner, Gifford Melanson, Morris McBride, Byron Andrews.  
 Presiding Officer at municipal elections: P. P. Warner.  
 Deputy officer at municipal elections: Martin Dugas.  
 Inspectors of fish: Curtis Specht, John Oliver.  
 Constables and Police Constables: William R. Comeau, A. W. Andrews, Roger Amoro, Willard Tebo.  
 Surveyors of shingles, stove wood, lumber, bark, wood, etc.: H. VanBlarcom, Bernard Melanson, Morris McBride, Byron Andrews, A. W. Andrews, Fred A. Viewers, Chas. A. Shortell, Ambrose P. Amoro, Dexter Comeau, C. H. McNeill, Chas. Smith.  
 Overseers of rights of water ways: Geo. M. Tebo, H. VanBlarcom.  
 Revisor of electoral list: P. P. Warner, Sheep Vaher: G. B. MacNeill.  
**Polling District No. 8—Weymouth North.**  
 Assessor: Frederick Manzar.  
 Collector of rates: Thomas Sabean.  
 Supervisors of public health: M. Rand, Jesse Barr, W. C. Hankinson, George W. Brooks, Charles W. Kinney.  
 Surveyors of highways: 1. Wm. Kinney; 2. Geo. H. Manzar; 3. George H. Manzar; 4. James P. Melanson; 5. Harry Dugas; 6. John Robb; 7. Sabean; 8. Harry Tooker; 9. Harry Jones; 10. Norman Burns; 11. Wallace Melanson; 12. To prevent cattle running at large: Deamus Burns, Julius LeBlanc, John Dunkley, Amos Hill, Clarence Kinney, James Durant, Frank G. Comeau.  
 Revisor of electoral list to take effect in May: H. M. Journeay.  
 Clerk of license: H. B. Fitzgerald.  
 Constables: E. K. McNeill, Edward Grenier, Ralph Jones, Charles J. Kinney, Ralph Manzar.  
 Police Constables: Albert Grant, Arthur Brooks, E. B. Mallen.  
 Health wardens: Frederick Lent, Albert Grant, Lloyd Manzar, D. Kemp, N. A. Moore, H. L. Jones, Rev. M. Taylor.

## DIGBY ACADEMY SECOND QUARTERLY EXAMINATIONS

The Results of the Second Quarterly Examinations as Published Below

Show the Names of All Pupils Obtaining an Average of 50% and Above. Reports Were Issued to All the Pupils in the Academy on the 16th inst.

### (HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.)

#### GRADE XI.

Name	Average
Dorothy Hogg	83
Elsie Robertson	79.1
Donald Collins	71.5
Geoffrey DuVernet	71
Louis Morse	68.8
Eric Morse	56.7
Dorothy Snow	55.2
Miriam Turnbull	55.2

#### GRADE X.

Name	Average
Hilda Campbell	59.6
Hubert Warner	58.3
Florence Syda	58.3
Margaret Handspiker	54.8

#### GRADE IX.

Name	Average
Theta Morehouse	85.1
Donald Burnham	79.3
Mable Marshall	68
Marjory Jones	66.6
Fern Balser	67
Rachael Marshall	67.4
Doris Baxter	67.3
Pearl Hayden	61
Kingsley Collins	60.8
Heidi Warden	60.8
Marion Hersey	50.8
Lawrence Syda	50.8

#### ELEMENTARY SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

#### GRADE VIII.

Name	Average
Eleanor Dakin	83.4
Irene Hutchinson	81.6
Sylvia Bain	80.6
Vera Teed	80
Lloyd Hersey	79.1
Mary Weir	75.7
Gladya Warner	75.7
Ethel Gilbert	72.1
Margaret Campbell	71.4
Mildred Outhouse	71
Florence Sproule	71.4
Emma Westhaver	70.1
Alice Hogg	64.3
Dorothy VanTassel	64.3
Ruth Snow	63.6
Edgar Jones	63.5
Albert Warner	59.2
Boyd Milbury	56.2
Chester Raymond	56.2

#### GRADE VII.

Name	Average
Dorothy Hogg	81
Louise Sprule	76.3
Arthur Casey	74.9
Helen Robinson	72.3
Ray Holdsworth	71.1
David VanTassel	70.3
Wicket Hutton	69.3
Albert Ellis	68.2
Harold VanTassel	66.7
Audrey Forrest	63.3
Lloyd Condon	61.2
Daisy Sullivan	60.2
Stilman Handspiker	59.8
Eustace Dunn	59.3
Douglas Baxter	58.3
Douglas Wilson	56.2
William Eldridge	56.2

#### GRADE VI.

Name	Average
Harold Robertson	86.9
Fred DuVernet	81.3
MacNoughton Wallis	78.7
Edna Warrington	77.1
Garfield Raymond	77
Garfield Hayden	74.9
Sarah Sellers	74.9
Edith Torner	73.4
Eva Handspiker	68.2
Amy Westhaver	63.7
Kenneth Turnbull	61.6
Ruth Sellers	57.7
Leander Handspiker	57.2
Leander Handspiker	50.4

#### GRADE V.

Name	Average
Nina Hewitt	89.1
Evangelina Caines	88.9
Harold Nichols	84.7
Louis Walker	84.2
Mary Haggan	81.1
Josephine Dakin	80.9
Nancy Morehouse	80.4
Frank Wightman	79.7
John MacDonald	79.7
Seymour Casey	78.3
Gordon Casey	78.1
Josephine Eldridge	77.6
Vernon Brenne	76.6
Edith Winchester	76.4
Howard VanTassel	75.4
Ruby Bent	73.1
Dorothy Turnbull	73.1
Vernon Franklin	73
Vernon Bent	71.9
Helen Hayden	71.7

### (HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.)

#### GRADE XII.

Name	Average
Ernest Adams	70.7
Lloyd Turnbull	70.4
Arnold Snow	62.9
Gerald VanTassel	58.4
Reginald Budd	56.4
Frank Haight	51

#### GRADE IV.

##### (DIVISION A.)

Name	Average
Florence Wallis	91
Arthur Robinson	87.8
Charles McBride	86.3
Hebelyn Warrington	85.7
Carlos Comeau	85.3
Hazel Baxter	81.8
Clifford Farnsworth	81
Lawrence Wilson	80.8
Daniel Dakin	80.8
Mildred Surette	78.7
Louise Raymond	78.7
Veve Simms	78.7
Donald Condon	75.6
Lyman Pyne	75.3
Edna Turnbull	73.5
Howard Farnsworth	73.5
Annie McDonald	73.5
Dudley Winchester	73.5
Evelyn Cummings	73.5
Clayton Rooney	73.5
Ralph Adams	73.5
Marion Roop	73.5
Helen Sellers	73.5
Douglas Raymond	73.5
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#### GRADE II.

Name	Average
Lawrence McPhee	95.8
Jean Anderson	94
Evelyn Snow	92
Earle Anderson	89.7
Lawrence Dickson	87.2
Edith Lissemore	87
Edwin Sullis	85.5
Gordon Burnham	84
Webster Dunn	81.5
Raymond Winchester	77
Ross Turnbull	76.7
Horace Hayden	75.5
Burton Inson	74.7
Phyllis Roop	74.7
Helen Morehouse	74
Marjorie Tupper	72.7
Constance Eldridge	65.7
Louise Comeau	65.3
Walter Davidson	63.5
Willie Thomas	62.5
Hazel Savary	61.2
Vincent Snow	60.7
Katie Small	60.2
Mildred Syda	59
Mildred Marsh	58.7
Harold Hutchinson	58.7
Ronald Russell	58
Eva Collins	58
Mary Comeau	56
Gladya Surette	50.7
Harold Wormell	50

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Vernon Hewitt	95
Flora Theriault	95
Herbert Comeau	94
Paul Turnbull	92.6
Harold Ellis	91
Bruce Baxter	90
George White	86.7
Marion Giles	86
Marion Raymond	83.7
Hubert Simms	83.7
Muriel Snow	81.7
Gladya Fleeming	81.6
Chester Kent	76.3
Mary Walker	69.7
Roy Pyne	69.7
Rosalie Eismor	68.6
Annie Lissemore	67.3
Bernice Roop	66.3
Stella Nass	66
Marion Fidd	61
Alda Turnbull	61
Garner Bremner	56
Ralph Winchester	54
Allen Pyne	54

#### GRADE III.

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Fred Peck	93
Shirley Haines	91
Louis Dakin	91
Frank Larche	90
Beatrice Dexter	90
Eric Armstrong	83
Eldie Hill	83
Louise VanTassel	83
Reginald Holdsworth	83
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Dye Old, Faded Dress Material	
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4	85
5	80
6	75
7	70
8	65
9	60
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11	50
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## News of Weymouth

Miss Amy Holden, of Shelburne, is visiting her cousin, Miss Evelyn Grierson. Caird Nichol, who is in the employ of A. A. Varnum, returned to Weymouth Sunday here at the Goodwin Hotel. He returned to Weymouth Monday.

Mrs. R. S. Hallet was "at home" on Thursday and Friday of last week. Mrs. Grierson assisted the bride in receiving and the Misses Daisy Hallet and Evelyn Grierson served the refreshments. Hallet is a native of Belfast, Ireland, and has already made many friends here with her pleasant manner and pretty Irish smile.

The Methodist and Baptist have considerably exceeded their objectives for the Forward Movement. The result of the Church of England collections are not yet known.

A progressive bridge party was held in the Weymouth Institute Rooms on Thursday evening. Miss Blagdon was the prize winner. Refreshments were served and then dancing was indulged in. The proceeds were for the upkeep of the library and the room rent.

On Saturday afternoon the ladies of the Methodist church held a party sale at the Institute Rooms which was very successful.

Mrs. S. A. Goodwin assisted by her daughter, Miss Ruth, entertained a large number of friends last Tuesday evening at her home, the Goodwin House. The guests spent a very pleasant time in dancing and playing bridge. Delicious refreshments were served and the musical program was provided by the Mitchell family from Annapolis.

The pulp mill is running night and day, and now that the hauling is so good large quantities are being shipped from the station here.

The Inter-Church services held here last week in connection with the Forward Movement were well attended. They were held in the Methodist, Baptist and Anglican churches on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights respectively.

J. C. Muise left on Wednesday last for a visit and business trip to Halifax and Amherst. He returned on Tuesday.

Miss Katie Melanson, of Gilbert's Cove, is visiting her cousin, Miss Rose Melanson, of Weymouth. Mrs. Mary Melanson, Weymouth, is also visiting her cousin, Miss Rose Melanson, of Weymouth. Hallet returned from Halifax on Wednesday after an absence of a month.

Miss Amy Holden, of Shelburne, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. (Judge) Grierson, having arrived on Saturday.

Judge Grierson went to Weymouth on Tuesday on official duties.

Miss Estelle Comeau returned on Monday from Cornerville where she had been visiting her friend, Miss Viola Melanson.

February 11th.

Judge Grierson was a passenger to Digby Monday returning Tuesday.

Arthur Banks was away this week.

Louis Stebbins was a passenger to Weymouth on Friday returning on Saturday.

Miss Ida Webber was in town Saturday returning home via the late train. She was accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Crabbe, who returned to her home on Tuesday.

Hattie Muise left for Halifax on Saturday. We understand that Mr. Muise is going into the import and export business and expects to open up an office in the British West Indies.

A. F. Comeau returned on Monday from a business trip to Boston.

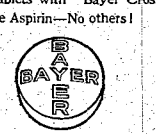
Rev. J. J. Horne was a passenger to Halifax on Monday night's late train, anticipating an absence till Saturday.

Miss Ada Duggan, who has been visiting Mrs. Christian at the Glebe House, left for her home in Prospect on Monday.

During the year Hertfordshire, G. B., was paid for nearly 200,000 rats. The county has a rat officer and five rat-catchers.

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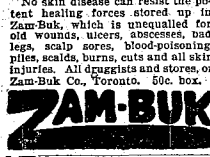
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CENTREVILLE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Graham on the arrival of a baby girl. The same congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Haigh.

Beecher Morehouse Milford Hubley and Nelson Morehouse arrived here from Freeport early in the evening of Feb. 14th. They will remain a few days at their homes here.

The entertainment and pie sale held in the hall here Valentine's night proved quite a success, making in all about \$40.

Rodney Dakin and Clarence Morehouse left Saturday last for Bridgetown, where they will visit friends for a week.

Hanford Smith and daughter Daisy are guests at George Shaw's.

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## BARTON AND BRIGHTON

Misses Josie Playle and Mary O'Neil left last week for the West.

Mrs. Edward Young has returned home after spending a few weeks in Digby.

Kenneth Perry has gone to Wolfville, where he intends taking a business course.

Miss Eleanor Rice has gone to Halifax for an indefinite time.

Miss Marion Joyner, who has resigned her school on account of sickness, has returned to her home in Port Maitland.

Miss Sadie McNeil, who is acting as a substitute in her place.

Miss Constance Young entertained a few of her friends on Valentine's evening.

Mrs. Stubb, of New York City, arrived here Friday and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) W. R. Dickie.

Miss Daisy Fream, of Newark, N. J., is recovering from an attack of the flu.

CENTRAL GROVE

Dr. H. S. Bishop was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tibert.

Fred Tibert, of Little River, spent a few days last week with friends here.

Miss Annie Perry, of Freeport, returned home the 14th, having spent the past two weeks with relatives and friends in Tiverton and Central Grove.

Judson Morehouse, of Westport, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Elliott.

Mrs. J. E. Stanton, of Freeport, spent a few days last week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Stevens and baby Alta, are spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Delaney.

SANDY COVE

Sorry to report Mrs. Angeline Saunders, on the sick list.

Charles Burns, E. D. Morehouse, and Debbie Dakin spent several days of last week in Digby.

Miss Vivian Rice, of Digby, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Hilda Rice.

While H. S. Bishop, of Freeport, was a guest at Sandy Cove house last week.

Sorry to report Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Owen on the sick list.

Ernest Raymond left on Tuesday for the United States.

SOUTHVILLE

George Stark spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Clarence Prime, Havelock, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Steele.

Miss Jessie Comett, teacher at Riverdale, spent Sunday at her home here.

C. Morton, of Carleton Place, Ontario, passed through this place recently, representing The W. J. Raleigh Co.

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Maple Butter.	35c
Garden Peas.	15c
Ground Rice.	15c

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1 Mrs. Dennis was presented with  
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### North of Fifty-Three

Bertrand W. Sinclair

#### CHAPTER I.

Which Introduces a Lady and Two Gentlemen.

Dressed in a plain white shirtwaist and an equally plain black cloth skirt, Miss Hazel Weir, on weekdays, was merely a unit in the office of Harrington & Bush, implement manufacturers. Neither in personality nor in garb would she have attracted the attention of her fellow employees, who were all occupied at various desks. A business office is no place for a woman to parade her personal charms. The measure of her worth there is simply the measure of her efficiency at her machine or ledgers. So that if any member of the firm had been asked what sort of a girl Miss Hazel Weir might be, he would probably have replied, and with utmost truth—that Miss Weir was a capable stenographer.

But when Saturday evening released Miss Hazel Weir from the plain brick office building, she became, until she donned her working clothes at 7 a. m. Monday morning, quite a different sort of a person. In other words, she checked the plain shirtwaist and the plain skirt into the discard, got into such a dress as a normal girl of twenty-two delights to put on, and devoted half an hour or so to "doing" her hair. Miss Weir then became an entity at which few persons of either sex failed to take a second glance.

Upon a certain Saturday night Miss Weir came home from an informal little party escorted by a young man. They stopped at the front gate.

"I'll be here at ten sharp," said he. "And you get a good beauty sleep tonight, Hazel. That confounded office! I hate to think of you dragging away at it. I wish we were ready to—"

"Oh, bother the office!" she replied lightly. "Aren't I, don't mind. It doesn't tire me. I will be ready at ten this time. Good night, dear."

"Good night, Hazel," he whispered. "See you in the morning."

Miss Weir broke away from him laughingly, ran along the path, and up the steps, kissed her finger tips to the lingering figure by the gate, and went in.

"Bed," she soliloquized, "is the place for me right quickly if I'm going to be up and dressed and have that lunch ready by ten o'clock. I wish I weren't such a sleep-head—or else that I weren't a 'pore wurkin' girl'."

At which last conceit she laughed softly. Because, for a "pore wurkin' girl," Miss Weir was very content with her lot. She had no one dependent on her—a state of affairs which, if it occasionally leads to loneliness, has its compensations. Her salary at a stenographer's salary covered her living expenses, and even permitted her to put by a few dollars monthly. She had grown up in Granville. She had her own circle of friends. So that she was comfortable, even happy, in the present—and Jack Barrow proposed to settle the problem of her future; with youth's optimism, for they two were already settled. Six months more, and there was to be a wedding, a three-weeks' honeymoon, and a final settling down in a little cottage on the West side; everybody in Granville who amounted to anything lived on the West side. Then she would have nothing to do but make the home nest cozy, while Jack kept pace with a real estate business that was growing beyond his most sanguine expectations.

She kissed her finger tips to him again across the rooftops all grimed with a winter's soot, and with a contented sigh she went to bed. At ten minutes Miss Weir was asleep.

She gave the light for herself, saying that a woman is never ready at the appointed time, by being on the steps a full ten minutes before Jack Barrow appeared. They walked to the corner, and caught a cab, and the man of half an hour got off at Granville park. The city fathers, hampered in days gone by with lack of municipal funds, had left the two-hundred-acre square of the park practically as nature made it; that is to say, there was no ornate parking, no attempt at landscape gardening. Granville park was a bit of the old Ontario woodland, and as such afforded a pleasant place to loaf in the summer months.

When Jack Barrow and Hazel had finished their lunch under the trees, in company with a little group of their acquaintances, Hazel gathered scraps of bread and cake into a paper bag. Barrow whispered to her: "Let's go down and feed the swans. I'd just as soon be away from the crowd."

She nodded assent, and they departed hastily lest some of the others should volunteer their company. It took but a short time to reach the pond. They found a log close to the water's edge, and, taking a seat there, tossed morsels to the birds and chattered to each other.

"Look!" she said suddenly. "Here's one of my esteemed employers, if you please. You'll notice that he's walking and looking at things just like an ordinary, everyday mortal."

—a man with gray, a man-looking man, dressed with exceeding nicety, even to a flower in his coat lapel, walking slowly along the path that bordered the pond.

His gaze wandered to them, and the cool, well-bred stare gradually gave way to a slightly puzzled expression. He moved a step or two and seated himself on a bench. Miss Weir became aware that he was looking at her most of the time as he sat gazing at the bits of bread to the swans and ducks. It made her self-conscious. She did not know why she should be of any particular interest.

"Let's walk around a little," she suggested. The last of the crumbs were gone.

"All right," Barrow assented. "Let's go up the road." They left the log. Their course up the ravine took them directly past the gentleman on the bench. And when they came abreast of him, he rose and lifted his hat at the very slight inclination of Miss Weir's head.

"How do you do, Miss Weir?" said he. "Quite a pleasant afternoon."

To the best of Hazel's knowledge, Mr. Andrew Bush was little given to friendly recognition of his employees, particularly in public. But he seemed inclined to be talkative; and, as she caught a slightly inquiring glance at her countenance, she made the necessary introduction. So for a minute or two the three of them stood there exchanging polite banalities. Then Mr. Bush bowed and passed.

"He's one of the biggest runs in Granville," they say," Jack observed. "I wouldn't mind having some of his business to handle. He started with nothing, too, according to all accounts. Now, that's what I call success."

"Oh, yes, in a business way he's a success," Hazel responded. "But he's awfully out of most of the time around the office. I wonder what made him show up on today?"

And that question recurred to her mind again in the evening, when Jack had gone home and she was sitting in her own room. She wheeled her chair around and took a steady look at herself in the mirror. A woman may never admit extreme plainness of feature, and she may deprecate her own fairness, if she be possessed of fairness, but she seldom has any illusion about one or the other. She knows, Hazel Weir knew that she was far above the average in point of looks.

She was smiling at herself just as she had been smiling at Jack Barrow while they sat on the log and fed the swans. But even though Miss Weir was twenty-two, she was far from sophisticated. It did not strike her that the transition of herself from a demure, businesslike office person in sober black and white to a radiant creature with the potent influences of love and spring brightening her eyes and lending a veiled caress to her every supple movement, satisfactorily accounted for the sudden friendliness of Mr. Andrew Bush.

Miss Weir was unprepared for what subsequently transpired as a result of that casual encounter with the manager partner of the firm. By the time she went to work on Monday morning she had almost forgotten the meeting in Granville park.

Hazel's work consisted largely of dictation from the shipping manager, letters relating to outgoing consignments of implements.

It was, therefore, something of a surprise to be called into the office of the managing partner on Tuesday afternoon. Bush's private stenographer said that he was in his corner.

Mr. Bush turned from his desk at Hazel's entrance.

"Miss Weir," he said, "I wish you to take some letters."

Hazel went back for her notebook, wondering why she should be called upon to shoulder a part of Nelly Morrison's work, and a trifle dubious at the prospect of facing the rapid-fire dictation Mr. Bush was said to inflict upon his stenographer now and then.

When she was seated, Bush took up a sheet of letter, and dictated rapidly. Though rapid, his enunciation was per-

fectly clear, and Hazel found herself getting his words with greater ease than she expected.

"That's all, Miss Weir," he said politely.

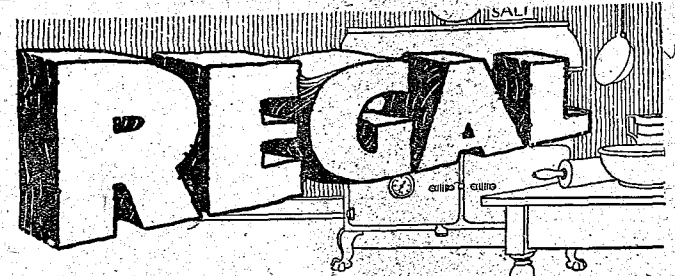
"That's all, Miss Weir," he said, when he reached the last letter, "bring them in for verification and signature as soon as you can get them done."

In the course of time she completed the letters and took them back. Bush glanced over each, and appended his signature.

"That's all, Miss Weir," he said politely. "Thank you."

And Hazel went back to her machine, wondering why she should be requested to do such letters when Nelly Morrison had nothing better to do than sit picking at her type faces with a toothpick.

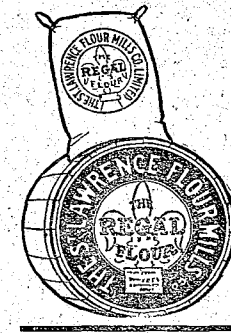
She learned the significance of it the next morning, however, when the office boy told her that she was wanted.



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MARGARET GIDNEY Sec. Mink Cove Red Cross.

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LAKE MIDWAY NOTES.

Our Editor has asked us, yes, he begs of us for news.

Our brains we've culled back and forth. We hate to refuse, and we've come to this conclusion--conclusion means the end.

We cannot send in news sir. Cause we have no news to send.

Our winter sports are cancelled. We can neither skate or slide.

We're drenched into a snow drift. If we venture out to ride. The men just now are getting wood to keep our toesies warm.

Every day we hear this--"Guess there'll be another storm."

We nurse the sick and help the poor at morning noon or night.

But we cannot write you news Sir, Cause we have no news to write.

We tend the sick and feed the pigs and put the hens to bed.

Then scrub our hands, roll up our sleeves and knead the butter.

We teach the baby calves how to gobble up their milk.

And "house mice" all our costumes whether cotton, wool or silk.

We make one-dollar "williams" do the work of three or four.

Or shovel out a snow drift when it barricades the door.

To tick and ailing ones we give our deepest sympathy.

And hope right soon they will be as well as we can be.

We've decided that, we're living in extremest arctic zone.

But we'll phone you news a plenty.

When we get snowed into a phone.

### ASHMORE

The young people are enjoying themselves with high drives.

Phyllis Mallette spent the week-end at her home in South Range.

George E. Dyer has gone to the logging woods in New Brunswick for the remainder of the winter.

John B. Pugh, of Westport, is spending a few weeks with his friend, Ellisworth Dyer.

Mildred Brooks arrived home from Boston on the 18th. Sorry to hear she is poor health, we wish her a speedy recovery.

Ross Cossaboom, of White Head, Grand Manan, is spending a few days with his cousin, Mr. George E. Dyer.

Myrtle Kinney, who is attending school in Digby, spent the week-end at her home.

William H. Brooks has purchased the farm from Herbert Mallette.

Hazel Brooks spent the 14th, with her friend, Myrtle J. Kinney.

Mrs. George Hutchins, of Rossaway, visited at the home of George Dyer recently.

### NORTH RANGE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Langille, sr., on the arrival of a fine baby boy.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews, who has been very ill, is better at times of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vian Andrews were the guests of Mr. Andrews's sister, Mrs. Perry Porter, Sunday at Hill Grove.

In spite of the high cost of living and the lack of housing facilities, 1,717 marriage licenses were granted in Brooklyn, N. Y., last month, exactly 400 more than were granted in January one year ago.

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### TIDVILLE

Glad to report Mrs. John Tidd improving in health.

A. A. McClellough has gone to Boston on a visit.

Miss Lena Bunker is confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Laverne are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son, Feb. 6th.

Miss Irene Trask, of Little River, was the guest of Mrs. Nell Stanton on Wednesday last.

We had a friendly call from Rev. S. D. Harvey on Sunday on his way to the Ferry, and he was to hold service.

Reginald Trask, of Little River, was in this vicinity Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Tidd, of East Ferry, gave us a friendly call on Tuesday.

The Mission Band, Little River, met at the home of Mrs. Henry Tidd Monday evening. We wish this enterprising band success.

Mrs. Daniel Stanton and Mrs. Reginald Merritt were entertained at the home of Mrs. Nell Stanton Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Small, of East Ferry, are spending the remainder of the winter with Mrs. Small's grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Horner.

Our teacher, Miss Bethel Cartwright, of Sandy Cove, has completed her half term and has gone to Normal College.

### BUY RED CLOVER SEED EARLY.

Prime red clover seed was quoted at \$35.50 per bushel on the Toledo market of the 6th inst. Toronto prices then ranged about \$2.50 per bushel in advance of Toledo's prices. Clover seed that would grade "Prime" on the Toledo market could be bought in Toronto at \$38.50, because of exchange conditions, delivered to United States points at approximately \$35.00 per bushel, or about 25 to 30 per cent less than the Toledo price. The money situation, short supplies, and an earlier demand in the United States will explain the heavy exports of clover seed.

The price of red clover seed has advanced \$1.00 per bushel on the Toledo market since May last. The world supply will not be sufficient to meet normal requirements. In these circumstances, Canadian farmers who delay the purchase of their red clover seed requirements and waiting time may be unable to obtain supplies at any price.

### BEAR RIVER EAST

Frank VanBuskirk goes to Truro on Wednesday of this week.

Howard Wright, of Newburyport, Mass., has been called home on account of the illness of his mother.

Miss Ruth Scragg is visiting her friend Grace Long.

Rev. F. H. Bone, of Bear River, held a meeting in Union Hall on Tuesday evening in the interest of the Church Forward Movement.

Miss Lenna VanBuskirk, of Bear River, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles VanBuskirk.

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### FRISCOLE

Clifford Sanford, left for the United States Wednesday.

Mrs. Forrest Connolly, of Bridgeport, spent the past two weeks with her father, Charles Fraser.

Forrest Fraser, returned to Halifax, Thursday after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Lottie Fraser.

Noble Daudale purchased a pair of steers from Stewart Smith, of Grey's Cove, Friday.

Frank Jefferson and daughter Jennie, of Bear River East, were guests of Mrs. Foran Wright, on Wednesday.

Ledie Paine, of Clementsville, passed through here the past week with a pair of oxen which she bought from John Woodard, of Metheville. These oxen weighed 2300 pounds. We understand the price was \$300.00.

A new mechanical painter, invented by one of the workmen, is being used on the painting of ambulances in the omnibus factory, in Calverton Road, London, G. B. It does in two and a half minutes work that ordinarily takes two and a half hours.

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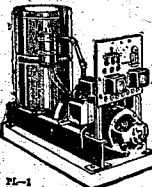
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## Municipal Council

(Continued from First Page.)

Hunt, A. H. Weir, Herbert Woodman.  
Inspectors of fish: W. E. Gilliat,  
George Weir, E. H. Hunt.  
Board of health: L. J. Lovett, M. D.,  
T. O. Morgan, J. W. Rice, Edward  
Winchester.  
Inspectors of fruit: Frank Cossett,  
Jeremiah Potter.  
Pound keepers: J. W. Rice, Spurgeon  
Weir, Arthur Curwell, J. C. Harris,  
Carman Banks.  
Fence viewers: George W. Potter,  
Spurgeon Weir, George Weir, J. C. Harris.  
Keeper of Victoria Bridge: Chas.  
Cosby.  
Keeper of Joggins Bridge: W. E.  
Gilliat.  
Surveyors of wood and timber: H.  
Sallis, R. E. Cossett, Daley John.  
To prevent cattle running at large:  
Harry H. Smith, H. W. A. Sallis,  
Carman Banks, Willist Cosby, Frank  
Woodman.  
Overseers of highways: 1. William  
Woodman; 2. Minard Weir; 3. Chas.  
Potter; 4. Lorenzo Hunt; 5. Howard  
Cosby; 6. Carman Banks; 7. Harry Smith.  
Constables and police constables:  
Lorenzo Hunt, Frank Woodman, Elmer  
Hanson, A. H. Weir, A. J. Cornwell.  
Presiding officer at municipal election:  
Henry J. Woodman.  
Sheep valuer: Minard Weir.  
Revisor of electoral list to take effect  
in May: J. C. Harris.  
Collector of rates: A. J. Cornwell.  
Assessor: Frank Cossett.

Polling District No. 17—Colleen.

Collector of taxes: Charles E. Turnbull.

Assessor: John O. Turnbull.

Constables: Oliver Ross, Walter Barbes,

Heber Small, J. C. Harris, J. C. Harris.

Police Constables: Oscar Stark, Hart

Hayden, Stanley Hines, Harry O. Van

Tassel, Eliza Budd.

Clerk of license: Maynard Turnbull.

Surveyors of lumber and wood:

Leander Woodworth, Evan Dunn, Rich-

ard Dunn.

Fence viewers: James M. Hayden,

Geo. Turnbull, Culler VanTassel, Geo.

Stark, Silas O'Neil.

Inspectors of fish and meat: David

Bills, James E. Ellis, James Handespeer,

Stanley Hines.

Overseers of poor: James M. Hayden,

Jas. Warrington, Edgar Post.

Pound keepers: Ernest Turnbull, Hart

Hayden, Oscar Stark, Waters Hutchins,

Thomas Gibbons, John H. Post, Isaac

Everett.

To prevent cattle running at large:

William Turnbull, David Ellis, Harry

Janis Elisha Budd, Alex Ross, Maynard

Turnbull, Geo. Stark, J. C. Harris, J. C. Harris.

Presiding officer for Municipal election:

Peter Killalea.

Health Warden: Orvin Candon, Hugh

McLean, John H. Post, John Hutchins.

Overseers of Highways: 1. Arch Bren-

ner, 2. Hart Hayden, 3. David Ellis, 4.

Harry Bain, 5. Fred Murphy, 6. Fred

Murphy, 7. Herbert Daley, 8. Fred Murphy,

Jas. Warrington, 9. George Turnbull, 10.

Fred Adams, 11. George Roberts, 12.

Silas O'Neil, 14. Richard Dunn, 15.

Augustus VanTassel.

Revisor of electoral list to take effect

in May: Jas. Warrington.

Sheep valuer: Water N. VanTassel.

Polling District No. 22—Weymouth.

Assessor: Henry E. Ellis.

Board of Health: E. C. Hallett, M. D.,

B. J. Elderkin, M. D., A. H. Brooks, W.

G. Blackader, A. E. Gandet, Louis

Stehelin, A. F. Hogan, Geo. O. Hankin-

son.

Constables: Herman Steele, Fred

John, Ellis Cosman, Orlin LeBlanc,

Henry Langford, Deserie Beliveau,

Alfred Cosman, Harley John, Randolph

Lysman, Amos LeBlanc, Walter

Sprague, Geo. L. Teabo.

Commissioners of Sissiboo River:

Frank P. Goodwin, Maurice McBride,

Alfred C. McLaughlin.

Clerk of license: A. F. Cosman.

Collector of Rates: Fred O. Hankin-

son.

Fence Viewers: Chas. Belliveau, John

Dahlgren, Thomas Milden, Celestine

Clement, George Everett, Martin C.

McLennan, Samuel Jarvis, Joseph W.

Saban, Chas. M. Amero.

Fire Warden: Frank Brooks, A. Phie

Minie, Jesse Dahlgren, Max Ashkins,

Harry S. Hoyt.

Fireman: H. A. Blackader, Harley

John, H. W. Taylor, J. Dixon Rice,

Wilfred Campbell.

Inspectors of Hides: H. E. Wagner,

Alphonse Marini, Joseph Beliveau.

Inspectors and Weighers of General

Merchandise: Samuel McCormack, H.

W. Taylor, H. P. Filand, E. P. Theriault,

Fred O. Hankinson.

Inspectors of fruit: Joseph Edler,

Ernest Brooks.

Inspectors of flour, butter, fish and meat:

J. Dixon Rice, H. W. Taylor, Robert

Journey, Geo. O. Hankinson, E. P.

Theriault.

Measurers and Weighers of coal and salt:

Otis Barr, Fred O. Hankinson, Robert

Barth.

Overseers of poor: W. G. B. Ackard,

A. F. Hogan, A. P. Cosman.

Police Constables: Eli Cosman,

Siffron Theriault, Jesse Dahlgren, John

Dahlgren, Daniel Journey.

Found keepers: Samuel LeBlanc,

Thomas Journey, Isiah Smith, Walter

Goodwin, Joseph H. Cosman, Watson

Taylor, Geo. L. Teabo, Elijah Wagner.

Jesse Wagner.

Presiding officer at Municipal election:

W. P. Journey.

Sanitary Inspector: J. A. Goodwin.

Supervisors of public grounds: James

Dahlgren, E. O. Hallett, J. F. Blagden.

Surveyors of lumber, lumber, shingles,

clearedwood, hoops and staves:

Frank P. Goodwin, John Cosman,

Silas Parker, Geo. Hollowell, J. Milton

Saban, Fred O. Hankinson, Frank

Hankinson, Mantley Wagner, Harry

Wagner, Otis Barr, Harold Saban, John

Lovitt, Willis Levitt.

Revisor of Electoral list: E. P.

Theriault, to take effect at the close

of the year.

To prevent cattle going at large: Ellis

Cosman, Louis McDonald, Delphia

Gaudet, Sandy LeBlanc, Mele Le-

Blanc, Jesse Dahlgren, Chas. Sautier,

Geo. L. Teabo.

To prevent costings: J. A. Goodwin,

A. H. Beaton.

Overseers of Highways: 1. (formerly

1 and 2) John McCormack, 3. Otis Barr,

4. Silas Parker, 5. Watson Taylor, 6.

Samuel Journey, 7. Walter Cosman, 8.

Elmer Jarvis, 9. Ephraim Gates, 10.

Rovier Sanders, 11. Louis LeBlanc, 12. Le-

Roy Wagner, 13. Geo. L. Teabo.

Sheep valuer: H. E. Wagner.

Rev. J. Parker, formerly pastor

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Donald, the blacksmith, living at  
Conard street, Halifax, a few days  
ago.  
"That spell of 'flu' I had last  
fall," continued Mr. McDonald,  
left me with stomach trouble and  
rheumatism and so weak and run  
down that I couldn't shoe three  
horses without being completely  
exhausted. I had no appetite and  
my stomach was so upset that even  
the sight or smell of food would  
nauseate me. I would often leave  
the table without eating a bite and  
when I did eat anything it seemed  
to do me little, or no good, as I fell  
to sleep in the night. My  
nerves were so shattered that I  
would wake up at all hours of the  
night, never getting any sound  
sleep, and felt so bad in the morn-

ings that it was all I could do to get  
off to the shop, and besides I just  
hurt all over with rheumatism. My  
legs, arms and shoulders seemed to  
ache clean to the bone. My joints  
would get stiff and I could hardly  
bend them in damp weather,  
especially, I couldn't make a move  
without suffering agony. There  
was a constant pain in the small of  
my back and my arms and  
shoulders were so stiff and painful  
that it was difficult for me to raise  
my hands to my head. I was so  
stiff and aching in the mornings that  
I had trouble getting my clothes on  
and between the rheumatism and  
that tired, worn out feeling I was  
about all in.

"Just before I started on Tanlac  
I had made up my mind to stop  
trying to work and go to the coun-  
try and see if that would help me.  
For I was getting worse all the time.  
In the mean time I ran across a  
Tanlac testimonial that described  
my case so well that I concluded to  
see if the medicine would help me.  
Well, it has not only helped me,  
it almost made a new man of me. I  
have taken six bottles now and have  
gotten back twenty pounds of my  
lost weight already. My appetite  
is great and I am eating three  
hearty meals every day and my  
stomach never troubles me in the  
least. And as to the rheumatism,  
I haven't a touch of it since I  
finished my second bottle of Tan-  
lac. I believe it has left me free  
for good for I can work ten hours a day  
and never feel a sign of it. I can  
go to bed at eight o'clock at night  
and sleep like a log until six the  
next morning. All that tired, weak  
feeling is gone and I can now show  
an average of twelve horses a day  
and still feel fine. I don't feel the  
effects of the 'flu' any more than  
I had never had it. In fact,  
I am just feeling fine and can  
recommend Tanlac as by far the  
best medicine I have ever used."

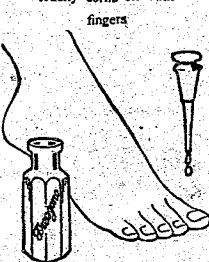
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V. Harris; in Tiverton by Small  
Bro.; in Freeport by B. S. Bishop;  
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in Westport by E. C. Bowers,  
Co., Ltd.; and in Comeauville, by  
J. Aug. Comeau. J. A. Morehouse  
Brighton, and Stella Maris, Meteghan.

George Legood, aged 76, employ-  
ed at the Highland Road Cemetery,  
Southsea, Eng., fell and died over  
a grave while digging up a rose tree.

The use of army flame throwers  
to melt the snow in New York's  
streets is the latest variation of the  
transformation of swords into plow-

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## HEARTH AND HOME

First it was the "Franklin" stove  
which our great-grandfathers hailed  
with joy. It threw more heat out  
into the room and less up the chim-  
ney. Then the fireplace was brick-  
ed up, a pipe was run into it and  
we had an "air-tight" stove. Next  
came the hot-air heater. You  
stoked one fire and warmed the  
whole house. Then it was steam  
and hot water.

By this time grandfather had  
begun to grumble. Glad as he had  
been of the stove in the old days,  
he drew the line at warming him-  
self "beside an iron fence." And  
the rest of the civilized human  
family began to miss something too.  
These new contraptions of "regis-  
ter" and radiator warmed the  
floor; but they left the spirit cold.  
"Strike for your alters and your  
fires! How about 'Strike for your  
registers and your radiators'?" It  
was no go. The poetry had gone  
out of the thing.

Behold, then, the re-opening of  
brickied-up fireplaces in old houses  
—not alone on highbrow country  
estates, but in quite humble farm  
homesteads and the inclusion of a  
open fireplace in almost any modest  
cottage. It is a luxury, no doubt.  
It is in addition to the "hole in the  
floor" or the "iron fence," but it  
is not a very expensive luxury and  
one for which, if at all able, we are  
glad to pay. Besides in spring and  
Autumn—even on chilly rainy  
evenings of Summer—it is a cheap  
and convenient auxiliary heating  
plant.

For the open fire warms more  
than hands and feet. It warms  
some primitive instinct in man. It  
goes back into the mists of time  
when the Titan Prometheus stole  
this jealously guarded fire from  
Heaven to give to man to light his  
darkness of body and of mind and  
bore a dire vengeance (like all true  
benefactors) at the hands of the  
supreme ruler, the celestial tyrant  
Zeus. It goes back to the tribal  
campfire. There is a whole ritual  
of domestic worship which centers  
round the open fire. "Hearty and  
home" meant one and the same  
thing. You dragged your hearth-  
stone in from the field and built  
your house around it.

No wonder we are going back to  
the open fire when we can. Like  
many another modern invention,  
the "iron fence" heightens our  
creature comfort, but it leaves  
imagination chilled. A blaze on a  
hearth is more than a luxury. It is  
an altar fire.

The Harrowgate, Great Britain,  
medical officer of health has taken  
possession of 12 shaving brushes,  
acting on advice from the Liverpool  
medical officer that a consignment  
of brushes was affected with anthrax.  
Four of the twelve brushes;  
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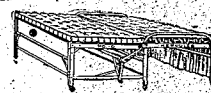
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## A DIGBY GIRL'S IMPRESSION OF THE WEST

Delighted With Sunny California and Its Beautiful Scenery—Tells of Her Trip and of the Sights On the Way.

Miss Mildred Dakin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Outram Dakin, and one of Digby's most popular young ladies, who is now residing in Pasadena, California, writes to friends regarding her new home in most enthusiastic terms. In a recent letter she described her trip and some of her impressions of "Sunny California" as follows:

"We were in New York over night; got in there about 7, so saw a bit of the 'big town.' Then we left at one o'clock next day for St. Louis, and came through Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. We were in St. Louis over night, and left at 8 o'clock the following morning for Kansas City, so we saw a good deal of the country by daylight.

"All of the railroad stations in the East are very fine, especially the Pennsylvania and Grand Central in New York, and Kansas City has a wonderful station, even more impressive than the New York ones. Of course, there is no opportunity yet to compare these with Digby's coming new station!

"We were only in Kansas City two hours, and we came right along from there to Pasadena. We travelled through Oklahoma, touched Texas at El Paso (a very pretty place), and then our route led through New Mexico and Arizona into California.

"It was all very interesting. Arizona, with its desert, sage-brush, and mountains, and the famous horsehoe track, was especially interesting; but when we got into California, the land of sunshine, my eyes almost popped out of my head. In fact, I did nothing but gaze at scenery all the way out until my eyes would no longer stay open.

"I think California will have my company for a good while. It is wonderful here, there are so many places of interest to visit. I have taken the trip to Mt. Lowe, which is a wonderful experience. At parts

of the inclined railway we were nearly 75 degrees perpendicular. It is no place for any one with 'nerves.' I have visited Hollywood and seen the interesting homes there of the famous 'movie' stars, whose acquaintance I had previously made at the Bijou Dream in Digby, or in the picture houses in Halifax or Boston. Mary Pickford, everybody's friend, is having a new home built, and it certainly is a very odd style.

"I have also been to Venice, and spent a day in one of the canyons where I saw the 'Rangers' I have read so much about.

"Christmas day we had dinner at the Hotel Rosslyn in Los Angeles. I am, of course, very anxious to see the famous Catalina Island, and also the Yosemite Valley and the Grand Canyon of Arizona. Mr. Wigley, the celebrated 'Spearman' man, who has lately purchased Catalina Island, is advertising it in great shape. In his case it certainly has paid to advertise. I have seen his home. It is very beautiful. I have also seen the golf course, where many of the famous multimillionaires of the East spend some of their spare time. Southern California's oil wells also have greatly interested me.

"We are having our rainy season now, but very little rain has fallen. I enjoyed sunshine for one solid month. One can plan a picnic for any day and not add 'weather permitting.' Even in delightful Digby this is not possible.

"I enjoy the food here very much and eat lots of oranges, apples and nuts. A great deal of oil is used in food here, and it is so good to have green vegetables all the time.

"Rose Tournament" of the first of January in Pasadena was a grand spectacle this year, and it is always one of the great annual events in places of interest to visit. I have taken the trip to Mt. Lowe, which is a wonderful experience. At parts

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Say, wouldn't you think that people would have some sense when they start out to ask financial assistance for any object. Here the churches have just put on a big drive and carried it through successfully. People in this town gave all they could afford to give and in many cases gave more than they could afford. But that does not say that they would be willing to help out in another drive, no matter how small in a week. And yet, so people tell me (I did not hear him myself) a gentleman spoke in one of the churches only last Sunday—just a week after the big drive closed—asking for financial assistance for an institution in Truro. No doubt the object is deserving but imagine the thoughtlessness of the board of directors of that institution allowing such an appeal to follow so closely on the other one. It would seem to me that decency alone would require all such appeals to be stopped for a month or two at any rate.

With our local Chinaman—gone away for three months and no other professional laundry in town it seems to me that soft collars will become quite the fashion here. But I understand there is a movement on foot to start a steam laundry and I hope it is so. A laundry should be a profitable institution here, particularly in the summer season and it should not be a difficult matter to raise a small amount of capital for that purpose.

The outlook for the coming season is particularly bright. I know of two of the hotels which are already booked up for almost the entire season and I haven't the least doubt but what the others are in a similar position. The reason I know of these two is because I have asked, but I have not done so in the other cases. I do know that the railroads and steamboat lines are looking for a much bigger business than they enjoyed last season, big as that was, and I have been told something of next season's railroad time table. It will be a corker if it is carried out in the way I heard it was to be.

But speaking of the railroad I understand that work is to be started on our new station as soon as weather permits. The plans have been slightly changed, I hear, and instead of having a wooden structure it will be of stucco (like the new Bridgeport station). It has also been decided to give it a basement so that the kitchen and storage rooms will be situated underneath. This should be a great improvement over the original plans.

And now, about our school. Something has got to be done before long as the present building, poor as it is, cannot accommodate all the children who should be attending. What are we going to do about it? It was threatened with condemnation last year and certainly it has not been improved since. I think the authorities would be doing a kindness to the future citizens of Digby if they did not put off the condemnation proceedings any longer, but insisted at their next meeting that a new school must be built.

## Music in the Home

SINGING—No. 6

A Series of Talks on Music, now running in The Courier By C. C. Laughier, Mus. Bac., Bowmanville.

To "Sing" is to utter musical or melodious sounds. The singer uses the vocal organs or chords which produce the sound. The singer is the larynx. Vocal attention is to practice and art of singing in one or a series of notes which should result in purity of tone and quality of the voice. All cannot produce that desired purity of tone, for some produce a tone that suggests a throaty, hoarse, nasal, or gravelled tone. The singer is acquired by a practising series of notes on vowels, passing from one note to another, changing the quality of tone. Great care must be taken in the choice of words, etc. You must not upon any occasion take breath between the syllables, or break up the phrases. How often we hear of such a person screaming out a solo at a reception. A man who apparently has no ear for music may say to you, "Surely she's a finished musician, don't you think?" If you are candid you will reply, "I have heard her sing, but I am afraid she was going to sing again." It is indeed hard to have to sit and listen to a would-be singer, who prides herself upon never taking a single lesson yet her singing may remind one of the following: "I hear you exclaiming, 'What a beautiful voice!' from the parlor. 'Yes,' sang the mother from the kitchen, 'I want you to come here and help me with the dishes.' Profound silence followed. 'The voice of girls of High School period are extremely delicate and require the utmost care and attention. Girl sopranos should be able to vocalize up to G. The voice that can vocalize well from middle C up to E—fourth space, should sing mezzo-soprano. Girls who can sing down to G, below middle C, and not above C—third space, should sing alto. These are very qualifications that a girl needs to make a singer are as follows: 1st, a good voice; 2nd, musical aptitude; 3rd, general intelligence; 4th, good health; 5th, character."

The instrument and the performer are combined in one person. The process of forming or training the voice includes both the development of technique and the adjustment of machinery as it may be called. The training of the voice is that which includes the production of breath, the ability to produce and recognize true pitch of tones, and enunciation of words, etc.

Of all subjects neglected by choir and chorus conductors, Diction is an easy first. The singer may have a voice like a saw or rasp, but it is not pitched, and it lacks, up for much vocal deficiencies. Every conductor should have as his motto, "Words, Words, Words." The girl with a new dress and proud of compliments said that on entering the church, the choir were the first to notice her new dress. She sang out with one voice, "Hardly knew you." "Hardly knew you." She was afterwards told that they were really singing, "Hal-le-lu-jah, Hal-le-lu-jah."

Here is a good motto for church choirs, taken from "The Tenth Degree of the Fourth Council of Carthage in the year 308 A. D. 'See that what thou singest with thy lips thou dost believe in thine heart, and that what thou believest in thine heart thou dost show forth in thy works.'

Just a word about politeness in singing. The French have a proverb, "Politeness is an investment that costs nothing but pays well." In no sphere is this truer than in the relation between the artist and the audience. If he comes before them prepared to respond to their good will by an inclination of the head and a smile, he will find them more ready to listen to his song, and give him full appreciation. If he takes their welcome coldly, he must not be surprised if he meets with coolness in return. Do not be afraid to show appreciation of the courtesy of your hearers. It will make the artistic task easier and more successful.

Some musicians have "wonderful" voices, but their voices may hold their audience for hours at a time—after which they lay it in a cradle and rock it to sleep, but let me tell you of a real singer, the most famous soprano of the 19th century.

ADELINA PATTI

A born singer was Adeline Patti. Born in the year 1841 in Madrid, the family moved to New York when she was very young. Al-

## D. A. R. PUTS ON INTERESTING FARM "MOVIES"

Bear River and Weymouth Saw Them Last Week—Digby Gets Them Tonight.

The first of the Dominion Atlantic Film Educational displays in this county was put on to a full house at Bear River, Weymouth, evening, Feb. 18th, under the patronage of Digby County farmers association.

The following films were shown: Potatoes for profit. Cheese making in Holstein. Raspberry culture. Conformation of a hostess dairy cow.

Community Canning. Killing and dressing of poultry. One comedy reel. Mr. Reid and Mr. Chisholm, of the association addressed the meeting on the benefits to be derived from these practical displays, while D. J. Murphy, the industrial and colonization agent of the railway, explained in detail the purposes of his department which very much enthused the audience. He concluded with an appeal for greater production and felt sure the future of this county would not fall down in this regard.

The same programme was booked for Digby town Thursday night but had to be cancelled owing to the violent storm which practically made it impossible for farmers at any distance to attend. Arrangements were put through to have the lecture and picture display put on at Digby this evening.

On Friday evening, Feb. 20th, the entire programme was put on at Public Hall, Weymouth, before a large and interested audience. At this meeting George Saunders, of the Dominion department of agriculture, lectured on potato growing, emphasizing the importance of spraying, quoting most telling figures of the handsome results from consistent spraying.

After this the association are due the management of the railway for providing the means for these instructive lectures which are being so well patronized.

Eight German representatives have arrived at Rome to confer with Italian representatives to renew of trade relations between the two countries, according to the Italian News.

The longest pendulum ever made was 377 feet in length, and was swung from the second platform of the Eiffel Tower, Paris.

24,000 disabled soldiers, sailors and marines are being retrained in a wide variety of vocational occupations in the United States.

## MEN AND OLDER BOYS CELEBRATE "FATHER AND SON WEEK"

At an Interesting Meeting in the Baptist Vestry Last Thursday the Need of a District Nurse Was Strongly Expressed.

At an interesting meeting in the Baptist Vestry last Thursday night a District Nurse was strongly expressed.

In spite of terrific weather conditions, a large number of men and older boys met in the Baptist vestry on Thursday evening of last week to celebrate in the Baptist Congregation the National Institution of "Father and Son week."

At six-thirty all sat down to a sumptuous banquet, spread and served entirely by the men and older boys. Edw. Hanson, of the mill crew, was in charge of the kitchen, and Ned is sure some grub-slinger. The Tuxis boys did the waiting under the direction of their mentor, Major Denton, assisted by Guy Dunn.

After the banquet had received full attention Rev. D. E. Hatt, as toastmaster, proposed "The King" and all arose and joined heartily in singing the National Anthem. A letter of greeting and good cheer was read from Lou A. Buckley, Maritime Boy's Work Secretary. Telegrams were also read regretting the absence of all the crowned and honorable heads of Europe and North America also from Jack Frost and the man in the moon. Also an enquiry by wire for one A. Grouch, who proved not to be present at the banquet.

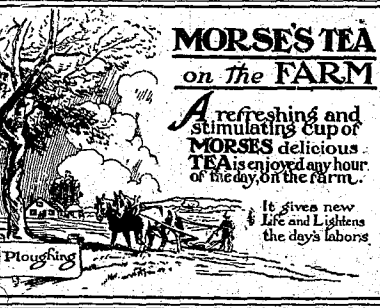
In a telling and tender speech H. B. Short congratulated and counselled the boys, and the Praetor of the Tuxis Boy's Class, Donald Collins, responded in a speech that commended itself to every man present and called forth prolonged applause. In another, straightforward and manly talk Eric Morse gave the boys' message to the men, asking for co-operation in seeking to achieve the high aims of the boys' movement, and Mayor Nichols replied in forceful and helpful terms.

After the chairman had toasted the industrial and commercial interests of Digby, H. T. Warne replied in eloquent terms on behalf of the former and J. Loarn Peters spoke helpfully and reminiscently on behalf of the latter. At this point Mayor Denton made a telling plea for the organization of a Brotherhood Class in connection with the congregation and was ably seconded by G. R. Condon, who spoke of his experience in such work overseas. The resolution to organize was heartily approved and the time and place of first meeting set.

In neat and suitable speeches Guy Dunn moved and Louis Morse, seconded a very strong resolution of grateful appreciation to the ladies for the splendid cookery they had so generously provided.

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16, 12 and 10 ga. With one of these sets you can put up your own special loads.		
Shell Loading Sets (with crimpers)	.85	1.10
10 and 12 ga. complete.		
Raisin Seeders	.50	1.05
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Barn Door Latches	.10	.20
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See Next Week's List  
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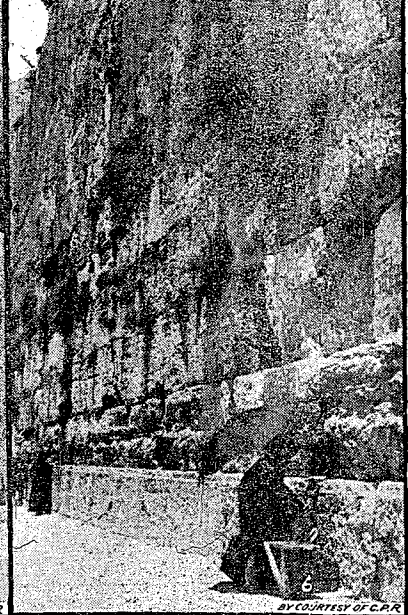
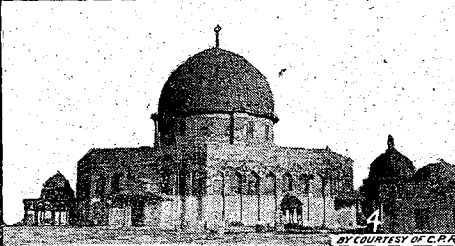
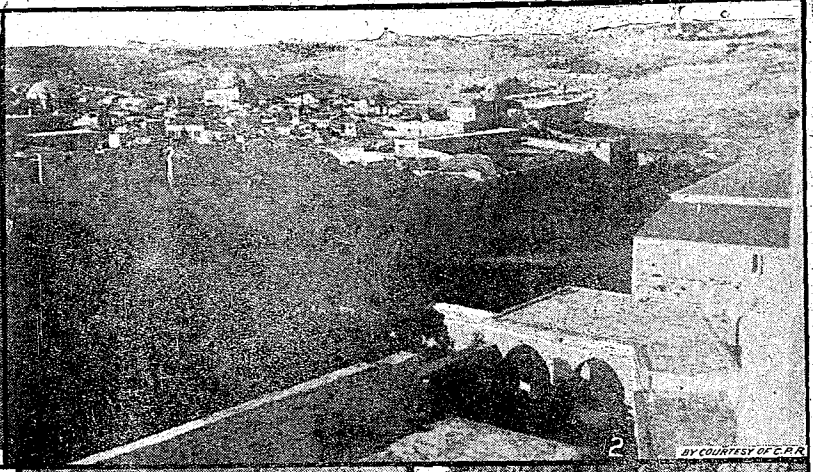
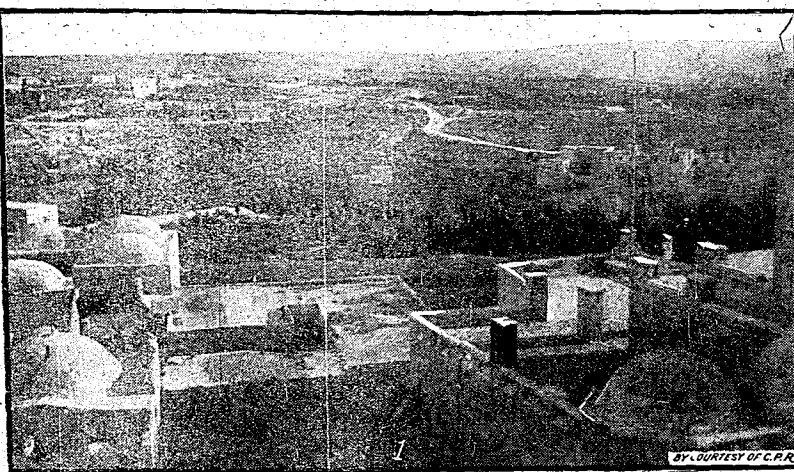




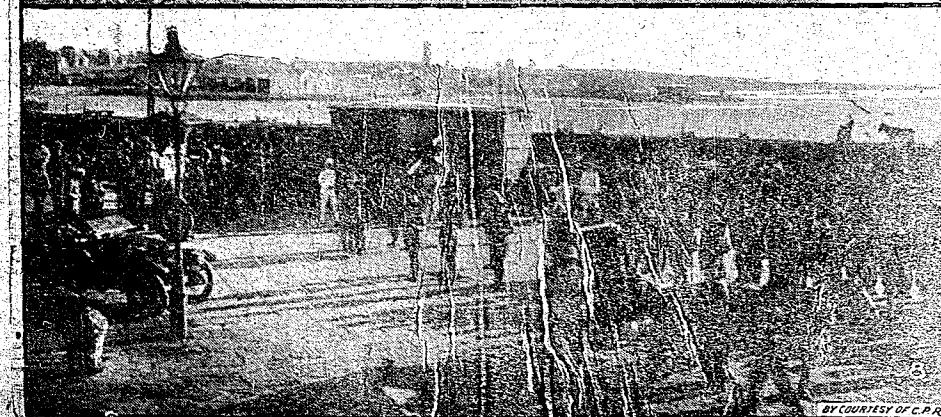
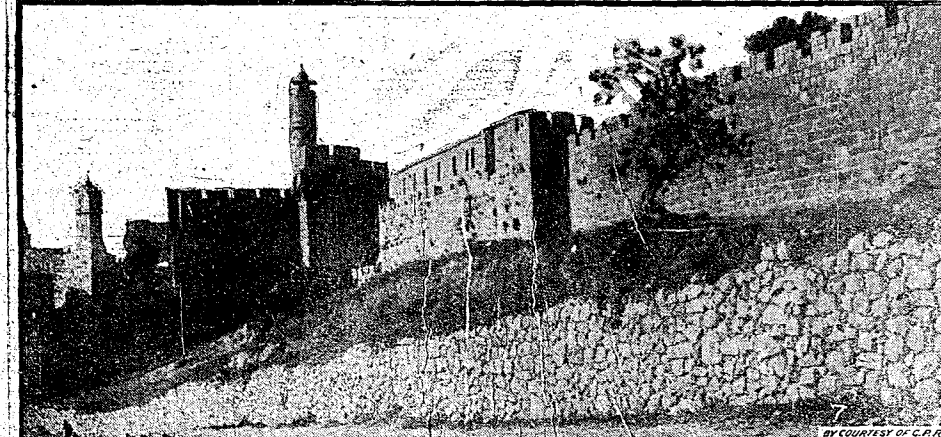




## BRITISH RULE IN PALESTINE --- JERUSALEM IN PICTURES



- (1) View of the new part of Jerusalem from the top of the wall.
- (2) Remarkable view of the old city with enclosing wall.
- (3) David Street, the main street of the old city.
- (4) The Mosque of Omar, which, after the famous Mecca, is the holiest spot of Mohammedism.
- (5) A typical Jerusalem Jew kissing the Holy Wailing Wall, according to the ordinance of tradition.
- (6) A close up view of the famous Wailing Wall.
- (7) A road along the Wall.—In the foreground is the Tower of David; in the background is the Jaffa Gate.
- (8) Lord Allenby talking to high military officials.



## PALESTINE AND THE EAST

Recent cables from London bring into prominence once again the always present Eastern Question. At a time when advanced thought in both India and Egypt is striving towards some form of self-government, the Soviet Government of Russia is, through their propagandists, offering these countries a short but terrible road to the attainment of this object, and the British Government is faced with another menace to its supremacy in the East. The results of a century of gradual advancement under British rule are threatened with destruction by the hordes of Bolshevik troops to the north of Palestine, Persia, and Afghanistan. A review of the events which led up to the occupation of Palestine throw an interesting light on one of the many grave problems which added to the anxieties of the Allied Command during the early years of the war. One has only to remember the spectacular tour of the German Emperor in this country a few years prior to the war, and his bold attempt to gain Mohammedan sympathies, to realise the main direction of German ambitions. The Berlin-Baghdad railway was promoted to create a striking effect on Eastern thought, and the whole policy of German endeavour from the commencement was to take the war into the East. Here, they assumed was the most vulnerable point in which to strike at the British, and what was probably of equal importance, to obtain the richest prizes. Hence we find the Allies, at a time when their utmost efforts were barely adequate to hold the enemy in Europe, compelled to divert large numbers of troops and war materials to the near East, in an endeavour to prevent the war from spreading into Asia. Our offensives in the Dardanelles, and our effort in this direction, and had we been successful then in linking up with the Russians, the course of the whole war would have undoubtedly been immeasurably affected in our favor. Its failure, however, transferred our active hostilities against the Turks from the heart to the outskirts of the Ottoman Empire. It was only by the capture of much territory in Palestine and Mesopotamia that a fresh barrier could be erected against the enemy's ambition, and so we arrived at the position in which behind our wars of aggression in these two countries. All our efforts in the desert east of the Suez Canal had been up to then prompted more by the necessity of protecting that important water-way and our responsibilities in Egypt, from the Turks than adding another considerable war to our other enormous enterprises. At this stage the work of driving the Turks out of Palestine became an imperative necessity. By a fortuitous combination of circumstances not altogether without precedent in British history, the full realization of the difficulties to be overcome was co-incident with the discovery of the right man who was capable of overcoming them. Of all the men who took part in that adventure of British Arms, General Allenby spared himself the least. He selected his staff by the measure of their intelligence and infused his officers and men with his own unflinching energy and enthusiasm. Lines of communication across an overwhelming stretch of arid desert between the Suez Canal and Gaza in the south of Palestine were re-organized. A gradually increasing collection of troops and material suitable for warfare in the hilly country around Jerusalem were concentrated and trained for the peculiar country they had to traverse, with the result that the subsequent advance was a triumph. The entry of General Allenby and his troops into Jerusalem coming as it did at a time of particular anxiety in the city, the theatre of the war would be difficult to over-estimate the superlative moral influence this achievement effected on the slaying powers of the whole Allied cause. Jerusalem has fallen, twenty-three times into the hands of an invading army, but never with less display of the pomp and panoply of war than this. Showing a fundamental appreciation of religious thought throughout the Christian and Mohammedan world, General Allenby entered this city of sacred associations with reverence and awe. If we contrast this with the theatrical display of magnificence and exultation of egotism which characterized the entry of the then German Emperor, we have a clear perception of the difference between the possession of the city for rule and the desire for domination.

General Allenby's capabilities for administration surpassed if possible his gift for military organization. The civil population of Palestine was in a deplorable condition, and only a people injured by centuries of misrule to an existence of extreme misery would have submitted to the exactions which the Turkish Government demanded of them during the war. The men and women had been forced into the worst forms of slavery and their crops and cattle commandeered for the Turkish army to such an extent that the whole country was on the verge of starvation. Streets were littered by the bodies of people in the last stages of exhaustion, and disease was rampant everywhere. The task of bringing succour, and a feeling of security to these unfortunate was completed under General Allenby's administration with a celerity which compels admiration. The future of these enormous Asiatic populations is a matter of grave concern to the world at large, and one which affects more than any other the problem of restoring peace and security to Humanity in all parts of the earth. Now there is a possibility that the half-dormant passions of the East may again be aroused and exploited by the strange and terrible power which has arisen from the Russian revolution. Nothing more regrettable than this could possibly happen at the present time. In time to come a Government may be formed in Russia which will be compatible with the requirements of other countries, but to accomplish that the Russians must first wade through a morass of violence, intrigue, and all the evils which attend them. No imagination is required to picture the horrors which would ensue if this Government in embryo carried its present pernicious influence to the people. The policy of the leaders of the Russian Soviet Government is possibly dictated more by the desperate nature of their position, than any desire for aggrandisement. Looting forays and the other dubious rewards of the freebooter are the only inducements they can offer their troops, and if these propensities are directed toward India and Egypt, the countries of Palestine and Mesopotamia may see another trial of strength on their historic battle-grounds.

## JEWS IN CANADA.

S. Woodworth, in his "The Stranger Within Our Gates," claims that there are over 100,000 Jews in Canada, of whom "in Montreal there are 40,000 to 45,000; in Toronto about 20,000; in Winnipeg, 13,000 to 14,000, and each city or town of any size has quite a large contingent." The first Jewish Synagogue in Montreal was established in 1788, so that the immigration of this race is clearly no new thing. The actual number of foreign-born classified in the Census of 1911 was 47,861, of whom nearly 34,000 came from Russia. The avidity of the Jew for education is generally admitted, and at least one of the Canadian Rhodes Scholars came of Jewish parents. Through their own charitable institutions, the Canadian Jews take care of their own poor to a large extent.



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## News of Westport

Capt. F. B. Lent and wife arrived home from their tour through the Province on the 17th via Yarmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Kenney arrived home the 17th from their visit to Boston and New York.

Capt. and Mrs. Earle Denton are enjoying a visit here during the ice-bound conditions.

Left for Yarmouth on the 21st by S. S. Cann, Capt. Arthur Payson who has been spending some three weeks' home. Robert Fries also left for a brief visit in Yarmouth and Pleasant Lake.

The I. O. O. Maccabees held their Anniversary on Friday, the 20th, in the Odd-fellows Hall.

George Peters, of Digby, is in town for a few days.

E. H. Sinclair, of Yarmouth, has been in town for a day or two on business.

Mr. Zelma Outhouse, of Tiverton, is the guest of Miss Helen Denton.

Some 30 ladies met in the Baptist Vestry on Friday afternoon, the 27th, for a social gathering.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. E. C. Bowers, while Mrs. L. T. Payson presided at the organ. An impressive hour was spent.

Thomas Pugh, sen., had the misfortune to fall on the ice and we understand is hurt somewhat. Hope he may soon recover.

Earle Porter who is travelling for The Frank Davis Co. spent several days recently with relatives here, and left for Yarmouth on the 21st.

## WEYMOUTH NORTH

Miss Leah Grant is visiting friends in Yarmouth.

Mrs. Mussels arrived Tuesday from Montreal, and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Journey.

Mr. Rennell Taylor and sister, Miss Ethel, went to Halifax on Saturday.

The W. C. T. U. meets with Mrs. Dunlop on Wednesday.

A number of men are digging camp for the Cannery factory.

John Dunlop returned from Halifax last week.

## TIVERTON

George Frost, of Little River, was in town recently on business.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Delina Outhouse on the sick list.

Miss Reta Robbins, who has been suffering with an ailment, we are pleased to report much better.

Miss Audrey Outhouse gave a birthday party to her young friends on Friday evening Feb. 20th.

Coughs and colds are the order of the day.

Gerald Bailey of Westport, was the guest of Kuel Outhouse a few days last week.

Henry O. House of Freeport, attended the funeral of his brother, the late friend of Outhouse on Sunday last.

Little May Glavin, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Llewellyn Outhouse, has returned to her home at 259 St. John St.

Miss Mary E. Outhouse, who has been ill, we are pleased to report improving.

Allen Berry, is suffering with a cancer on his face.

We are pleased to report Wm. Smith much better after his recent illness.

Miss Rani E. Outhouse is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Parker, at St. John.

Miss Zelma Outhouse, is visiting friends at Westport.

Ward Cossaboom, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Goudy, at Springfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Small, spent Sunday last with Mrs. Small's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Finigan.

Four young ladies were baptised by Rev. Mr. Steeves, pastor of the Baptist church on Sunday morning Feb. 22nd.

John Morehouse, of Sandy Cove, spent Sunday last with friends here.

## JOGGIN BRIDGE

The young folks report the skating and coasting the best of the season.

Sorry to report Mrs. W. R. Gillatt on the sick list.

Mrs. Norman Dukehouse spent Friday in Digby, the guest of Mrs. D. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Payson spent Sunday in Deep Brook, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Payton.

Daley Johns, of this village, was in Acaulville on Saturday.

Miss Wilhelmina Gillatt spent a few days last week in Smith's Cove, the guest of R. W. Gillatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson and daughter Letta, of Bear River, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wilson.

Mrs. C. W. Potter and son Gerald, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Charlton, Middleton.

Mrs. C. W. Potter is spending a few weeks in Hampton, where she is being treated for rheumatism.

The Misses Maud and Lucea, Winchester and Miss Gillatt called on friends in Acaulville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Woodman, of Digby, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Woodman.

Geo. W. Potter, entertained a few friends on Saturday evening.

Glad to report Henry J. Woodman, P. M., on the mend, after falling on the ice on Friday of last week.

C. A. Perry, the "Rawleigh Man," made a business trip through the village on Friday the 20th.

Mrs. Arthur Woodman and Miss Florence Woodman left on Wednesday for Massachusetts.

Our village shows the effects of Thursday's gale. Several pairs of glasses were broken, the old barn at Koop's Point was blown down and all buildings suffered more or less.

We are glad to report Reginald Gillatt, who served over four years in the army, has been rewarded the Mons Star and ribbon.

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## WINNIPEG MAN HAS GAINED 35 POUNDS

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My stomach was in an awful condition and I suffered so with indigestion that I ate hardly enough to keep alive. My nerves were completely shattered, and just to show you how nervous I was—a friend walked up behind me one day and slapped me on the back and I almost collapsed and he had to catch me to keep me from falling. It was out of the question for me to sleep at night and sometimes my nerves would be on edge so bad that I was even afraid to be alone in the dark and I couldn't stay in a room by myself. My kidneys were out of order and nearly all the time I had a pain across the small of my back, and I lost so much weight that I actually looked like a frame.

"One day my folks brought me a bottle of Tanlac, but I didn't want to take it because I had taken so many medicines that had done me no good that I was discouraged and didn't care how long I ever took any more medicine or not. But they insisted so that I finally consented to take it, and to my complete surprise I commenced feeling better right away, and by the time I had finished that first bottle I had improved so much that I was able to get down from myself and get my second bottle. Now I am on my fourth bottle and I never felt better in my life and I can do as hard a day's work as any man. My nerves are steady and I can stand any kind of noise. I eat anything I want, digest it perfectly and don't have indigestion or gas, and the pain across my back has completely disappeared. My kidneys are in fine condition and I sleep all night long as sound as a child and get up in the mornings feeling just fine. If any man had told me that Tanlac would do me just half as much good as it has, I would have laughed at him. As long as I live I will never be able to praise Tanlac enough for the wonderful good it has done me."

Tanlac is sold in Digby by P. W. Holdsworth; in Sandy Cove by Frank E. Rice; in Bear River by J. V. Harris; in Tiverton by Small Bros.; in Freeport by B. S. Bishop; in Westport by the E. C. Bowers, Co. Ltd.; and in Comeauville, by J. Aug. Comeau, J. A. Morehouse, Brightman, and Stella Marks, Meteghan.

## FREEPORT

Harry Prime, of St. John, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Perry were passengers by the Keith Can to St. John last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Small, of Tiverton, were the week end guests of Mrs. Leslie Finigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lent, of Westport, spent last week with friends here.

Miss Daisy Adams, of Tiverton, spent the week end with her parents here.

W. H. Stevens was a passenger to Westport last week.

## CENTREVILLE

The Methodists held their banquet in the interests of the Forward Movement, in the Hall here on Friday evening, Feb. 20th. About fifty sat down to the tables where cold chicken, vegetable salad, and other dainties were served.

Mrs. T. P. Rowlett and son Thomas were visiting relatives here last week.

Mrs. T. Robinson and Mrs. Sarah White, of Waterford, were the guests of Mrs. James Rideout on Sunday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Rideout on the arrival of a baby girl.

Rev. Wm. Owen spent part of last week here.

Mrs. Leonard Hubby returned home Monday last after a few days spent with friends in Lunenburg.

Rev. and Mrs. Elery G. Dakin arrived here Friday last from Bear River. They are visiting with Mr. Dakin's brother, Kenneth Dakin.

Charles Morton returned from Boston, Wednesday last bringing with him, his little son. He had not some time previous had accompanied his grandmother, Mrs. Adelaide Morton, to the United States.

The ladies of the Methodist Church expect to hold their annual donation during next week.

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## RAILWAY MAKES ANOTHER CHANGE IN THE PROPOSED NEW STATION

Council Decides To Buy Only Canadian Made Goods for Town Purposes—Other Routine Business

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held last Monday, at 8 o'clock in the Council Chamber.

Present:—His Worship, the Mayor, and Councillors Anderson, George Keen, S. A. Keen, McPhee, Read and Smallie.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the council held on the 26th of January last and of the special meeting of the council held on the 9th inst., were read and approved. The monthly report of G. A. Vye, superintendent of streets and water, was read as follows:—

Digby, N. S. Feb. 23, 1920.

To His Worship the Mayor and Council:

GENTLEMEN:—I wish to make the following report. Work done on streets has been clearing snow by shovelling and road plough. Keeping ditches open to carry away water and putting gravel on sidewalks.

Work done on hydrant, corner Maiden Lane and Prince William Street, has been taken up and systems repaired for Mr. Seabey and Mr. Cossabomb, of Treby House.

In the summer it will be necessary to make repairs on dam, put new side frames in gate house, also new screen frames, a flush valve on main line in Town, a number of gates taken up and replaced with new. Cost approximately \$500.

On motion of Councillors Anderson and Read, the report was received and adopted.

The report of W. F. Read, M. D., Health Officer, was read as follows:—

Digby, January 31, 1920.

To His Worship the Mayor and Council of Digby

I hereby present my report as Health Officer for two months, as my election to the Council necessitates some one else carrying on the work of Health Officer.

We have been free from epidemic disease for a long time, but the prevalence of influenza in the private makes it necessary for our Health Board to be on the alert to combat any recurrence of last year's epidemic.

I think some encouragement should be given to the movement for a District Nurse and social worker, so that we will be ready for any public health work, and inspection of school children as is carried on in so many places and as other Towns are doing.

The sanitary conditions of our School House are very bad and the use of the Council as a County Academy should be condemned, and this matter should be taken up with the Inspector and District Board for next meeting, looking to a better building.

Some steps should be taken to ascertain the cost of a large sewer to carry off the sewage from the many private septic tanks now emptying on our water front which are both unsightly and unsanitary.

On motion of Councillors Smallie and Read, the report was received.

Letter of W. E. Hattie, M. D., Provincial Health Officer, was read asking the Council to appoint a Committee to confer with a Committee from the Municipal Council in reference to the establishment of a County Health Clinic.

By Councillor Read, seconded by Councillor George Keen, that a Committee of this Council be appointed to confer with the Com-

mittee of the Municipal Council appointed for that purpose in reference to the establishment of a County Health Clinic, and report back to this Council. Carried.

Moved by Councillor McPhee, seconded by Councillor George Keen that Councillors Read, Anderson and Smallie be and constitute the Committee. Carried.

Letter of J. S. Willison, President of Canadian Reconstruction Association, was read and on motion of Councillors Anderson and McPhee, the following resolution was passed:—

Resolved that this Council endorse the principle that public supplies be purchased in Canada whenever they can be secured from Canadian factories at reasonable prices, and further that all Municipal Officers in making purchases shall be and hereby are requested to consider the possibility of securing Canadian products.

The following Bills were reported up by the Finance Committee:—

H. B. Short.....	2.50
G. A. Vye.....	1.50
Horton Cart.....	3.50
Digby Courier.....	50.61
W. E. Van Blarcom.....	75.67
J. L. Brown.....	25.35
A. Milne Fraser.....	25.15
J. W. Abrahamson.....	8.40
G. A. Vye.....	3.50
George Post.....	7.20
Maritime Telephone Co., Ltd.....	7.20
Halifax Industrial School.....	123.13
Bay Street & Water.....	179.18

On motion of Councillors S. A. Keen and McPhee the bills were ordered to be paid.

A. D. Daley addressed the Council in reference to an all night electric light service during the summer months. He wanted the Council to make him a grant of \$2,000 a night on account of the expense of operating the service. The management of "The Pines Hotel" had consented to make him an extra grant to assist in defraying the expense of operating the service. In his opinion, it was most necessary to have an all night service during the tourist season.

O. C. Jones addressed the Council in reference to the same matter. He said it was absolutely necessary for the summer hotels to have an all night service during the tourist season. If Mr. Daley could not make the necessary financial arrangements to give an all night service, the management of "The Pines Hotel" proposed to put in an electric light system of their own. Rather than do this however, they were willing to give Mr. Daley an extra grant to assist him in operating the service if the Town would also make him a grant.

Moved by Councillor Smallie, (Continued on page Eight.)

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

I am well satisfied with the replies coming in from the request I made last week. The first came to hand only an hour or two after the paper had been issued; others arrived during that day and Saturday, including a telephone message from a Port Wadsworth man who said that the first thing the Port Wadsworth people read was the "Bird's Eye View." There have been up to the time this was written (Monday) about a dozen replies and all urge me to keep writing these letters. I thank you for the many kind remarks.

One of the writers asked for my opinion re the band. I do not know of any way of expressing my thoughts better than by re-producing the following which I had clipped from a recent issue of the Canadian Bandsman, intending to use it sometime.

In speaking about bands, and town bands in particular, we sometimes hear people carelessly say, "What good is a band in a town, anyway?" Well, first take inventory of the fellow who makes the remark. You may have reason to allow the silly question to go unanswered. But regarding the remark more seriously, let us say that a good band is one of the most useful things a town or community can possess. It is one of the best advertisement a town can have.

Emerson says something about the world making a beaten path. Well, a good band will make all the roads leading to the town beaten paths, even though the town's other attractions be not enormous; every merchant is benefitted by a good band. Many people come to town to attend the delightful entertainments, and they combine shopping with pleasure. The promoters of business and musical enterprises always have the satisfaction of knowing that their civic demonstrations from time to time will be successful, because they have a first-class band.

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Every enterprising citizen will boost the band of his town wherever he goes—Canadian Bandsman.

But right here I have a few words to say to the members of the band and they are: that no band leader, no matter how good a mixer, a success of a band unless he has the support of ALL the members. A leader has the right to expect such support and would be a very poor specimen of man indeed if he went out into the highways and byways to beg the members to come to practice. Yet I am afraid that is what the Digby band expects its leaders to do. Instead of coming out practice nights as they should they want to be coaxed and this is especially true of a few of the best players who evidently have such an idea of their own importance that they fully expect to be coaxed to attend practices and are offended if they are not. In order to make the band a success they must do better and come out of their own accord.

But enough of the band; now I am going to revert to the school because that is a matter which affects the whole town, present and future. I am glad that the rent I have already made have commenced to bear fruit. The Canadian Woman's Club sent a committee to investigate and this committee have reported to the parent body that conditions were much worse than they had been lead to expect. They have adopted a number of recommendations for improvement and will have a committee at the next meeting of the school board to present them. More power to them!

As I was watching a load of apple and cherry wood being unloaded the other day I wondered how many trees had been cut this winter. There must have been an enormous number of the clearing out of these old trees cannot but have a beneficial effect provided that new orchards are planted to take their place. I heard of one man who had evidently never read the story of the goose that laid the golden

egg. He owned a productive orchard which had produced very highly this last season, but the fact that his neighbors were getting thirty cents a hundred weight for their old trees made him covetous—and he cut his trees and sold them. That man is certainly one, d—d big fool, and should have a leather medal for stupidity.

But speaking of trees generally those who own any woodland at all must have made money this year. There has not been such a good winter in the woods for years and the hauling was never better, taking the winter all through. And the prices were the highest on record. But still if you could hear them tick at the prices they were asked to pay for what they want to buy you would think they were the most abused creatures on earth. Funny, isn't it, how the viewpoint changes when you are selling or buying. If you have anything to sell and then add a little, but how like the devil if the fellow you are buying from attempts to get back at you. We are funny creatures after all.

And when you stop and consider, how little the average business man knows of real business. There are very few real merchants, and these few set the prices as a general thing. The others, who really do not understand the art of merchandising so thoroughly, follow the leader just as sheep will follow a leader anywhere. Isn't that so, now. Suppose a merchant in a town handling any necessity, puts the price up a cent or two, doesn't every other business man do the same? Or suppose a merchant has a special order for some one commodity, say eggs for instance, and in order to get them offered five cents more than the market price. Doesn't every other man handling eggs come up to the same price regardless as to whether market conditions generally warrant such an increase or not.

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money' because they were all charging too much, they didn't carry a good quality of goods and they were not a bit accommodating. I sent to Toronto for my dry goods, because our stores at home do not keep any assortment. In fact, I had sent "my money" anywhere I wanted to because I earned it and it was "my money." But, now, is my money? If I am under obligation to give up part of it to the government, the schools, roads and bridges, churches and the hundred and one different things that are a part of my community, then why am I not under equal obligation to the very heart of my town—that without which there would be no town?

If there was not a blacksmith shop where I could spend it for repairs, a tailor shop where I could spend it for work and cleaning, a grocery store where I could spend it for food, a dry goods store where I could spend it for dry goods, a school where I could spend it for learning, a bank where I could leave my valuables for safe keeping, a printing office where I could have my printing done, a dentist where I could get my teeth fixed, a lawyer where I could get legal advice—if there were none of these and other institutions, what would be the town?—if all the people in town did all their business affairs "anywhere they pleased" meaning, "anywhere except home," where would be all these business institutions?—and if I am under obligation to support the street, why not the institutions that contribute to the support of the village light, why not the business house in front of the light? If I am obliged to contribute to the health department, why not to the home doctor, who is there on the job? Am I not under moral obligation to play fair with every institution which makes the town? If I want to be a good citizen can I truthfully say that is "my money" and I am going to see that no one of our home institutions gets the handling of it? Can I be honest with myself and with my fellow citizens by playing Chinaman and take everything out without putting anything in?

Yours truly,

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## WHERE SHALL I SPEND MY EARNINGS?

An Able Letter on a Man's Duty to His Town Which Should Be Read by Everyone.

While it must be conceded that as a general principle one has a right to spend his money as he pleases, one cannot but feel that that should exercise certain restraint upon one. But really is "my money" that I earn? If I can earn \$2,500 a year, I may think it is mine to do with as I please. But as I may be thinking that way, along comes the Government and says to me: Two per cent, of what I have earned over \$2,000 is mine in the shape of income tax. I may feel like objecting, but on second thought I say nothing and fork over. Hardly am I through when along comes the assessor and tells me to go and hand some of "my money" to the support of the schools. Now, I kick of course, but I hand it over, only to be told by the collector that that is not enough, I must hand over some more of "my money" to the keeping up of roads, bridges, electric lights, county home, etc., etc. I kick worse than ever, but I have learned I must pay, and I pay. That part of it is not "my money." Thinking I am through paying out "my money" without getting any tangible returns, I bundle up what I have left and as I get ready to tie up the stocking I am going to hide it in, along comes the church treasurer and tells me to hand one-tenth of one per cent, or more is required to pay preacher's salary and heat the church during the winter. I know this cannot be collected by law, but I make use of the church sometimes or I might want to have my funeral there some day, so I pay. Then comes the lodge, the community picnic, the honor to Mrs. Black whose husband died and left her six children, the choral society, whist club and other social functions. True I did not have to "pony up" to any of these institutions but I want to be a good citizen and my civic pride did not permit me to be a slacker. I had now contributed of "my money" to almost everything in the town except to the town itself, that is, to that

which makes the town, that without which there would be no town—its business institutions.

I had sent my washing to the next town because I did not like the way the laundryman's children talked to my children.

I had sent my glasses to "the city" to be repaired; our own optician being a neighbor, don't know anything.

I had sent to Halifax for a carpenter to fix my sidewalk, because our home carpenter lived in too good a house. I sent to St. John for my gasoline, to Moncton for my chicken feed and to Toronto for my groceries. I wasn't going to let our business men have any of "my

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Way back in the 16th century in a beautiful city of Italy, called Florence, a few gentlemen gathered together to discuss how to discover or recover the music of the ancient dramatic, which had been lost for many centuries. The names of these gentlemen were Galileo, father of the astronomer, Caccini, Peri, Strezzi, Renuccini and some others.

They met at the palace of Giovanni Bardi, and they called themselves "La Camerata." They talked of the ancient Greeks and of the Romans who sang their tragedies throughout on the stage, accompanied by an orchestra of lyres and flutes. This group of men thought it would be a great thing, and worth the effort to revive that same kind of stately entertainment.

RENUCCINI

One man of this company named Renuccini, wrote a story for a drama and named it "Dafne," and produced it at the house of Count Corsi, but the score has been lost. Three years later the same man, Renuccini, wrote another poem, the story of a musician named Orpheus, and the opera was named "Euridice." Two musicians of the company, Peri and Caccini, wrote music to it, but the music of Peri was considered most appropriate. This opera "Euridice" is considered the first opera ever written, and was presented at the festivities celebrating the entrance of Henry IV. of France, to Marie de Medici.

This little gathering of men who worked out this opera intended it to be a revival of Greek musical work, but in place of that, they unknowingly became the originators of opera as we have it to-day. "Euridice" contains the great principle of the modern opera. Renuccini even wrote the libretto for the opera "Arianna" and "Orfeo." The music was written by Monteverde.

MONTEVERDE

The father of instrumentation is Monteverde. He was the first to put character to the orchestra. To the opera "Orfeo" he collected an orchestra of more than 30 instruments. Monteverde is the man that invented the tremolo and pizzicato in violin playing. His orchestra consisted of such instruments as flutes, lutes, viols, harpsichords or spinet, and the orchestra was always placed behind the scenes. So far all operas had been performed in large houses or castles and not until the opera was in vogue thirty-seven years later, was an opera house built. The first opera house was built in Venice and from this time on the growth of opera spread into other large cities particularly Vienna and Paris.

LULLI

A boy named Lulli was brought from Italy when a child and worked in Paris in the kitchen of the niece of Grand Condé, later being disgraced. His musical ability earned for him a position as violinist in the King's band. He afterwards became the greatest musician of that time. Lulli wrote 20 operas in less than that number of years, and he is regarded as the originator of the overture. He is also called the father of Grand Opera, and is immortalized as having put the French school on a firm basis.

HANDEL

Handel was born about one month earlier than the great J. S. Bach in the year 1685 and lived 74 years. His father was a barber, and was strong against Handel being a

musician. It was his desire that young George should be a lawyer. He was not allowed to attend school because he would be taught the scale but somehow a small piano called a spinet was smuggled up in only the beating of the Tom-Tom, to the garret and George learned to and the acting was the wild movement of the war dance. We now regard opera as a great display of action, beautiful scenic effect, a big orchestra and fine singing. The aim of the opera is to interpret the drama, yet there is little speaking, much singing. There are student will hear that work; it is the various forms of opera and I will mention just the most important: opera ballad—sentimental; opera buffa—comic or low comedy; opera seria—dramatic, grand opera; high musical character.

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Another man I wish to speak of is Gluck, a great original thinker. He made some changes in opera. He was born in 1714 in Bohemia but studied opera in Italy, but the latter part of his life was spent in Paris. Gluck broadened out opera, also making the overture convey the character of the play to the spectator. Against Gluck was placed another musician named Piccini. In 1776 this man and his party sought to oppose Gluck by introducing the old form of Italian opera. He aroused great sensation and considerable party feeling. The musical world was split into two powerful parties, Gluckists and Piccinists, and there was a great fight, although no record of actual music named. Orpheus, and the opera was named "Euridice." Two musicians of the company, Peri and Caccini, wrote music to it, but the music of Peri was considered most appropriate. This opera "Euridice" is considered the first opera ever written, and was presented at the festivities celebrating the entrance of Henry IV. of France, to Marie de Medici.

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If there was not a blacksmith shop where I could spend it for repairs, a tailor shop where I could spend it for work and cleaning, a grocery store where I could spend it for food, a dry goods store where I could spend it for dry goods, a school where I could spend it for learning, a bank where I could leave my valuables for safe keeping, a printing office where I could have my printing done, a dentist where I could get my teeth fixed, a lawyer where I could get legal advice—if there were none of these and other institutions, what would be the town?—if all the people in town did all their business affairs "anywhere they pleased" meaning, "anywhere except home," where would be all these business institutions?—and if I am under obligation to support the street, why not the institutions that contribute to the support of the village light, why not the business house in front of the light? If I am obliged to contribute to the health department, why not to the home doctor, who is there on the job? Am I not under moral obligation to play fair with every institution which makes the town? If I want to be a good citizen can I truthfully say that is "my money" and I am going to see that no one of our home institutions gets the handling of it? Can I be honest with myself and with my fellow citizens by playing Chinaman and take everything out without putting anything in?

Opera cannot be spoken without the name of Wagner. Wagner is spoken of as the reformer of opera. He made it more real. He arranged that music be set to words and not words to music. Wagner is the most important figure in all the three hundred years of opera. He brought music to its true purpose to support the poem to strengthen the expression and feeling. The world is willing to say that the art for which the nineteenth century will be best remembered is the musical and dramatic art of Richard Wagner.

In closing, it will be seen that Italy is first responsible for opera and Italy is justly proud of the honor, also that Verdi, the grand old man in opera of the 19th century, was an Italian. Verdi was born in 1814 and died 1901. He wrote many operas and his opera Falstaff is supposed to be his masterpiece and was written when 80 years of age.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

W. E. McNeill has arrived in Digby to take a position on the Royal Bank staff. Rev. George C. Durkee of Little River, was at the Baptist Church on Wednesday of this week.

Halton A. Wright, of Amherst, spent a few days this week the guest of his father, LeCain Wright.

Miss Annie Vye, who has been in St. John and Moncton for the past four weeks has returned home.

Mrs. E. M. Bolen, of Everett, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman VanTassel, Bay Road.

H. O. Turnbull, of St. John, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O. Turnbull, of Light House Road.

Ralph S. Gates, Inspector of the Royal Bank, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jean deLaffer, Weymouth.

Fred McCormick, Bridgetown, was in town on Monday to attend the funeral of his brother in law, the late W. B. Stewart.

Mrs. E. C. Soloway, of Tiverton, returned on Saturday last from St. John, where she was attending the millinery opening.

Mrs. A. J. Lutz, of Moncton, arrived on Tuesday via Halifax, and spent a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vye.

Miss Carrie VanTassel, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen VanTassel, was a passenger to St. John Tuesday.

William E. Miller and son, Roy D., who last week were guests at the Grand Yarmouth on Saturday returned to their home in Bear River.

John Pugh, of Parker-Bakins Co., Yarmouth, left by steamer, Capt. Cann Tuesday morning to visit his former home in Westport.

Miss Alice M. Hatfield was in town on Wednesday returning home from Yarmouth on a four month trip to Bermuda. She was a guest at the "Green Gables" while here.

Charlie Smith, mail driver between Barton and North Range railway station, went to Bridgetown Monday to attend the funeral of his late uncle, Mr. Arthur Mesinger, of Centerville.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer G. Dakin have been visiting relatives at Centerville, Digby Co., for the past week. Mr. Dakin has accepted a call to the United Baptist Church at Springfield, and takes his present leave of absence.

Miss Gladys Sullivan completed her training nurse's course at the Yarmouth Hospital last week and on Monday morning sailed with highest honors. Miss Sullivan arrived here the same day to spend a vacation at her home in Digby.

Many persons throughout Western Nova Scotia will be pleased to hear that General Manager Graham, of the D. A. R., has so far recovered from the very serious illness which he sustained several weeks ago in the railway wreck at North Bay, Ontario, as to be able to return to his home in Kentville, where he arrived Tuesday morning by way of Truro.

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Mrs. J. E. D. Major, of Annapolis, and Mrs. S. Wood, of Digby, are sisters of Wm. Dakin, of Digby, and Mrs. Moody, of Yarmouth, are half-sisters.

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## THE LATE W. B. STEWART.

Not only the town of Digby but the whole county is now mourning the loss of one of the most widely known and most deeply respected members of the community.

William Bullock Stewart, Esq., was the son of Henry and Charlotte Stewart, and the grandson of John Stewart, one of the earliest settlers in the town of Digby.

He was born July 29, 1844, and was baptised Nov. 17 of the same year by the Rev. John H. B. Stewart, of the parish of St. John and Moncton.

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## ANNUAL CRUSADE MEETING OF THE W. M. A. S.

The Women's Missionary and Society of the Baptist Church held its annual crusade meeting on Thursday evening of last week.

The President, Mrs. H. H. Harvey, made careful preparations for the meeting but was unable to attend on account of indisposition. The pastor of the church presided. After devotional exercises Mrs. Harvey and Miss H. H. Harvey sang a duet, Miss H. H. Campbell gave a reading, and the male quartette rendered a selection. The evening was made up by the chairman who also gave a couple of readings. Refreshments were served by the ladies and all present enjoyed a season of sociability. A resolution of sympathy with Mrs. Harvey in her illness and appreciation of her faithful labor in the society was proposed by Mr. E. W. Vane and seconded by Mrs. M. O. Tanton.

The offering for the missionary funds of the society amounted to \$14.00, seventy dollars, being in excess of the offering given last year. In spite of the Forward Movement funds were just completed.

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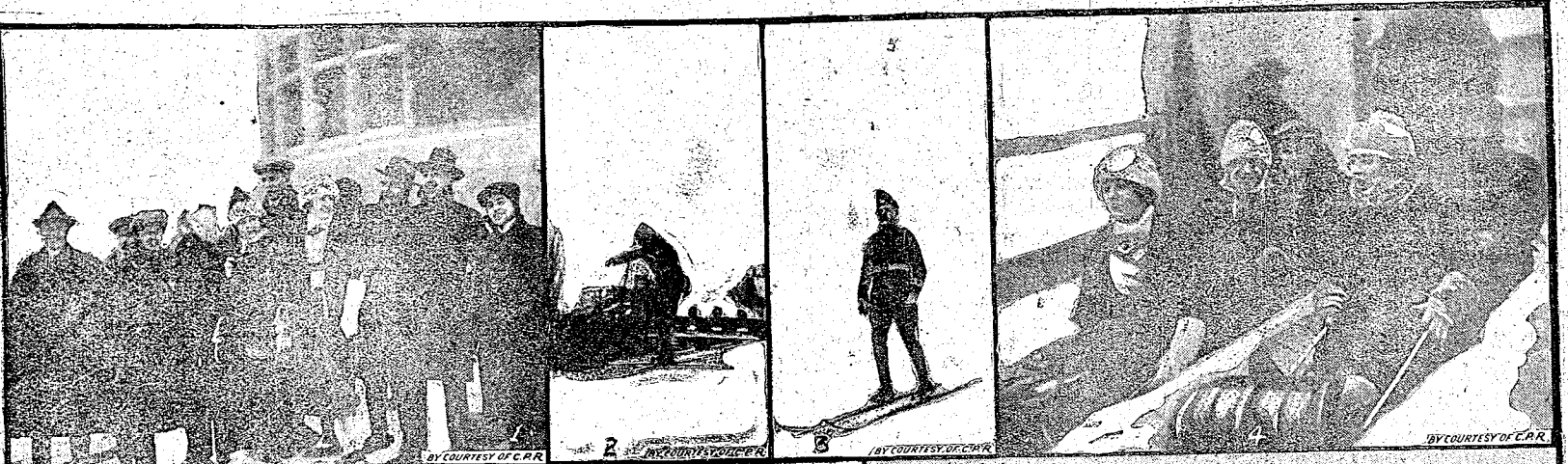
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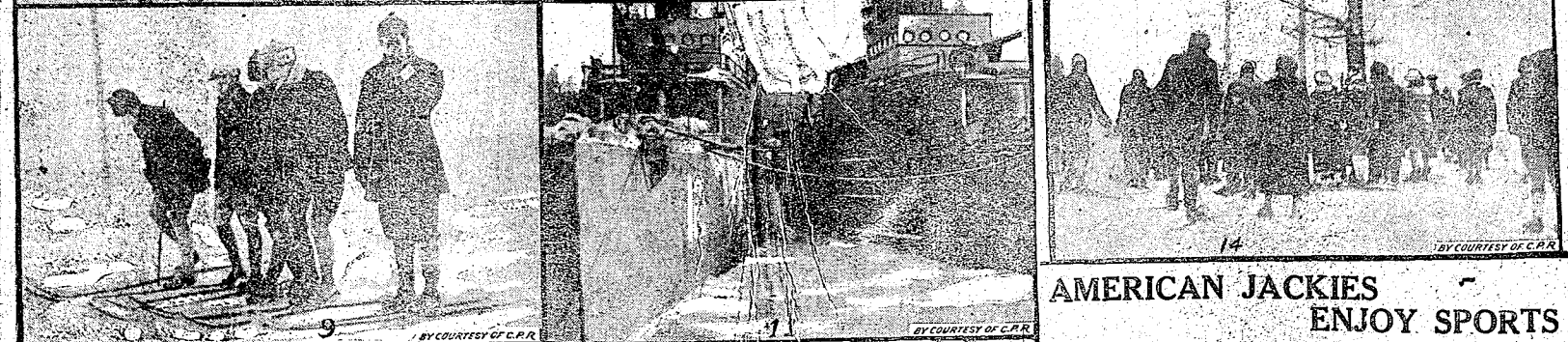
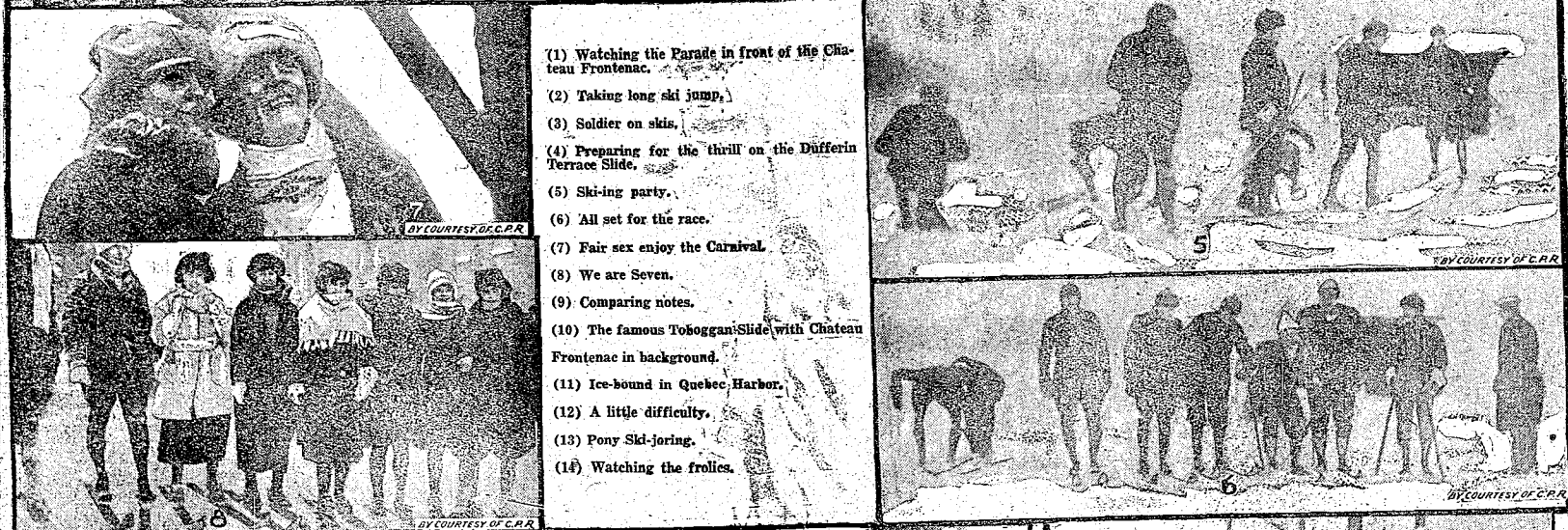
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## WINTER SPORT SEASON OPENS IN PICTURESQUE QUEBEC



- (1) Watching the Parade in front of the Chateau Frontenac.
- (2) Taking long ski jump.
- (3) Soldier on skis.
- (4) Preparing for the thrill on the Dufferin Terrace Slide.
- (5) Skiing party.
- (6) All set for the race.
- (7) Fair sex enjoy the Carnival.
- (8) We are Seven.
- (9) Comparing notes.
- (10) The famous Toboggan Slide with Chateau Frontenac in background.
- (11) Ice-bound in Quebec Harbor.
- (12) A little difficulty.
- (13) Pony Ski-joring.
- (14) Watching the frolics.



## AMERICAN JACKIES ENJOY SPORTS

"Here we go by wireless!" shouted an American Jackie as he and three companions boarded a land going toboggan at the top of Quebec's big Winter Carnival toboggan slide.

"Is it fast?" I asked, glancing from the three glistening tracks toward Dufferin Terrace and the Chateau Frontenac far below. The dazzling winter sun was reflected from the ice-clad heights from which Count de Frontenac defied the feet of Sir William Phillips 200 years ago, and from the arctic ice fields ebbing seaward down the picturesque St. Lawrence. Intrenched on the same heights, too, in 1776, General Guy Carleton and his British troops repelled the attacks of Arnold and Montgomery, the invading army representing Britain's reviving colonies in the thirteen original states.

"Is it fast buddy?" said the Jackie. "Hu! An aeroplane in a 'Tin Lizzie' by comparison. 2-2-2-2-1 Zip! This slide is regular wireless stuff. Call me back or have me paged, please. Aw revvah, moooooh!"

And with a happy yell and a British flag in one hand and "Old Glory" in the other, the four sailors from Florida, Kansas, Oregon and New York, shot away from the Chateau and in twenty seconds were a quarter of a mile distant, mixed up in a most beautiful spill at the bottom of the slide.

These boys were but four of a big detachment from eight Eagle boats en route from Detroit to Florida and caught in the ice at Quebec until next Spring, and they were doing their Yankee level-best to help Quebec open its big Winter Sports Carnival, in the year 1920. The night before they had turned out for the big masquerade parade which formerly started the carnival and had marched through Quebec's quiet narrow streets, with hundreds of snowshoes and skis, dressed in their picturesque costumes and carrying colored lights.

During the war, Quebec, like the rest of Canada, led no heart for winter sports, but she is now in pre-war form and the Winter Sports Committee has arranged a splendid program for every week-end and week-day from now until well past the middle of February.

Beyond question, the Dufferin Terrace toboggan slide is the best Quebec has ever had, and it has no equal in North America. The curlers are busy on several rinks, there are hockey matches every night, snowshoes and ski clubs take long tramps across the country with the best of snow and ice under foot; every great winter sport is being enjoyed to the limit. Society dances, curls and toboggans at the Chateau, takes its tea and visits the innumerable points of historic interest, in North America's oldest and quaintest city.

Now and then the mercury takes a drop below zero, but on many days all the winter sports and drives may be enjoyed with no discomfort whatever. Quebec's sun is warm and intensely bright when it shines and beneath it Quebec's mantle of snowy ermine seems studded with millions of jewels.

The big days of the Winter carnival officially proclaimed by Mayor Lavigne, are Feb. 14, 15, 16 and 17. On Feb. 14th there will be a great parade of Quebec's many snowshoe clubs with allegoric cars, a big smoker and fireworks. In the evening the St. Patrick Hockey team will meet the Arona team. On Sunday, the 14th, the "Falcon Canadienne des Raquetteurs" will take part in a most picturesque church parade, there will be horse races on the ice at Quebec Exhibition Park and ski racing on d'Auteuil Hill for ladies and gentlemen. A luncheon, dance and smoker will wind up a very busy day.

There will be a great variety of sports and social features staged for Feb. 16 and 17, and the Winter Carnival will close on the evening of Feb. 17 with a grand Mardi-Gras Parade.



# Say You Fellows

Have you looked over our stock of Waterproof Special Boots? Just the

## Foot Gear for these Slushy Days

Saves you the bother with rubbers and still you'll have Dry Feet. We have these lines in two styles and in colours Black and Mahogany. Come in and see them.

### Digby Boot and Shoe Store

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## Annual Sale of White Muslin Underwear

—AT—

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Women's Night Robes,	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75
2.00, 2.25, 2.50, and 2.75 each.	
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White Muslin Drawers,	.50 .75 and \$1.00 pair
Misses' " "	.65 and .95 pair
Children's " "	.35 and .50
Corset Covers,	.30, .45, .50, .70, .75 and \$1.00 each.
Women's Envelope Chemise	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.55, \$1.75
2.00, 2.25 each.	
Women's White Muslin Underskirts	1.25, 1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25 and 2.50 each.

Soliciting your, White wear business, We are, Yours truly,

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Experienced mothers say Zam-Buk is best for children's injuries and skin troubles, because:

It is herbal—no poisonous mineral coloring.

It is antiseptic—prevents cuts and burns taking the wrong way.

It is soothing—ends pain quickly.

Just as good for grown-ups.

Sold at all stores and druggists.

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## STEELE BRIGGS SEEDS

**BIGGER CROPS FROM BETTER SEEDS**  
SOLD BY LEADING MERCHANTS THROUGHOUT CANADA  
WRITE FOR NEW CATALOG  
HAMILTON - TORONTO - WINNIPEG  
"CANADA'S GREATEST SEED HOUSE"

### Advertising Talk

WHEN you put an ad in The Courier you send your message into 2,500 homes. Allowing the small average of five to a family, that means that your message appeals to 12,500 possible buyers.

If an advertisement costs you \$3.00 per week it is at the rate of \$1.00 per 835 families or \$1.00 per 4,175 possible buyers—10c per 417 buyers—1c per 42 buyers.

Is there any cheaper way of placing your business message before the people of Digby and the surrounding country than by an advertisement in The Courier?

THINK IT OVER.

### New Suits are Expensive.

If the clothes you are now wearing are properly looked after you need not go to the expense of a new suit just yet. We can clean, repair and press yours so that they look as well as a suit just from the maker's hands—and the cost is not high either.

George A. Muise, Water Street Digby

### A GOOD WORD FOR DIGBY.

"The Old Man" who rambles up and down the Valley, writing articles for the Halifax Chronicle, had the following in his last letter:

In a recent article of mine I referred to the progressive city of Digby, particularly noting the fact that they had the names of their streets displayed at the intersections of each street, something that none of our other Valley towns have, as far as I know. Naturally, I gave my friend Jones, of the Prince, the credit for this up-to-date item, knowing him to be some hustler. Now it appears that I was wrong in my conclusion. I know, of course, that there were thousands of Smiths scattered over this country, but who in Saint Hill would ever have supposed that Digby had more than one Jones, had two of them in fact, and stranger still, both hustlers—and it wasn't my friend Jones, of the Prince, who as Mayor of the town, was responsible for those modern street signs, but THE OTHER Jones, so it is up to me to make the amends honorably. I have remained one comfort, however, and that is, that my own friend Jones was a member of the Town Council at the time, and consequently must have had a hand in the matter, but is too modest to claim any credit.

TO BYRON BLACKFORD.

"Ferryman" Byron Blackford, Digby "Courier" report of appointments in Polling District No. 13, Tiverton, at the Annual Meeting of the Municipal Council, 1920.

Dear "By": For thirty years, And more, You've been our genial Guide, Philosopher

And Friend Where'er it was our fate To cross "Petite" In rain and sun, Fog, and snow and mist You've been our pilot true. Storms could not stay you Nor the nor'wester's blast. You've laughed and joked With us, and made us feel The joy of life.

And know a real Man, And, too, a friend "By" When you pass on, A century from now, And Charon comes To ferry you across the Styx, You'll find awaiting you Upon the Golden Strand, With outstretched hands, Your own best company.

The women you have helped, The men you've cheered, The girls you've teased, The old men you have loved; And Heaven will be a fair place To dwell

And Nova Scotia a lovelier land To journey through Because our faithful Ferryman Has gone!

T. F. A. Boston, February 27th, 1920.

BARTON AND BRIGHTON.

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. W. D. C. on the arrival of a son, Feb. 28. Miss Hazel Lamberton, who has been spending several weeks with her parents here has returned to Boston, Mass.

Sorry to report Mrs. Carl Dakin's little daughter, Uta, on the sick list.

Edward Smith, who has been spending a few days at his home here has returned to St. John.

We are glad to hear that Miss Oda Vanhouson has recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Grace McKay arrived home Monday.

The sum of \$31.50 was realized at the social held by the United Workers in Union hall a short time ago.

Mrs. Hannah Armstrong, of Bloomfield, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neill last week.

Mrs. Arthur Powell and son Hartley, who have been spending several months with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Denton, have returned to their home in Tiverton.

The United Workers met at the home of Mrs. F. W. Hutchinson on Tuesday evening last.

Edward Smith of St. John spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith, Barton.

Miss Nettie O'Neill has been sick with measles.

Charles E. Smith went to Bridgetown Monday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Arthur Messenger.

TIVERTON

Miss Audrey Outhouse has gone to Freeport, to spend a few months.

Miss Zelma Outhouse, has returned from her visit at Westport.

Amos E. Outhouse spent Sunday last at his home in Sandy Cove.

Mrs. F. C. Soloway has returned from St. John with a large supply of spring and summer millinery.

Mrs. Marilla Walker, who has been in poor health for a number of months, we are pleased to report improving.

We are sorry to report James Cosaboon, sr., falling in health.

Mr. Mrs. Ernest McDonald, of Westport, were in town last week.

We are pleased to report Mr. Herbert Outhouse improving after a successful operation in the Infirmary at St. John.

ACACIAVILLE

Miss Lena Goldsmith, of Perlette, Annapolis Co., is visiting Mrs. Stuart Goldsmith.

Quite a number from here enjoyed a sleigh drive to North Range on Saturday night and were well entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vian Andrews.

On Tuesday night a sleighing party from Deep Brook were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roope spent the week end last week at the home of Mr. Potter, at Clementsville.

The Women's Institute has been re-organized under the leadership of Mrs. John Palsler. They are going to make an effort to raise some funds to clean up the cemetery.

The recent tour of the Prince of Wales in Canada and the United States was officially filmed, 15,000 feet being required for the Canadian visit alone.

In the rural districts of Australia many of the horses wear cowhide shoes.

## Double Murder and Suicide but--

but for the Grace of God NOT long and a shamefully wronged husband started out to do away with his wife and the destroyer of his home. HE was intercepted, reason- ed with, pleaded with. After two days and two nights spent in prayer and meditation, through the manifestation of the Holy Spirit, he was turned from his intense and terrible passion to a magnificent attitude of forgiveness.

THE husband through- out which husband and wife were reconciled—and a ghastly tragedy prevented—was a Salvation Army Officer.

SUCH a change of heart wrought by the Spirit is not rare in the world-wide experience of the Salvation Army.

## 308 Service Posts in this Territory. Use them!

### WEXMOUTH NORTH

Wm. Nesbitt returned from St. John last week.

Miss Geraldine Fitzgerald, who came home from St. John ill, we are glad to say is out again.

A number of persons at present are confined to their beds with the gripe.

Gordon Grant and Angus Thurler are home from New Brunswick where they have been working in the woods.

Clair Nicholl, Yarmouth, spent last Sunday here with friends. We are glad he is returning for good April 1st, to conduct his former business.

Wm. Stevens, Freeport, was the guest last week of H. M. Nallan.

John Rankley, Halifax, is spending a few days with his wife at her father's, Wm. Leat.

Arch and Sydney Thurler are home from St. John.

John Task, Little River, spent Friday with his sister-in-law, Mrs. H. B. Fitzgerald.

Burrill Thurler is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Gordon Grant.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Grant on the birth of a daughter, Feb. 28th, Delta.

Mrs. Lydia Grant returned to Easton last week.

We are sorry to report our post mistress, Miss Janet Fay, confined to the bed through illness, her place is being ably filled by Rev. J. H. Copeland.

There is no complete divorce in Ireland. The law that misnamed couples could obtain is "judicial separation," which does not permit remarriage.

The criminal records show that the most cases of murder occur in January, June and August, and the fewest in November, December and February.

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70 YEARS

Seventy years ago when our grand- parents were young, they treated their colds and coughs, etc. with what was considered the reliable cough medicine.

**SHARP'S BALSAM**  
of Horchound and Anise Seed

Since then it has been the family remedy for coughs, colds, croup, sore throat, asthma, etc. It is good for your grandparents and the children—it will do you and your children good.

IN MARCH 1852  
Mr. W. Smith of Studholm, N.B., writes—  
"For sixteen years I suffered from asthma, and was obliged to use every remedy known to me, but without effect, until I obtained some Sharp's Balsam (which was recommended to me) and after using two bottles, I found the relief to be long-lasting."

When you need a cough medicine ask for the famous Sharp's Balsam. Sold by all general stores everywhere—25c.

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Dr. DeVan's French Pills  
A reliable Regulating Pill for Women  
Is a box Sold at all Drug Stores, or mailed to any address on receipt of price. The Best Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ontario.

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Restores Vain and Vitality; for Nerve and Brain Disorders, Nervousness, etc. Tonic—will build you up. 42c a box, or two for \$1.00. Sold by all Drug Stores, or mailed to any address on receipt of price. The Best Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ontario.

**John's Cotton Root Compound**  
A safe, reliable regulating medicine. Sold in No. 1, \$1.00; No. 2, \$2.00; No. 3, \$3.00 per box. Sold by all Drug Stores, or mailed to any address on receipt of price. The Best Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ontario.

**THE COOK MEDICINE CO.**  
TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Walker)

### EASTON

Mrs. Lydia Grant who has been spending a few weeks with her son, Gordon, at Weymouth North, is home again.

Leonard Mullen, who is engaged with the Hamilton Lumbering Company, spent Sunday last at home.

Mrs. Alfred Grant visited friends at New Tuscot last Sunday.

Miss Elsie Mullen, who is staying with Mrs. Breton Mullen, made a visit home last week.

Miss Irene Mullen, who has been staying for some time with Mrs. Byron Ziegler, at South Saugey, has returned home and gone to Weymouth North for work.

We are glad to report Mrs. Enock Mullen able to be about again after her fall on the ice on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Sophonisba Sadson, of New Tuscot, spent last week with Mrs. Charles Mullen.

Mrs. Charles Mullen visited friends at New Tuscot, on Monday and Tuesday last.

Douglas Gates, who is engaged with the Hamilton Lumbering Company, spent Saturday and Sunday last at home.

There seems to be no fear of God before men's eyes in these days of Sabbath breaking. Three Sundays in succession there have been teams loaded and driven in the woods to save losing Mondays.

There are less extremes of wealth and poverty in France than in any other country.

In Holland the breeding of cats for the sake of their fur is a recognized industry.

Music as a curative power was employed by the Romans in cases of gout and sciatica.

Owing to the increase in size of our brains, it is stated, our skulls are becoming thinner.

**Why?**  
Proof is positive when founded upon facts plus experience. BEECHAM'S PILLS have been used for 60 years by people all over the globe.

**BEECHAM'S PILLS**  
The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World.  
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"You don't need mercury, potash or any other strong mineral to cure pimples caused by poor blood. Take Extract of Root—druggist call it 'Mother Selig's Curative Syrup'—and your skin will clear up as fresh as a baby's. It will sweeten your stomach and regulate your bowels." Get the genuine. 50c and \$1.00 Bottles. At drug stores.

**HALF A CENTURY**  
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Any doctor will tell you that to keep your feet dry is the

**First Real Safeguard**  
against influenza.

**Rose Leather Dressing**  
a positive waterproofing compound for all leathers, applied to your boots once a week will assure you dry, warm feet. Rose Dressing is absolutely proof against snags or salt water. One dressing will last one week. A 50c box will dress 50 pairs of boots. Safeguard your health.

Keep your feet dry. Call today and buy a box.

**G. H. Holdsworth, Digby**

## A FEW DONT'S

DONT buy the cheapest Farming Tools and expect the best service.

DONT buy the cheapest Fertilizers and expect maximum crops.

DONT buy a cheap engine and expect the maximum amount of work.

DONT buy your machine where you cannot get repairs.

DONT put off ordering repairs until you need them.

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## A STRONG PLEA FOR JUSTICE TO THE VETERANS

A Local Writer Claims the Union Government Has Failed and That a New Leader Should Take Charge.

To the Editor of the Courier:

SIR: You are to be commended for your desire to cater to the wants of the people and I trust that if I attempt to widen the range you will recognize the fact that my article is appropriate of the times, that my motive is unselfish when I state that it may meet with general approval of the numerous readers of your valuable paper.

I have always looked upon the press as the barometer of public opinion, the most vital force in the community for good or for evil, a dangerous agent when used by the unscrupulous, or a mighty friend when its editorials reflect the feeling of the people.

Canada is passing through the "testing time" of history, and the next few years will tell whether our great country has taken her rightful place among the mighty nations or whether we are destined to rub shoulders with protectors.

A country may have a population of virile, intelligent and industrious people, its resources may be unlimited, its commercial possibilities may be beyond the wildest dreams of the most enthusiastic trader, but what does it all avail if the Government of that country does not measure up to the standard necessary to take advantage of the possibilities, and capable, fearless administration of public duties.

Hon. W. L. McKenzie King, leader of the Liberal party, has moved an amendment to the speech from the throne. He calls upon the Government to introduce the Franchise Act and appeal to the public at a general election. If Mr. King is right we should have an election, if he is wrong we should not.

I want to tell every one of your readers why I think he is right, and if my humble opinion is wrong I stand corrected. The union government was elected on a war time issue, and with the advent of peace that mission was ended. But even had the government represented the will of the people I do not believe that there would be any desire for an

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## Sap Pails and Spiles

Our stock of the above is fairly complete but we could advise buying early as prices are constantly advancing.

Imported Pails (long pattern) 25c each  
Our Make (short pattern) 25c each  
Steel Spiles \$2.00 per 100  
Eureka Pattern  
Auger Bits and Augers  
In many sizes.

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## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Geel! But I think I must have got them going on the school story. People are waking up, aren't they. And it is about time, too, believe me, particularly if all the stories we hear about the sanitary conditions are true—and I have no reason for doubting them. Well, I am glad, because it is certainly our duty to take care of the health and morals of our little ones while we are trying to give them an education. With the doctors, the ministers and the school board itself—to say nothing of the anonymous correspondents backing us up—there should be something doing before long.

That editorial last week on the subject of the measurement of fire wood was a timely one and I trust will have a good effect. It is astonishing how many people are being "gouged," every week in this respect. Have you taken much notice of the wood yourself, Mr. Editor? Do you know that the majority of the cord wood brought into town is not three feet in diameter long? I have been told that Annapolis handles this business in a good way, by having an official measurer of wood in each end of the town and all vendors are required to get their wood measured as they bring it in; the measurer hands them a slip giving the official size of the load and the customers pay for just what they get. That may be a good idea for our council to act upon. We should have a bye-law compelling every one who brings a load of wood into town for sale to get it measured by an official measurer, then there should be no grounds for complaint on the part of the buyer. By the way I heard the sequel of your editorial.

Last night I felt to dreaming about our good old town—I thought the red brick school house at last had tumbled down. The pupils all were shouting: Around the heap debris, and dancing, as they shouted, in most unholly glee.

"No more," I heard them shouting: "Within those musty walls Shall we be forced to stay The castle in the walls. No more that pigsty basement Our play ground at recess; Gales that wrought your ruin With all our hearts we bleed."

Then they formed in procession And marched in double file. Their voices blending sweetly, On every face a smile: "We are of greater value," They sang with all their might, "Than calves and little piglets In the taxpayer's sight."

They marched toward a temple Built on the Golden Rule. One hundred and thirty officers and over twelve hundred men from Syria, Palestine and Egypt, landed at Plymouth, Great Britain, from the Cunard liner Portor.

While going home, a young Dover (C.B.) girl named Wenborn was asked the way by a soldier. Shortly afterwards she found a quantity of her hair had been cut off.

## FAREWELL TO POPULAR CLERGYMAN

The Karsdale and Island Bible Classes Held Interesting Meeting.

At the session of the Karsdale Union Bible Class held at the home of Miss Bertha Hudson, March 2nd in which the Island Class institution joined, the Rev. Mr. Brindley, who is leaving this week for his new charge in St. John, was presented with a beautiful club bag by the Karsdale Class. Mr. Brindley, in his address, Mr. Brindley replied in an appropriate manner.

J. N. Winchester, president of the Island Class, made a very appropriate address and Miss Betts followed in a happy speech; then music and refreshments closed the function.

To the Rev. Isaac Brindley, retiring pastor of the Lower Granville United Baptist Church. Reverend and Dear Brother:—The Karsdale Union Bible Class having heard with deep regret that you have accepted a call to one of the churches of your denomination in the City of St. John, N.B., cannot permit this opportunity to pass without expressing to you your sorrow that the intimate friendly relationship of the past years is to be severed at the same time to express their gratitude for the valuable service you have rendered to the class. Without regard to personal comfort, or the important sacrifice made, you have given your best to our organization and to that fact we attribute in a great measure our success.

Your clear analytical mind, happy command of expression, have made our sessions not only a measure of enlightenment in matters pertaining to the Holy Scriptures, but a source of great spiritual strengthening. Our church presence will be gone, your musical gifts will be exerted in another place but the recollection of the happy hours spent together will never fade from memory. We extend to you our best wishes in the new and important work you are to take up. May God in his infinite love grant you strength and Divine wisdom in the discharge of your new trust and may long life and a career of great usefulness be consecrated to you. If in the order of Providence some of us are to see you one day—some time in the Paradise of God where we shall hear that grand welcome "enter thee into the joy of thy Lord"—from that Jesus, whom you have in eloquent terms besought us to accept and love.

Please accept in behalf of the class; this small gift as a slight token of regard and appreciation. In behalf of the Karsdale Union Bible Class.

E. H. PORTER, President. Karsdale, March 2nd, 1920.

A widow, named Lizzie Green, was found immersed to the waist, head foremost, in a waterbutt, at a house at Lincoln, Eng., where she acted as house keeper. She was dead when the discovery was made.

It seems that the vendor did not take the wood away from the hotel man but left it there to be paid for later. You said the hotel man got an official measurer but the vendor refused to take his figures and engaged another measurer on his own accord. But the figures of both agreed—that the pile of wood which he was selling for a cord and a half was quite a little short of a cord when piled properly. I don't know on what basis it was paid for at last but I would like to, and if I find out I will let you know.

I did not intend to say anything more about the school in this letter but as I finished the last paragraph the editor sent me the following piece of news (which he thought I might like to use and so here goes:

Last night I felt to dreaming about our good old town—I thought the red brick school house at last had tumbled down. The pupils all were shouting: Around the heap debris, and dancing, as they shouted, in most unholly glee.

"No more," I heard them shouting: "Within those musty walls Shall we be forced to stay The castle in the walls. No more that pigsty basement Our play ground at recess; Gales that wrought your ruin With all our hearts we bleed."

Then they formed in procession And marched in double file. Their voices blending sweetly, On every face a smile: "We are of greater value," They sang with all their might, "Than calves and little piglets In the taxpayer's sight."

They marched toward a temple Built on the Golden Rule. One hundred and thirty officers and over twelve hundred men from Syria, Palestine and Egypt, landed at Plymouth, Great Britain, from the Cunard liner Portor.

While going home, a young Dover (C.B.) girl named Wenborn was asked the way by a soldier. Shortly afterwards she found a quantity of her hair had been cut off.

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And just above the portal Was written, "Digby School." And all around about it Were these words to be read: "Thru the procession halted, For someone barred its way."

I hastened to discover Who was the cruel fiend That had thus barred the way, And forced their ranks to halt. When I beheld a monster, On guard before the gate, To whom I cried, "Sir, open, In the name of Church and state."

He frowned in horrid fashion And shook his fist at me, "I will not let you enter, I'm faithful," said he, "I don't believe in progress, Your dream shall not come true. Go back to your old quarters, They're good enough for you."

In mingled fear and anger I then began to scream, Waking myself from slumber To find it all a dream. Good citizens of Digby, I now appeal to you, Shut down your old monster, And let my dream come true.

This town seems to be some gay little spot this winter. What with receptions, dances, "at homes," societies and parties—something for every night in the week with frequent overappings—I really do not see how the young people get enough rest. When I was a youngster (you will notice I am not saying whether I was a boy or a girl) if we had invitations for two or three parties a season we were having a great time and our grandmothers wondered "what had got into the young people now." And I wonder how much of the present unrest and high cost of living can be attributed to this very thing—love of a good time.

## AERONAUT.

## A FEW REMARKS FROM LITTLE RIVER

To the Editor of the Courier:

SIR: After reading the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Municipal Council and going over the estimate for the ensuing year I find a vote of money to amount of \$27,786.00. For the year 1919, I am informed, the estimates were \$19,868.00. Now rate payers that do not look like reducing our taxes as we were promised. Where is the man who made the motion and had it passed to have our road taxes raised from 40 cts. to 50 cts. on the hundred dollars, which will amount to about \$2,000 more, making the estimate to be raised above the last vote of money about \$10,000 more than last year? Now rate payers what do you think of this? Does it look like reducing our taxes? I am quite positive when the collectors come around for our taxes we will have to cut the seventh commandment out. Where is the farmer with his apples, who, in a very inflammatory manner, preached the same to my riot—that our taxes would be reduced if we would vote for a new council? But after learning and diagnosing his life we find he was a divorced collector of taxes that wanted the job for a life time. Don't you think it will be cheaper in the future to raise our own squash and get our rubber boots at T. Eaton's?

KATE PAYER, Little River, March 2nd.

A large British mine has been fished up thirty miles east of Bridlington Bay, England, by the Grimsby trawler Roynall.

A child has been born in a caravan in Newport (Mon.) Castle which was erected in 1120 by Robert, Earl of Gloucester.

The British War Office reports that since the Armistice 3,893,149 officers and men have been demobilized or discharged from the army.

From May 1, 1919, to January 29, of this year the Handley-Page commercial aeroplanes carried 4,061 passengers and 14,805 pounds of freight between Paris and Brussels. In that period 74,743 miles were flown.

A new British army order announces the decision of the Army Council to reintroduce in the case of regular officer examinations for promotion from the rank of lieutenant to that of captain, and from the rank of captain to that of major.

## A DIGBY FAN WRITES OF OUR AMATEUR BAND AND GIVES SOME GOOD ADVICE

To the Editor of the Courier:

SIR:—I read each week the columns in the Courier that are devoted to music. I do so because I take an interest in music, and a still greater interest in preserving in our community a musical organization that Digby can feel proud to possess.

I am a musician, but when I say the bass drum is my favorite instrument there will no doubt be many so called musicians who will dispute my claim to the title. The bass drum, that thin round cylinder of wood with its tightly drawn heads of calf skin on which the performer performs with a stick resembling an old fashioned potato masher. When this instrument is accompanied by a full band of excellent musicians, as when its musical qualities appeals to me the most. I have in mind the many pleasant evenings I spent last summer when, in company with my friend the Musical Critic, I occupied a place among the crowd of citizens and tourists gathered on a certain evening each week about the Band Stand to enjoy the excellent music furnished by the Digby Amateur Concert Band.

It was on one of these particular evenings that I remarked to the Musical Critic, "What judging from the size of the crowd assembled here, it seemed to me as if all the people in Digby were music lovers and took a great pride in their band." He replied that if the happiness that prevailed amongst them and the encores the band was receiving meant anything, meant that my judgment was not at fault but that the time would tell. Just then the band started playing and I was robbed of an explanation of his last remark. He was a queer cuss anyway and had a habit of making witty remarks. All through the piece the Musical Critic tried to think what he meant by this remark in connection with music lovers. To the best of the drum I kept repeating over and over "time would tell." "Time would tell." I tried to think what he meant by it. Did he mean that, in time, perhaps less than ten years, all these citizens would cease to be music lovers and allow this excellent band to become broken up? "What!" I exclaimed to myself "the thing is impossible." I laughed at the idea.

Digby without its weekly band concerts next summer. Digby a tourist resort. Digby that wants advertising. Digby that desires a place on the map.

But just the same I felt rotten; the drum seemed to talk in a muffled roll, my senses were all a-tingle; at last I could stand the strain no longer so doubling up my fist I punched the Musical Critic in the ribs, and said, "Damn your old pessimistic hide, what did you mean when you said time would tell? Spit it out or else you and I from this moment cease to be friends." He saw I was in earnest and hurried to explain himself thus: "You must already know that the musicians who compose the band, which is playing here this evening are young working men of Digby and vicinity, and did it ever occur to you that not a single one of them was ever enriched by one cent for his services in the band? There is lots of hard work in connection with it. If you want to be convinced in this matter, drop in the band room some evening when they are at practice. Some of the numbers in order to be here to night had to walk several miles and

that after a hard day's work. They have to do the same to attend practice once or twice a week. It costs money to keep a band going—rents, lights, fire and leader's salary are some of the expenses in connection with it.

"So what I meant by the remark 'that time would tell' was that if the music lovers of Digby are not both to donate towards the upkeep of this organization and also the business men of Digby who can not help but recognize in the D. A. C. band the greatest booster the town ever possessed, do their part, then my remark that 'time would tell' stands either way, you care to take it. For if they do as they should the band remains with us. If they don't it goes under."

When the musical critic finished his explanation, I felt a lot better, because my own common sense told me that the people of Digby were not fools to allow an excellent band like this to go to pieces for the want of proper support.

The bass drum assumed again its soft and musical tone. Being interested in the bass drum as a musical instrument, it was only natural that I should take some interest in the drummer. I had often noticed that he occasionally whilst the band was playing, left off beating his instrument and would only start again when the leader shook his stick at him. This act on the part of the drummer caused me to labour under the impression that he was inclined to be lazy. It was the musical critic who put me right, by informing me that the drummer's music score contained rests where he was not supposed to play. So when I learned later on that the drummer was one of the band members who worked in town all day at his trade then walked home that evening a distance of two miles, did his chores about the farm, then walked back to town again to play in the band for the benefit of myself and the people of Digby, I immediately came to the conclusion that the one who wrote that music must have known the full circumstances of the case, and showed his good sense by favoring the drummer with a few rests. I will also say that if, at any time in the

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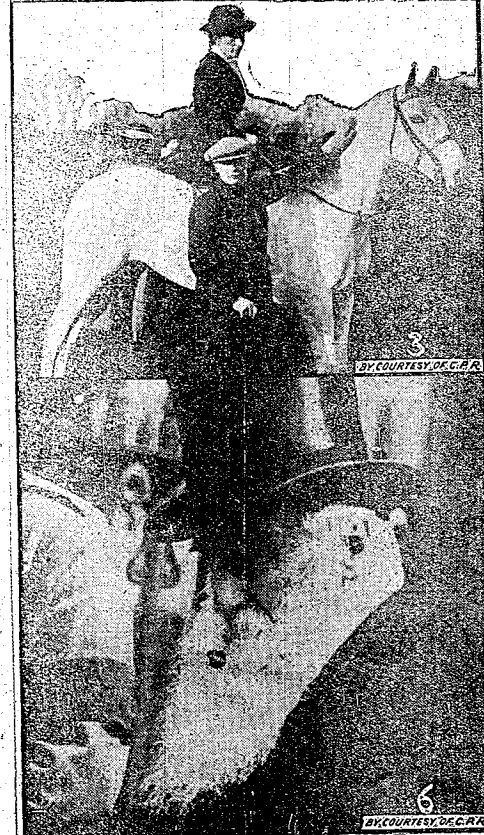
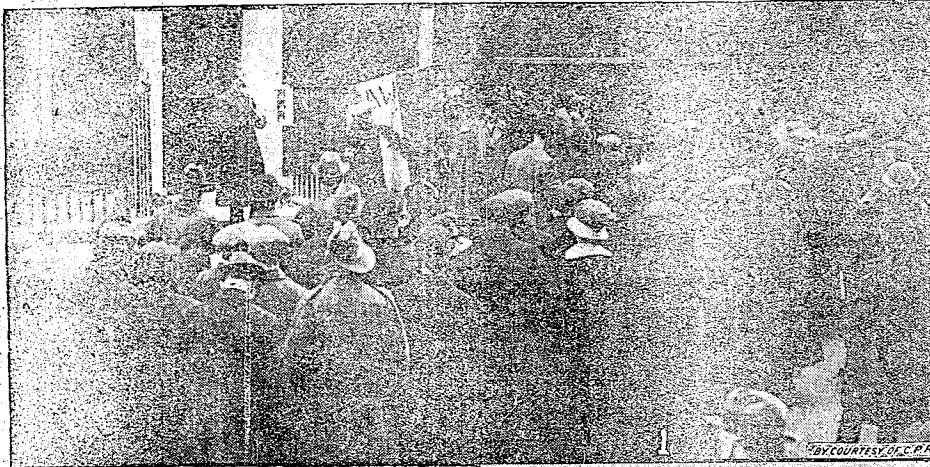
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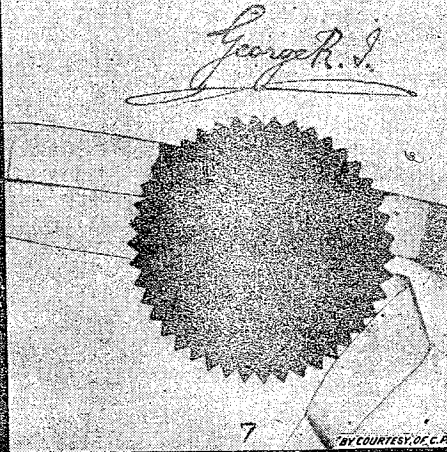




# NEWS IN PICTURES AT HOME AND ABROAD



**Speech** at Our Court of St. James, the eighth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen, and in the Tenth year of Our Reign.



(1) A deputation of Whitehall War Office girl clerks who have been mobilized visit Downing Street to state their grievances, the crowd looking on.

(2) The Dublin Motor Drivers' strike was so serious that the city was practically without motor traffic. Extra police patrolled the streets, and the military had to fetch their own patrol under armed guard.

(3) Queen Maud of Norway and Prince Olaf, at the West Norfolk Fox Hunt. They were accompanied by King George and the Queen, Queen Alexandra, Prince Albert and Princess Mary.

(4) Inoculation against influenza has become almost as popular as vaccination against small-pox in England.

(5) Viscount Grey's arrival home from Washington. This is the first time he has been seen without his glasses for many years.

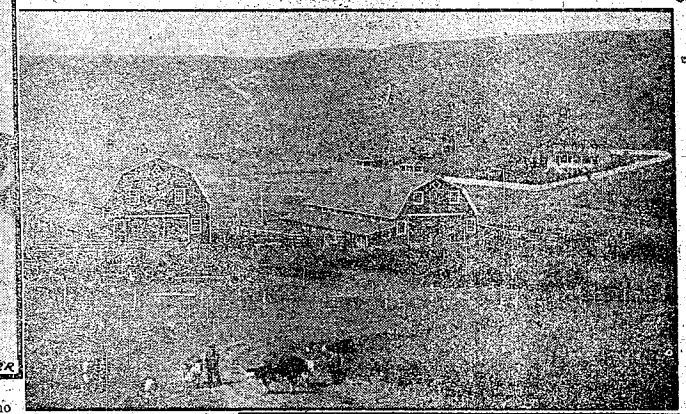
(6) The Rt. Hon. Sir Dighton Probyn, Comptroller to Queen Alexandra, has just celebrated his 87th birthday.

(7) King George's signature to the Great German Peace Treaty.

(8) Recent destruction to Rockaway Beach, New York, by wind and sea, destroyed four hotels and thousands of other buildings, value estimated at \$2,000,000.



## PROMOTING PURE BRED CATTLE



The livestock men of Alberta have adopted a novel means of promoting their industry, and, incidentally, of bringing to the notice of the people both within and without the province, the standing of Alberta as a livestock country.

Thirteen of the largest breeders have donated thirteen steers, mostly purebreds, to the University Farm without any charge whatsoever. These steers represent the cream of twenty-four of Alberta's leading herds, and constitute what is thought to be the finest selection of its kind owned by any institution in Canada.

During the past a number of grade steers had been bought from time to time by the University Farm for judging purposes for the students of the College of Agriculture. The best of these were shown at the local live stock shows and, later sold. It was next to impossible however to secure the class of stock best suited to this purpose with the funds available, as it entailed going to the larger breeders and paying top prices for selected individuals, and in all probability the breeders would not care to dispose of the animals of the age most suitable. It was felt that this work could be made more valuable to the province at large if instead of using ordinary grade steers, animals of higher merit could be obtained. In any case the cost of labor, food and housing would be the same.

To Professor A. A. Dowell, Chief of the Department of Animal Husbandry, of the University of Alberta, came an inspiration whereby the University was able to get the required animals without paying a cent for them, yet giving their owners a good return. It appears that there are a number of breeders in the province of Alberta who are not in a position to do their own fitting and showing. Consequently their herds suffer from a lack of advertisement. Prof. A. Dowell evolved a plan by which the breeders in this position would get their herds advertised at the exhibitions, and the University Farm the desired class of animals. The plan suggested was that the breeders donate five or six calves of the three leading beef breeds, and the University would use them for judging purposes for two seasons, and exhibit them at the International Live Stock Show at Chicago. Practically all of the

breeders approached were perfectly willing to assist in carrying out this scheme. The plan was submitted to the Alberta Breeders' Association at their annual convention held at Calgary last May and, receiving the entire approval of the Association, twenty-four breeders offered the best calves of their herds.

Immediate steps were taken to visit the various farms, and after three months' thirteen calves were selected from the twenty-four herds. Grades were not selected, but pure breeds were preferred.

The big difficulty that Prof. Dowell had in selecting these calves was not getting the owners to consent to part with them, but rather in refusing animals from breeders who offered them. Many of the breeders actually urged the University to send a representative to their farms, and take the best of any of their calves. What is most outstanding about these calves is their uniformity, quality, and also their age. At the present time most of them are from five to seven months old, and without exception they weigh all around a placard hanging over each stall denotes the breeder, and the breeding of each animal. The animals are kept for the plank of competition and it is the expression of many of the leading live stock men visiting the stables from time to time that, collectively, they are the finest lot of steers of their age owned by any one concern in Canada today.

They represent the very best that there is in Alberta. The best two or three animals of each breed will be exhibited at the International Stock Show at Chicago next fall by the University. The selections will be made by a committee appointed by each breed Association. All of the above will be shown individually, and each will stand upon its own merits. If the steers in this exhibit make a creditable showing in Chicago, it should prove an excellent advertisement for their breeders, as well as for best producers and farmers generally, not only in Alberta, but throughout Western Canada. On the other hand, it gives to the students of the College of Agriculture, the future breeders of the Province, absolutely the best class of live stock for their judging work. The live stock breeders who have made it possible for the University to assemble these excellent animals, and from whose farms the selections were made, are as follows: Short-horns, The Hon. Duncan Marshall, Oids; Geo. & Lane Company, High River; Two pure bred shorthorn calves were added from the University Farm, Herford, John Wilson, Innisfail; S. N. Mace, High River; Curtiss Cattle Company, Sheppard; J. McD. Davidson, Coal Dale; V. W. Smith, Camrose; and Pym Bros. Mirror, Aberdeen Angus, A. E. Noad, Oids; C. H. Richardson, Bowden; Edmonton, South; Canada Land and Irrigation Company, Medicine Hat; and J. D. McGregor, Brandon, Man. The total number of calves including the two added from the University Farm is fifteen.

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## North of Fifty-Three

Bertrand W. Sinclair

### SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—The story opens in the town of Granville, Ontario, where Miss Hazel Weir is employed as a stenographer in the office of Harrington and Bush. She is engaged to Jack Barrow, a young real estate agent, and the wedding day is set. While waiting with him one Sunday afternoon, Mr. Bush, Hazel's employer, who for the first time seems to notice her attractiveness, shortly afterwards, at her request, she becomes his private stenographer. After this, Mr. Bush proposes marriage, which Hazel declines, and after a stormy scene in which Hazel leaves her employment, Mr. Bush warns her he would make her sorry for refusing him.

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with long strides. Hat in hand, he bowed to her. "Miss Hazel Weir, I believe?" he interrogated.

"Yes," she confirmed.

"I am the 'Times' Miss Weir," Grinnell went straight to the business in hand. "You are aware, I presume, that Mr. Andrew Bush will pay a sum of money under rather peculiar conditions—that is, the biggest sum worked in a peculiar way. Probably you have seen a reference to it in the papers. It has caused a great deal of interest. The 'Times' would be pleased to have a statement from you which will tend to set at rest the curiosity of the public. Some of the other papers have indulged in unpleasant innuendo. We would be pleased to publish your side of the matter."

"I have no statement to make," Hazel said coolly. "I am not in the least concerned with what the papers print or what the people say. I absolutely refuse to discuss the matter."

Grinnell continued to point out—with the persistence and persuasive logic of a good newspaper man bent on learning what his paper wants to know—the desirability of her giving forth a statement. And in the midst of his argument Hazel bade him a curt "good evening" and vanished. On Barrow's step with her Grinnell got it up for a bad job, evidently, for he turned back.

They walked five blocks without a word. Hazel glanced at Barrow now and then, and observed with an uncomfortable sinking of the heart that he was sullen, openly resentful, suspicious.

"Johnnie-boy," she said suddenly, "don't look so cross. Surely you don't blame me because Mr. Bush will make a sum of money in a way that makes people wonder?"

"I can't understand it at all," he said slowly. "It's very peculiar and decidedly unpleasant. Why should he leave you money at all? And why should he want the will as he did? What would anyone do with it?"

"None," Hazel answered shortly. His tone wounded her, cut her deep, so eloquent was it of distrust. "The only wrong he has done me lies in willing me that money as he did."

"But there's an explanation for that," Barrow declared moodily. "There's a key to the mystery, and if anybody has it you have. What is it?"

"Jack," Hazel pleaded, "don't take that tone with me. I can't stand it—I won't. I'm not a little child to be scolded and browbeaten. This morning when you telephoned you were almost in tears, and it hurt my feelings. You're angry now, and suspicious. You seem to think I must have done some dreadful thing. I know where you're thinking. The Gazette hinted at some 'affair' between me and Mr. Bush; that possibly that was a sort of left-handed reparation for railing me. If that didn't make me angry, it would amuse me—it's absurd. Haven't you any faith in me at all? I haven't done anything to be ashamed of. I've got nothing to conceal."

"Don't conceal it, then," Barrow muttered sulkily. "I've got a right to know whatever there is to know. I'm going to marry you. You don't seem to have any idea what this sort of talk that's going around means to me."

Hazel stopped short and faced him. Her heart pounded sickeningly, and hurt pride and rising anger choked her for an instant. But she managed to speak calmly, and with a certain calmness by reason of the struggle she was compelled to make for self-control.

"If you are going to marry me," she repeated, "you have got a right to know all there is to know. Have I refused to explain? I haven't had much chance to explain yet. Here I refused to tell you anything. Would any reasonable explanation make an impression on you in your present frame of mind. I don't want to marry you if you can't trust me. Why, I couldn't—I wouldn't—marry you any time, or any place, under those conditions, no matter how much I may foolishly care for you."

"There's just one thing, Hazel," Barrow persisted stubbornly. "There must have been something between you and Bush. You're not helping yourself by getting on your dignity and talking about not trusting you. Instead of explaining these things."

"A short time ago," Hazel told him quietly, "Mr. Bush asked me to marry him. I refused of course. He—"

"You refused?" Barrow interrupted cynically. "Most girls would have jumped at the chance."

conceive him capable of keeping aloof, obdurate and unforgiving, once he got out of the black mood he was in. She was still sitting by the window, watching the yellow crimson of the sunset, when someone rapped at her door. A uniformed messenger boy greeted her when she opened it.

"Package for Miss Hazel Weir," She signed the delivery sheet. The address on the package was in Jack's handwriting. A box of chocolates, or some little pampering offering, maybe. That was like Jack when he was sorry for anything. They had quarreled before—over trifles, too.

She opened it hastily. A swift heart-sinking followed. In the small cardboard box rested a folded scarf, and thrust in it a small gold stickpin—the only thing she had ever given Jack Barrow. There was no message. She needed none to understand.

The sparkle of the small diamond on her finger drew her gaze, and she worked his ring over the knuckle, and dropped it on the dresser, where the face in the silver frame smiled up at her. She stared at the picture for one long minute fixedly, with unchanging expression, and suddenly she swept it from the dresser with a savage sweep of her hand, dashed it on the floor, and stamped it shapeless with her slipped heel.

"Oh, oh," she gasped. "I hate you—I hate you—I despise you!"

And then she flung herself across the bed and sobbed hysterically into a pillow.

Through the night Hazel dozed fitfully, waking out of uneasy sleep to lie staring, wide-eyed, into the dark, every nerve in her body taut, her mind abnormally active. Grief and anger

Flung herself across the bed and sobbed hysterically into a pillow.

By turns mastered her, and at day-break she was heavy-lidded and physically weary.

The first thing upon which her gaze alighted was the crumpled photo in its shattered frame, and, sitting on the side of her bed, she laughed at the sudden fury in which she had destroyed it; but there was no mirth in her laughter.

She gathered up the bits of broken glass and the bent frame, and put them in a drawer, dressed herself, and went down to breakfast. She was too deeply engrossed in her own troubles to notice or care whether any subtle change was becoming manifest in the attitude of her fellow boarders. The worst, she felt sure, had already overtaken her.

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In Montreal alone, from January 20th to February 21st, three thousand one hundred and twenty-two cases of influenza and 189 deaths from the disease were reported to the Health Department.

If the outbreak had come at the beginning of the winter, the worst of the end, we might reasonably feel that the very cold weather would keep the virus from spreading, but coming as it has, at the end of the winter, there is grave fear that an epidemic may occur. For anyone with its attack and rain under foot, its dampness and chill, its constant changing from cold to warm and back again, is a perfect source of coughs and colds, pleurisy and pneumonia.

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Watched for Jack From a Window That Commanded the Street.

as she reached the sanctuary of her own room. And then she watched for Jack from a window that commanded the street.

Barrow appeared at last. She went down to meet him before he rang the bell. Just behind him came a tall man in a gray suit. This individual turned in at the gate, bestowing a nod upon Barrow and a keen glance at her as he passed.

"That's Grinnell, from the 'Times,'" Barrow muttered coolly. "Come on; let's get away from here. I suppose he's after you for an interview."

Hazel turned in beside him silently. Right at the start she found herself resenting Barrow's tone, his manner. She had done nothing to warrant suspicion from him. But she loved him, and she hoped she could convince him that it was no more than a passing unpleasantness, for which she was no wise to blame.

"Hang it!" Barrow growled, before they had traversed the first block. "Here comes Grinnell! I suppose that old cat of a landlady pointed us out. No dodging him now."

Barrow shrugged his shoulders in a way that made Hazel bring her teeth together and want to shake him. Grinnell by then was hurrying on

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## WORNOUT MACHINERY PURCHASED TO USE ON THE ROADS

To the Editor of the Courier:

SIR:—Last summer a large signed petition was forwarded, the Provincial Road Board Halifax, praying that the work commenced by Mr. Ripley be continued under his direction.

After some time, a reply was received from the Engineer, Provincial Road Board, stating that he had a personal knowledge of the case, and that he would have discharged Ripley, but giving no reasons. (It is convincing testimony to the excellence of the work of Mr. Ripley, that the public were interested enough to take this action.) And the Engineer assigned no reasons for the intended discharge.

Efficiency is a desirable trait in both government and individuals, and public works especially demand competent officials.

We trust the Highway Board will not consider it impertinent to ask a few questions reflecting on the competency of some other officials. Among others:

1. Who was responsible for the sending down of the worn out crusher and boiler?

2. Why was it not inspected and put in passable condition before shipping out into the country?

3. When town dwellers were in dire need of coal why send down forty tons, in a well wooded country, where a supply, by arranging beforehand could have been purchased for nearly what it cost in freight charges alone, on the coal.

Nowadays it is considered good business to scrap out-of-date machinery even though not wornout.

But in this instance someone installed secondhand wornout apparatus.

Our road, with the exception of the piece undertaken by Mr. Ripley, is too narrow; it is nearly impossible for loaded teams to pass, and with

## THE LITERARY SOCIETY "AT HOME"

The Digby High School Literary Society "At Home" held last Thursday evening was one of the principal social events of the season, so far. It was well attended and a success in every respect. The young people made splendid hosts and their programme was remarkably good. The opening chorus, "Hunting Song" and the two solos, "Who Knows" by Miss Elva Titus, and "Sunbeam" by Miss Violet Hayden, were well rendered, and the readings, "His Dad," by Miss Elsie Robertson, and "Origin of Scandal," by Miss Dorothy Snow, left nothing to be desired. The three promenades had the effect of bringing the people together, and the young people, seemed to thoroughly enjoy the Valse and One Step which formed part of the programme. And naturally the refreshments appealed to every one and they were very daintily served. Altogether the young people are to be congratulated on the success of their "at home" as well as the principal and teachers who lent their aid so willingly.

Popping the prices seems to be the chief occupation, so far, of leap year, 1920.

A woman emerging from the Convention of Democratic women at Albany, N. Y., says the Detroit Free Press, remarked: "We had a hell of a row here." Which indicates that in the Empire State, at least, the members of the fair sex are learning fast.

increased traffic induced by better roads will be utterly negligible.

Efficiency is applied foresight; may our Highway Board have the courage to dispense with antiquated machinery, incompetent officials, and absolute methods, and recognize merit wherever it shows itself, even though such recognition should seemingly encourage "the tail to waggle the dog."

Thanking you Mr. Editor for your valuable space, yours for much better roads,

SUFFERER.  
Rossy, March 11, 1920.

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Digby may not be the biggest or busiest place in the world but it certainly is one of the luckiest, at least as far as weather conditions or natural disturbances are concerned. Look at last Saturday's flood for instance. It is true that some damage was done here but see how easy we got off compared with other towns and villages close around us. We were not even cut off from communication with the outside world as were other places because we had the regular daily trips of the Express and received the daily papers just the same as usual. It has been that way all winter too; we have had storms it is true, but nothing to be compared with other places. It seems to me that we are not grateful enough for our favors for we certainly have one delightful little town and we do not realize it.

I wonder how many of my readers have seen that great moving picture "Intolerance." It was a wonderful production with a great lesson, and showed more clearly than hundreds of pages of printed history the evils which had been wrought by this spirit of intolerance from the Babylonian empire right down to the present time. And yet how much of that same spirit is abroad in the world today. Think it over!

My gracious! But the stories I am hearing (second-hand, it is

true) about wood measurements and so forth would almost fill up this whole page instead of the portion allotted to me. One prominent business man tells of buying from one man what was alleged to be 3 1/2 cords but which on measurement proved to be only 4 1/2. Caught in his little attempt at thievery the seller tried bluster at first but finally accepted payment for the actual amount—but will not bring any more wood in to that customer. And it is not in wood alone that this petty thieving exists. Within the last week I have seen a "pound" of butter which went but little over fourteen ounces and I am told that quite frequently happens. And I know personally of short measures of vegetables because I have been stung myself. Why can't people in their dealings with each other be square?

I have been very much amused this week in listening to the remarks of many men about the flood we had last Saturday. They seem to think that if so-and-so had done this or that the damage would not have happened. Possibly not! But who is there among you who can tell what a storm or flood is or is not going to do before it takes place? After it is over, well, that's different. We can all see then that if a ditch had been dug here or a wall built there certain damage

would not have taken place. But a flood like last Saturday's is a visitation from God and I do not see what mere man could have done against it. But I noticed in listening to the remarks that it is always the other fellow to blame—we are not, we have done everything we could. As I have remarked in my letters before—people are funny.

The churches, having successfully put over the financial part of their Forward Movement are now trying to work out a spiritual advancement—but it seems to me they are not putting the same energy into it that they did, when dollars and cents—and not souls—were the objective. They had canvassers and good ones, too, out for the money, why wasn't the same method kept up for the other objective? There are dozens of families which never have a representative in church and never send a child to Sunday School. Canvassers could reach these homes, find out what was wanted, clothing or any other of the physical wants and could possibly make church goers out of them. The prayer meetings and special services only reach those who are already church goers. Under the circumstances they may deepen the spiritual life but they do not extend it into new homes and sections.

AERONAUT.

## NOTICE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC



Rumor has come to me that a certain party has been circulating a report to the effect that I had abandoned my practice in this province. I wish to most emphatically state that there is no truth in this report and that the public will find me at my usual place of business, and also visiting their respective homes where I will endeavor to give them usual attention.

A. SHANE,  
Optometrist and Optician  
31-2i Yarmouth, N. S.

## Laundrymen Are Hard to Get

Digby needs a good laundry and we are trying to get one. In the meantime the washing we have sent to the Vail Laundry has been done so well and so reasonably that many of those who sent have urged us to continue the agency and we have decided to do so until we can get a suitable laundry established here. Get your parcels here on Monday or before noon on Tuesday, if you want them back by Saturday.

J. J. WALLIS  
The Courier Office.

## Boy Wanted

to do all round work in Hardware store. Applications received up to April 15 as job must be filled by that date.  
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"My trouble started five years ago with occasional attacks of indigestion, which kept getting worse until I could hardly eat anything at all. For the past three years now I had no appetite and the little I did manage to eat would bloat me up and keep me feeling miserable for hours. I had sharp, cramping pains through my stomach, which would nearly draw me double and I was constipated all the time, my liver was sluggish and I had no energy. My tongue was badly coated and my skin had a yellowish appearance. I could get but little sleep and always felt so bad in the mornings it was all I could do to get up. I was so badly run down that some days I just had to quit work and go home, and I have often had to lay off from work seven or eight days at a time. Added to my other troubles I had an attack of jaundice and was unable to work for two weeks. I lost considerable weight and my strength was just about all gone.

"I tried many different treatments and medicines without being benefited, but when I heard so many people praising Tanlac I decided to try it. At the time I started taking it I had been off from work for over a week, but before I had finished the first bottle I was back on the job and haven't lost a day since. I have taken six bottles in all and my appetite has improved until I eat as much as one man now as I did all day before and am never troubled with pains, gas, sour or upset stomach or any other feeling. I am not constipated and my liver is in fine shape again. My tongue is never coated and my skin has cleared up to a good healthy color. I sleep well at night and that tired sluggish feeling is all gone. In fact, I haven't felt better in years than I do now, but I don't believe I would be able to work today if it hadn't been for Tanlac and it is a pleasure for me to make this statement."

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THE VARIETY STORE

## NOVA SCOTIA'S FISHERIES

The fisheries of Nova Scotia are among the most valuable in the world, but Nova Scotians, as a rule, know precious little concerning an industry about which they should know more. If the average Bluefish were asked to name the fish caught in Nova Scotian waters, he would not go very far down the list. If he were asked the quantity and value of the various kinds caught, he probably would not be able to answer at all. In truth, our product is a varied one in its regard.

For the calendar year 1919 not less than 4,587 hundredweight of salmon were caught, the value being \$87,812. Lobsters were 2,504 hundredweight, and valued at \$1,910,205; codfish totalled 1,409,923 hundredweight, worth \$5,057,523; haddock, 483,545 hundredweight, worth \$1,261,346; hake and cusk, 117,452 hundredweight, worth \$207,591; pollock, 142,136 hundredweight, with a value of \$261,865; herring, 196,866 hundredweight, and \$274,521 in value; mackerel, 151,014 hundredweight, worth \$880,985; shad only 48 hundredweight, worth \$324 alewives, 9,623 hundredweight, and worth \$20,248; halibut, 32,431 hundredweight, worth \$422,401.

It will be noticed that the quantity of shad has decreased almost to the vanishing point. The time was when the great river estuaries of the Province literally swarmed with the delicious fish at certain seasons of the year—a part being eaten fresh and the rest salted down for winter use here or for shipment abroad. At the present time, the fish is threatened with extinction and the Government has under consideration a plan to prevent such a consummation. Among other food fish caught in our rivers or around our coasts are soles, flounders, skate, smelts, shore codfish, octopus, "snoodfish," abalone, oysters, clams, scallops, quahaugs, crabs, winkles, stirrups and pilchards. The aggregate value of all the fish caught in 1919 came to not less than \$10,720,471—a most important item in our annual earnings.

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## Music in the Home

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A Series of Talks on Music, now running in The Courier  
By C. C. Laughlin, Mus. Bac., Bowmansville.

## ODDFELLOWS CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

The 39th anniversary of St. George Lodge, No. 55, I. O. O. F., was celebrated in their hall last Friday evening. Considering the awful weather there was a very large attendance. While the lodge was opening and transacting some necessary business the guests were being entertained in the theatre with moving pictures and a musical programme—the latter rendered by a mixed quartette consisting of Mrs. Guy Morehouse, Miss Eunice Milbury, Guy Morehouse and Roy Wymacht, and a male quartette consisting of Guy Morehouse, Arch Morehouse, Roy Wymacht and W. R. Warrington. After the programme the guests sat down to bountifully spread tables in the lodge room and were served with a delightful repast. Speeches were given by Rev. Wm. Driffield, Rev. W. I. Croft, Principal Harding, J. L. Peters and Mrs. George Peters, the latter being the Noble Grand of the newly formed Zelma Rebekah Lodge. The meeting in the theatre was presided over by H. E. Jones, Past Grand, and the banquet by Harold Kiley, Noble Grand.

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## INTERESTING MEETING AT LITTLE BROOK

A very interesting agricultural meeting was held at Little Brook last Thursday, which was addressed by Dr. J. W. Robertson, representing the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Previous to Dr. Robertson's address Mr. F. G. J. Comeau and Major Murphy, of the D. A. R., gave one of the D. A. R. moving picture exhibits on modern farming, which was followed by a brief address by Mr. Comeau. He explained the importance of the D. A. R. in putting forth to encourage greater production and its importance to the Province in large numbers of hands have been lost since he had become manager of the railway, had put forth every effort to improve agriculture, and to improve production conditions all along the line and how he was being supported in that work of advancement by Prof. Cummings of the Agricultural College, and Prof. Blair of the Kentville Experimental Farm.

Dr. Robertson in his address considered considerably more than an hour and which was from the beginning to the conclusion most interesting and instructive. He said no one can predict with any certainty the requirements of Europe. And for a rough estimate can be made of the probable production in the countries of Europe which have been ravaged by war and where farm hands have been lost in thousands from the prevalence of weeds, want of thorough cultivation and the lack of fertilizers. The reduction in productivity due to these causes has been put at least at 25 per cent. Moreover no one can foretell with any certainty the prices which millions of workers in some European countries will be able to pay for their necessary supplies. All one can state, with reasonable certainty, is it will likely take at least two years, 1920 and 1921, for the production of breadstuffs to meet the world's requirements.

The price of grain, particularly wheat, has been put at present by the world's producers, and the demand, and that several years must pass before the supplies of cattle and hog products can be sufficient to provide nutritious rations of an invigorating sort for the millions of people who require them for the land labor to which they must apply themselves and that with the bodies which, in many cases, have been weakened by the incomplete diet and other stresses of war.

Under all the circumstances in my opinion the farmers of Canada during the next two years, will have the best chance, during their life time, to make reasonable and even large profits. Some simple appeals are made, in the name of patriotism and altruism. At the present time the first appeal is one of self-interest. And while money is being hoarded by individuals, benefit is being brought to the community and the nation, and needed and valuable service rendered to humanity. All three "pulls," self-interest, patriotism and humane service, are in one direction. Consequently the farmer of Canada will not make any mistake in producing as much as they can of all the staple food products. They are sure to be needed. The world's prices in the main will be determined by conditions and factors beyond our control. But our farmers may depend upon being able to obtain the highest prices which the world's markets will afford.

### FIRE AT ANNAPOLIS

A disastrous fire broke out Tuesday night in the town of Annapolis. Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers, several others badly damaged. The loss is estimated at over \$100,000. The buildings burned were:

Bank of Nova Scotia.  
McDonald's grocery.  
Western Union Telegraph Company.  
Jefferson's boot and shoe store.  
Government building, containing post office, customs house and other offices.  
A. West's hardware store and A. M. King's dry goods store were considerably damaged, and much stock destroyed. The residence of Mr. J. C. Galt, a well-known merchant, and several other buildings slightly damaged.

The fire started in the Bank of Nova Scotia building, and with the town's limited fire-fighting appliances, the flames spread rapidly. The firemen worked hard to check the fire, but it was several hours before they were successful. Fortunately there was only a light wind blowing. So far as could be ascertained no person was injured.

### ADVANCING NEWSPAPER RATES.

Faced with the fierce competition which the advancing cost of newspapers, more particularly those in the United States, have increased the price of their papers to subscribers. The one newspaper has largely disappeared. The five cent Sunday newspaper now costs 10 cents. It can be said a matter of time when subscription prices of Canadian newspapers must advance too. A sufficient advertising rate in the United States and in Canada has followed as a matter of course and some newspapers of the Ottawa class in other towns find they cannot make contracts for advertising space for labor or supplies of any kind, and in their turn, finding themselves compelled to refuse to decline to make contracts for advertising space, but instead are making space subject to a change in rates without notice.

Officials of the Nova Scotia Highway Board say that the damage to the bridges in Annapolis County during the recent flood will be at least \$100,000 and that it will be several months before the vehicle traffic across the Annapolis and Kentville bridges can be resumed. Four steel bridges, two wooden bridges and at least a dozen smaller bridges were washed away or seriously damaged. The largest loss was to the bridge across the Annapolis River at Kentville, which is at least 100 feet long.

## Local and General

Has there ever been so severe a winter? The present price of hay in England is \$75 a ton. The most valuable "system" is a good nervous system. The special meetings are growing in interest and attendance. In many a home today the coal's the only thing that's fireproof.

There is a prospect of a lower price for cheese during the coming season. "Keep the home fires burning," but make sure your house is insured. If you have half an hour to spare, don't spend it with someone who hasn't. Doughnuts are now going up in price and the holes are not getting smaller. When in a fix, sweating will get you farther than swearing. Let mules do the work.

The Sewing Circle Tea at Mrs. McLaren's Wednesday afternoon was well attended. Services will be held in the Methodist Church, Broad Cove on Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock. The ice and snow are disappearing on our streets, but the ice is back again—as somebody said—to terra cotta. Coal is short, skirts are short and booze is short to pieces. This is certainly a tough season for keeping warm. Life preservers belonging to the yacht Oakesdale came in handy during the flood in our office last Saturday.

Women are said to show more endurance nowadays than ever before. They are certainly showing more backbone. It was eating the apple that taught Eve wisdom was risky, and so far as we can see it is nearly time to pass the apple again.

The Shore Road has been badly washed away in places, particularly near Bay View and cannot be used at present by teams. The Pastor will preach in the Baptist Church next Sunday at eleven on "An Inevitable Law" and at seven on "Home-lands in Heaven". There will be a bazaar sale tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, held by the ladies of the Methodist Church at S. A. Letterson's store.

The girls of J. O. Y. Class and the Tuxis boys spent a pleasant evening at the paragon, with games, music and refreshments, on Friday last week. If the belief in a winter of heavy snow-fall is generally followed by good crops be well founded, the prospects for the farm laborer to which they must apply themselves and that with the bodies which, in many cases, have been weakened by the incomplete diet and other stresses of war.

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Stephen Marshall, of Marshfield, last week received his 1914-15 star and ribbon—a decoration which is being given to all those who were among the first to enlist.

On Easter Monday evening the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Methodist Church held a church bazaar. A fine programme will be presented. Michael O'Brien, 96 years of age, related the time when he was used to work on Parliament Hill. Well, times haven't changed much, Michael, he said—*O'Brien's*.

The United services of praise and prayer have been well attended through the past week. They will be continued next week in the Baptist Church, commencing each night at 7:45.

Owing to illness Prof. Balcom will be unable to deliver his lecture at the "Women's" Canadian Club on Monday evening. He hopes to be here however on the 29th.

Good evening! Are you a Gritty Tory, a Unionist, an Independent, a U. P. or a Laborite, a United Veteran, a Nationalist, or a Stabilized Democrat?—*Woolf's Spectator*.

Clarence Rook of Joggin Bridge, had two splendid moths in town last Monday, hatched from cocoons he gathered of a wasp's nest. The wings were beautifully colored and had a span of seven inches.

Life insurance has so firm a grip on Canadians of to-day that it is something astonishing to find that the insurance per head of the Canadian people is only \$225—compared with \$307 in the United States.

House wives of Canada are urged to begin now laying in a supply of sugar for the coming season, buying a few pounds extra each week from now on, until they have sufficient set aside to cover their coming requirements.

A call has been extended by the Central United Baptist Church of St. John to Rev. F. H. Bone, B. A., of Bear River (N. S.). The announcement was made at a meeting of the church, held in the Central church has been without a pastor since December 1, last.

Services as usual will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday next. At the morning services the subject will be: "The responsibility of the home; and the school in training the child." At the evening service "Exact but useless Christians".

Members of the Canadian Club of New York are making preliminary arrangements to make a tour of the United States and Canada for the purpose of raising \$1,000,000 or as much more as may be needed, while the usual and equip a Canadian hospital in that city.

The Kentville Advertiser and Western Chronicle have been merged under the control of the Kentville Publishing Company, Ltd., and will hereafter be published from the present Advertising Office—Western Chronicle on Tuesday and the Advertiser on Fridays.

Mrs. Wallace Abbott, of Bay View, had a severe cold, and the result of the cold was a severe attack of influenza. While washing dishes after tea a single flash of lightning last Saturday evening, while washing dishes after tea a single flash of lightning came, it entered and ran up the drain pipe, perforated the bottom of the dish pan, ripped two pot covers and smashed a violin hanging on the wall. No other damage was done.

## Obituary

HON. S. W. W. PICKUP.  
Hon. S. W. W. Pickup, member of the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia, died at his home in Graville Ferry, on Tuesday, March 16, 1920, at the age of 78 years. He was prominent in the political life of the province for over thirty years, and was twice elected to the House of Commons in 1904 and again in 1908. He was 65 years of age and a successful merchant and shipowner. He leaves a widow and a son and two daughters.

JOSEPH L. STEVENS.  
Freepoint has lost another resident in the person of Joseph L. Stevens, age 72 years. Deceased had been in poor health for some time, suffering from a stroke of paralysis some four years ago. However, death was sudden when it came. He leaves to mourn their loss a widow and one son and five daughters, namely: Mrs. J. B. Kennedy, of Saskatchewan, Mrs. C. H. Hicks, of Westport, Eudora, of Lynn, Mrs. Albert Perry, Florence and William of this place. Great sympathy is extended to all who mourn. The funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon in the church, conducted by Rev. C. W. Brooker.

MRS. WHITMAN PECK.  
The death of Anna, wife of Whitman Peck, occurred at her home Bear River on Tuesday, February 16, after a long illness, at the age of 78 years. Besides an aged husband she leaves to mourn three daughters, Mrs. Robert Snyder, Marshalltown; and Mrs. P. C. Simpson, of New Hampshire; also three sons, George and Charles, of Bear River and Alfred of New Hampshire. The funeral took place from her late home at Waldeck West, Rev. F. H. Bone, assisted by Messrs. Smith and Henderson, officiating.

W. O. GOLDSMITH.  
Mrs. Angus McPhee, of this town, received word on Thursday evening last that her father, William Oliver Goldsmith, died very suddenly at his home in Perote, Paralytic was the cause of death. He was only sick one hour. He was 90 years old and leaves to mourn his widow, seven sons, Gordon, in Canning; Hugh in Bridgetown; Stewart, Hill Grove, Ontario; and Benjamin, Annapolis; Thomas and Wallace, Perote; two daughters, Mrs. Angus McPhee, Digby, and Mary, at Canning, and one sister, Mrs. James Spry Round Hill. The funeral took place on Monday and was conducted by Rev. C. A. Munro, of Annapolis.

WILLIAM ERNEST GRAHAM.  
William Ernest Graham, of 731 Highland Ave., Malden, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Graham, passed away at Cambridge, on Feb. 16, after a brief illness of influenza and pneumonia. He was 38 years of age and a native of Nova Scotia, and a widower, his wife having passed away four years ago. The body was taken to Malden for burial.

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SOLDIER LOSES LIFE IN FLOOD.  
Word has been received here that Hugh Whitman, a returned soldier, lost his life in the great flood that swept through Annapolis Valley last Saturday night. Whitman had been missing since that time and on Tuesday his body was found at Bloody Creek, a few miles west of Bridgetown. The young man was a son of Henry Whitman, of Round Hill, and a grandson of the late Hon. George F. Whitman, a member of the legislative council of Nova Scotia.

DEATHS.  
MARSHALL At Digby, March 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marshall, aged 70.  
BARKING At Digby, March 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. William Barkling, aged 70.  
RELISS At Digby, March 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reliss, aged 70.

IN MEMORIAM  
I LOVING MEMORY of George M. Harlow who died March 20th, 1919. Gone but not forgotten.  
In Clementsport softly sleeping,  
In the arms of his loved ones,  
Lies the one we loved so dearly,  
Who has been laid to rest,  
He will never be forgotten,  
His memory will always linger,  
Around the hearts of those who loved him.  
MRS. ARTHUR JEFFERSON.

MEMORY of dear mother, Mrs. John N. Peters, of Westport, who died, March 20th, 1919. Not gone, but in the coming years, I will be in the better of her memory. We will be the meaning of our tears, and there sometime, we'll understand.

## Wedding Bells

MURRAY-COMEAU.  
On Saturday at Halifax, Ven. Archdeacon Armitage officiated at the residence of the bride, Mrs. Murray, of Halifax, son of David Murray, of Liverpool, N. S., to Philemon Comeau, daughter of Late Samuel, of Meteghan River. Mr. and Mrs. Murray, after making a visit to Digby County, will reside in Halifax.

CAMICK-COWER.  
The residence of Colin Camick, Eastport, Maine, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Sunday afternoon, March 7th, when Fred A. Camick was united in marriage to Miss Hilda Fanning Cower, Rev. Weed, officiating. The ceremony was a quiet one only the immediate members of the family being present. Miss Bosdie Faulkner acted as bridesmaid, the bridegroom's brother Roy, being best man. The single ring service being used. The bridegroom is in the mail service of the government and is well known about the city, being prominent in athletics for a number of years. The bride is a daughter of George Cower, of Westport, and from her hometown, and also from Eastport where she has resided for some time. All good wishes will follow her in the coming years.

February was a short month, but it was long enough to know a lot of the shuffling out of the coal-bin.

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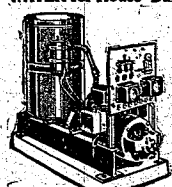
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## MOTHERS' MEETING AT NORTH WEYMOUTH.

(Continued.)  
It was a great disappointment that our leader was prevented by illness, from being with us at the first of the series of mothers' meetings, which took place at Mrs. Donkey's on the tenth of March. We did our best to carry out her very interesting program, which took so much time and thought to prepare.

The subject for consideration was the "Physical welfare of the child." After the devotion and prayer with which it is our custom to open all meetings, the President extended a hearty welcome to the guests with a few words relative to the aims of our Society, and of the importance of our beginning our work in the home and with the children.

Two very good papers followed. The first dealt with the welfare of the child in a general way, emphasis being laid upon the importance of home influence and discipline; insistence on truthfulness, ready obedience, and self-control from the cradle. Then a child should be taught habits of cleanliness of mind and body, to be happy and thoughtful of others, with a strong sense in the choice of companions. Stress was also put upon the necessity of improving the conditions in our schools.

The second paper sought to impress the dangers resulting from the neglect of the teeth, and from the failure to have a child's teeth properly examined, and to show that rheumatism and other ailments have on some instances been caused by decayed teeth. The paper also beginning the proper care of the teeth with young children was emphasized.

Several interesting magazine clippings were read, containing suggestions from physicians regarding the care of the teeth and mouth as well as the eyes. Also came to be used in the prevention and treatment of children's colds.

The meeting was then thrown open for the discussion, which produced the great interest which had been taken in the papers presented.

The program was varied by the singing of a hymn and a short poem entitled "The Sculptor," was read.  
A delightful afternoon tea was served, during which animated discussion was carried on, the subject of prevention of the use of cigarettes and tobacco, particularly among minors, as well as the liquor question and total abstinence were debated. We were very glad to welcome two of our teachers and we hope they will come often. In fact we were glad to see the visitors to come again and let other mothers not let anything trivial prevent their being present at the next Mother's Meeting, which will be announced by bulletin. Our leader is a student of child-welfare and is doing all she can to make these meetings instructive and profitable. The mothers who do not grasp this opportunity, if it is possible for them to do so, are missing a lot.

## CLARENCE COOMBS RECEIVES PERSONAL LETTER FROM LADY NANCY ASHER, FIRST LADY M. P.

Clarence Coombs, of 39 Fiske St. late of the 3rd Battalion, Royal Highlanders, of Canada was a happy man Tuesday when he received a letter from one of the best ladies in England at the present time, Lady Nancy Ascher, the American woman whose husband was admitted to English royalty, and showed her superiority, by being the first woman elected to the British Parliament.

The letter contains a short greeting, and reads in part as follows:

Dear Coombs:  
"It was nice of you to write me, and you don't know how I appreciate the way the boys at the hospital have remembered me. You tell all your friends that no lady ever had better boys to look after. I miss you all still and don't very much whether I shall ever be happier than we were all together."  
Please forgive this short letter: I have so many to write.

Your sincerely,  
(Signed) NANCY ASHER.  
Mrs. Coombs was in the Canadian army for a total of one year and a half, and took part in some of the heaviest fighting which the Canadian troops engaged in and one of the scraps he was wounded in the arm, sent back to England and in a hospital at Tisbury, the estate of Lady Ascher, which she converted into a war hospital. It was here that Coombs formed his valued friendship with Lady Ascher.

He was invited to the mansion several times. During one dark period, when Mrs. Coombs received a telegram from home saying that his wife was seriously ill, and expected to die, Lady Ascher made special arrangements for him to be sent home to the United States and then accompanied him to the station on horseback, a distance of two miles, riding back to the residence.

He arrived back in this country in March, 1919, only to find that his wife had died before his arrival.  
As time went on Mrs. Coombs read in the newspaper one day of Lady Ascher's election to Parliament, and he immediately wrote a letter of congratulation, and with the promptness which characterizes her busy lady took the time to write a personal letter to one of her boys.

(Mr. Coombs is a nephew of Mr. Carey Henshaw, Bear River, N. S.)

## THE NEWSPAPER BUSINESS.

There is probably nobody engaged in the newspaper business in Nova Scotia who is not acquainted with a man whose excuse for discontinuing his subscription is that he already "has more papers than he can read." It is only an excuse offered to ameliorate the presumed lacerated condition of the editor's feelings. It has no such effect, for in the first place, an editor never wants over the loss of a subscriber except when he leaves the country without paying his arrears. But why not be truthful and say to the honest newspaper man just what you feel in your heart? Go into the editor's den and ask him how much you owe, pay the delinquency, and tell him frankly that you don't want his despicable, black-board sheet any longer. Say to him in a somewhat loud voice that you deeply regret his inability to publish a newspaper worthy the name. Do this and then you can go away with the comforting assurance that the newspaper man respects you for your candor and will cherish no hard feelings because you choose to borrow his paper instead of buying it.

In West Virginia, Arthur F. Bennett is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff in both Barbour and Tucker Counties, there being two men of the same name. Both were born in Barbour County but the Tucker County candidate is 45, and the Barbour County candidate is 36.

## BEAVER RIVER.

We understand that Ruben Perry has sold his farm to Jerry Comeau.  
Mrs. A. Franka and daughter have returned from Truro.  
Mrs. T. Leonard Westcott spent a part of last week in Yarmouth, the guest of Mrs. Roy E. Durkee.  
Mrs. Robert Ellis is on the sick list.  
Mr. Edwin Cann has returned from Pleasant Valley.

Miss Beulah Gallison (nurse) is in Yarmouth for a few weeks.  
Mrs. Arthur E. Lees who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ada Corning, has returned to her home in Boston.  
Capt. George Radford Parry, of the steamship Mattafont, England, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Parry.

The sewing circle met at the home of Mrs. Newton Wynn last Tuesday afternoon and evening.

## HARLEM.

Sorry to report a number of persons at present confined to their beds with the "flu."

Mrs. Fred Mullen is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Steven Paul, at present.

Deater Greene called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Barr recently.  
Mrs. Henry Barr was very fortunate in getting a hen's egg measuring four inches in length and eight inches in circumference.

Miss Cecelia Dupas spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dupas.

Harry Lewis visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Barr, Monday.

Mrs. William Barr spent the 10th, with her mother, Mrs. Henry Lewis.

Edward Durand has returned home after spending the winter months in St. John.

## MILFORD.

Very severe weather again, following a few "spring like" days.

Miss Beatrice Mallin has returned to her home here, after spending the winter at Wolfville.

Curtis Henshaw and Odour Robar called through here on a business trip last week.

Miss Susie Carr spent Sunday with relatives at Clementevale.

Mrs. Eva Hubble has come to Bridgetown.

Mrs. Hall is visiting her little daughter Pearl, at Clementevale.

The teams are still doing a rushing business, hauling lumber from the mill to Annapolis, where it is being shipped.

## SANDY COVE.

The Canadian Girls in Training and Tuxis Boys, of Mink Cove and Sandy Cove, enjoyed a very pleasant sleigh ride to Little River on Monday evening, March 8th, Norval Morehouse, conveyed them in a large sleigh. There were twenty-five in the party including Le-Mat Daint and Sydney Sidney, also the pastor, Rev. Wm. Owen. On returning a stop was made at Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sydney's for refreshments, which consisted of cake and coffee. After refreshments there were a number of choruses and a "Dialogue."

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## FREEPORT.

Clarence Morehouse and Loran Shaw, Centreville, are in this place employed by F. E. Davis.  
Mrs. Leonard Ring and daughter, Lois and Mrs. Lillian Smith were passengers to Boston last Tuesday.  
Miss Viola Busby has returned home after spending a few months at St. John.  
Mrs. Eugene Thibault was a passenger to St. John on the 10th.

Miss Elsie Thibault has gone to Wolfville for a few days.

Dame Rourke says another wedding soon.

Capt. and Mrs. G. M. Hicks, of Westport, were in town several days last week.

Mrs. Chas. Morrell making a short visit in Boston.

Hilbert Crowell has returned from a trip to Boston.

Mrs. Frank Terd has returned from St. John with a large supply of spring millinery.

Dr. C. J. Boylan, of Bear River, is in town doing dental work.

Howard Crocker, of Port Maitland, is visiting relatives here.

Edna Sutton has returned home after spending two months at Camp Hill Hospital, Halifax for treatment.

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## In the Supreme Court

Between: National Trust Company, Limited, Plaintiff

and Campbell Lumber Co., Limited, Defendant

THE SOLD at the County Court House, Digby, in the County of Digby, on the 10th day of April, 1920, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, by H. A. P. Smith, High Sheriff of said County of Digby, pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court made on the 24th day of February, 1920, in the case of the Plaintiff against the Defendant, the sum of \$1000.00, plus the amount due to the Plaintiff including the Plaintiff's legal costs be paid to the Plaintiff or its solicitor.

All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the defendant Companies, and of all other persons, firms or corporations claiming by, from or under the defendant Companies, in, to and out of the following:

LANDS

leases of land, rights to cut timber, dower rights and other rights, and all interest in lands, buildings, mills, dwellings, "storehouses, fixtures and all real and personal property of every kind and description described in a certain deed of trust or mortgage from the said defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to the plaintiff company, dated the 23rd day of January, 1905 and registered in the Registry of Deeds for the said County of Digby, in Book 97, page 70, and the general description of which said lands, leases and premises is as follows: Approximately 20000 acres, (more or less) of woodlands) situated on, near or adjacent to the St-John River and its tributaries in the County of Digby, formerly in the possession of the said defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, including those upon which are situated piers and store houses. Also, all lands, leaseholds, timber rights, water rights, flowage rights, or any claim or interest therein purchased or acquired by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, since the date of the above mortgage, including all the lands, premises, leaseholds and other interests in land conveyed to the National Trust Company by the Campbell Lumber Company Limited, by supplementary deed of trust dated the 28th day of October, 1914, and registered in said Registry in Book 111, page 301 and also the said lot of land formerly known as the "Moody" lot, conveyed by G. Douglas Campbell, his wife to the plaintiff Company by deed duly registered in said Registry in Book 111, page 308, also including all renewals to the plaintiff Company of leases executed at or since the date of the said mortgage. Also all other lands, leaseholds, timber rights and water rights owned by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, or in which they had any interest or claim at the date of the said mortgage, saving and excepting however the following lands, namely: All that certain lot of land on the east side of Lake Doyle in the said County of Digby, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to G. Douglas Campbell, by deed dated the 13th day of February, 1905, and registered in the said Registry of Deeds in Book 97, page 70, also all that certain lot of land on the north side of Weymouth Bridge, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company Limited, to Katherine L. Goodwin, by deed dated the 14th day of May, 1906, and registered in the said Registry of Deeds in Book 93, page 339. Also all that certain lot of land situated at the outlet of the Second Annapolis Lake in said County, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to Clarke Brothers, by deed dated the 9th day of December, 1911, and registered in said Registry in Book 104, page 452. Also all that certain lot of land at Weymouth Falls, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to the trustees of the African Baptist Church, by deed dated the 21st day of June, 1913, and registered in said Registry in Book 112, page 215. Also all that certain lot of land at Weymouth Falls, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to Sir John A. Macdonald, by deed dated the 21st day of January, 1915, and registered in said Registry in Book 112, page 774. Also all that certain lot of land at Weymouth Falls, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to Irving Thibault, by deed dated the 21st day of May, 1915, and duly registered in said Registry in Book 113, page 586. Also all that certain lot of land at Weymouth, conveyed by the defendant Campbell Lumber Company, Limited, to Joseph O. Lott, by deed dated the 20th day of May, 1919, and registered in said Registry in Book 120, page 353.

A complete description of the said lands and premises real or personal property, may be inspected and obtained at the office of Sheriff Smith, in the County of Digby, at the office of Lawrence A. Lovett, 35 Bedford Row, Halifax, N. S., Solicitor of the Plaintiff Company, at the office of T. J. S. Meagher, Dennis Building, Halifax, N. S., Solicitor of the Defendant herein; and at the office of the said National Trust Company in the City of Montreal.

Terms: 10 per cent in deposit at the time of the sale and the remainder on delivery of deed.

Dated at Halifax, N. S., the 24th day of February, A. D., 1920.

H. A. P. Smith, High Sheriff, Digby, N. S.

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## ESTIMATES DO NOT MEAN EXPENDITURE

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir: You can always tell a Jackass by his Bray.

It would like to tell our Little River Rate Payers there is quite a difference between estimates and expenditure. Digby a little deeper in Municipal affairs and ask your informant how much of the money voted by the so called new council, will be used in paying 1919 bills. Perhaps the man who raised the road tax thought by doing this, there might be some to expend in his vicinity. You know it takes a lot of money to keep an overcoat and three or four men at work. Anyway, Mr. Ratepayer, that extra ten cents per hundred will not raise your taxes much.

Say I don't have some apples from the farmer? My opinion is, that a man who can collect his own bills is a good man to collect for the county.

Now when you send to T. Eaton's, for rubber boots, mitts, or any other commodity, remember cash must accompany the order. No Tick there, and it takes brains to raise squats.

VORON

THE CALL OF THE SEA.

To the Editor of the Courier:

As requested, I have made and lodged with the department a sketch of a mackerel train in the spring movement. It urges the use of a government boat to locate the schools and act their trend. Such information, given to the radio stations, could be conveyed to seiners and drifters either by telephone, or over landlines. It would give the mackerel catchers to the right spots. Often large bodies of mackerel go wide of Seal Island and Cape. The good weather drifters could take that outer berth when notified, so as not to bother netters or lobstermen operating inshore. Also the usual route to the trap would be less obstructed than last spring. The plan is of easy accomplishment and inexpensive. One of the service boats might be assigned to the work. She could scout the whole coast as the schools moved East, even into the North Bay. There never was a more useful suggestion. The Washington area had for that purpose was a flat failure. An aero could not keep on the wing so long as a gannet.

M. H. NICKERSON.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Mrs. Walter N. VanTassel went to Auburndale, Mass., last week to see her father, W. A. McClary, who is very ill.

Whitman Peck, of Bear River, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Freeman Handspiker, has gone to visit his daughter, Mrs. Robert Synder, at Marshfield.

Leo VanTassel has returned home from Lake Jolly, after spending the past three months in the lumbering woods there.

We are glad to report that E. C. VanTassel who has been very ill is able to be out again.

Miss Lucy Haight, of Gulliver's, spent a few days this week with her friend, Miss Margaret VanTassel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnes, of Bay View, spent one day this week with his mother, Mrs. Fred VanTassel.

The Misses Hilda and Mildred Barnes, of Bay View, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Fred VanTassel.

Mr. and Mrs. Digby Baxter, of Digby, spent one day this week with Mrs. Baxter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Handspiker.

Valentine Pulley has returned home from St. John.

JOSEPH BRIDGE

Dr. and Mrs. S. B. McGregor have returned from Kentville, where they have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. S. Taylor.

Glad to see John McGuire out again after having been confined to the house for several days.

Andy Bore, of Roxville, called on his sister, Mrs. Elmer Cossett, recently.

Glad to report Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wilson, also Miss Lillian and Bruce Cossett, on the road to recovery after being confined to the house with colds.

Mrs. W. E. Gilliat spent Thursday at Victoria Bridge.

Wilbur Clements, of Marshfield, called on friends here on Monday.

Mrs. Henry J. Woodman spent Wednesday with friends in Smith's Cove.

Mrs. G. N. Potter and son Gerald, have returned from their visit to Middleton, N. S.

MILFORD CORNER

Ralph Alcorn returned from New Brunswick on Wednesday, and went to Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. William Thomas and son Roy, spent Tuesday in Digby.

Joe Hines and sister George, of Digby, were the recent guests of their sister, Mrs. Alfred McDoullough.

Miss Florence Hamilton was the guest of her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Chute a few days last week.

Roscoe Alcorn spent the week end with friends in Annapolis Royal.

A considerable amount of lumber is now seen on our shores. The logging business according to present outlook will be very remunerative.

Henry Buckler, of Annapolis Royal, was the guest of Reuben Alcorn recently. He bought a very valuable pair of oxen from Mr. Alcorn.

Mrs. Lee Alcorn was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Benson, on Friday.

RIVERDALE

Rev. L. T. Sabine, of Port Maitland, is visiting his father John Sabine, whom we regret to report, is confined to the house on account of sickness.

Rev. H. C. Mullen and family of Hartland, N. B. are visiting Mrs. Mullen's father, Mr. John Sabine.

Miss Edna Prince, of New Tuxet, is spending a short time at Mrs. LeRoy Wagner's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sabine, of Saskatchewan, are visiting the former's father's home, John Sabine.

SOUTHYVILLE

Bernard Sabean, of the West, and Joseph Sabean, Riverdale, were the guests of Benj. C. White on Sunday.

Flora and Edna Steele are spending a few days at Danvers.

Elery Lewis visited at this place recently.

Henry Garval spent Sunday at Hilldale.

## PORT WADE

Capt. James Ellis, of Boston, has been calling on his friends in this place and Victoria Beach.

Miss Myra Ellis returned to St. John on Saturday 13th.

A leave taking party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiswall Cove on Thursday eve of last week, in which a large number of their Port Wade friends participated. Speeches suitable to the occasion were made by Capt. W. E. R. Fred R. Parker and W. H. Anthony, the latter making the presentation speech.

Delbert Ryder, Mrs. Ryder's father, was presented with a handsome pocket knife, Mr. and Mrs. Ryder were recipients of a fern stand.

The evening was very enjoyable spent, interspersed by readings, speeches, poems etc. Mr. Ryder was represented as one of the old land marks, and in his reply, which was quite witty, he finished by reading a poem, entitled, "I'm not dead yet."

Mrs. (Capt.) E. E. Ryder was a most interesting poem, which was completely original and very fitting to the occasion, causing hearty applause throughout. Mr. Ryder and family are leaving soon, having purchased a nice residence in Middleton, their departure will be much regretted.

Capt. W. E. Ryder has arrived home again after a voyage of about 15 months, leaving this place with a cargo of lumber for the Government, and further sailings between ports of Europe and Africa.

Roy McGrath, who is now qualified for first mate and having sailed as mate the past year with Capt. Ryder, is leaving over into the American trade, when wages are very much better.

The H. and S. W. R. had a number of westcoats by the recent storm, which we have been without papers for the past three days, and hope the mail service will soon regain its equilibrium.

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When you study these Prices, equal to a loss of 25 per cent. on the cost of each garment, you will realize that this Sale means that we must lose money and gain only in good-will.

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Of last week which visited this town and particularly my basement, has caused the

## Biggest Sensation In Groceries

Beginning Saturday, March 20th, there will be placed on sale a large quantity of slightly damaged groceries at

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Raisins Tea Prunes Soap  
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## Evolution NOT Develution

Although you and I feel like saying Develution, do we not, when we read what that snipe of a Charlie Darwin (who was) says about you and I and all mankind coming or evolving from a Tadpole living down in the bed of the river, sucking all kinds of slime and dirt into their bodies. Think of it, will you? You and I. You with your high brow, pink cheeks, blue eyes, curly hair with mousehair clipped to be invisible, you with your superior intellect, with your petticoat, pants half way to your knees. I with grey hair, somewhat bent, and face wrinkled coming from a Tadpole! Why sir, I feel like saying and I will say Develution! Develution!!! Develution!!! Yes sir, and should I ever meet Charlie Darwin walking out upon the battlements of that far away city, I will give him a piece of my mind, yes I will. And yet I do believe in Evolution just a little different from his though. Now I hear you laugh in derision, but just wait and hear me. Do you see that old sheep in yonder field? Yes, you say. Well I want to tell you she is in the evolution business. She eats the grass and it sprouts out in wool. Is that not evolution? Then they card and spin the wool, make cloth and dress goods which are taken by that wonderful conglomeration, John Northway & Co., who make it up in beautiful garments (which are the joy of the ladies) and they sell them to S. A. Letteney. Now, do you see that silk worm eating away at that mulberry leaf? Well, she will soon spin out silk threads; these are taken by the manufacturers and woven into beautiful silks and these are made into magnificent dresses, and sold to S. A. Letteney; then a young woman comes in and buys one and although charming before, yet more so after she puts this on; then she marries, her family grows up and become wonderful men and woman. This is the evolution we believe in.

S. A. LETTENNEY

## Millinery Opening

Saturday, April 3rd

We are opening New Goods every day and showing Untrimmed and ready-to-wear Hats.

A few nice Voile Dress Lengths and attractive White Goods.

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## TENDERS

TENDERS will be received up to April 10th, 1920, for the present Dominion Atlantic schooner "Isiah K. Stetson" to be moved from the premises of the Railway by June 1st, 1920.

## NURSING

WANTED - private nurse with B.Sc. degree. Learn without leaving home. Descriptive booklet sent on request.

## From prison cell to \$7,500 a year

M—was a forger—clever, hardened. He was "doing a stretch" for the third time. When in jail he accepted Christ.

HE was watched over and cared for. On his release he was placed, where his natural talents could be honourably used. Today he is drawing a salary of \$7,500 a year.

HE owes everything that makes life worth living to the ministry of

## The Salvation Army

308 Citadels and Institutions in this Territory --use them!

Saturday's evening train which left Yarmouth on schedule time was an hour late arriving here. Though informed of the dangerous condition of the road bed in several nearby places, she started on her route for Halifax. However after several vain attempts to cross weakened spots and after one of the engines left the track, and was embedded in the sand, she stopped to Weymouth. Quite a number of passengers were aboard and these were made comfortable at the Goodwin. Among them were Messrs. McRae, of the D.S.C.R., and Mr. Crosby and Armstrong of

## News of Weymouth

Loran Hayden, of Digby, was in town for a few days this week. Work of repairing damage done to the roads, began Monday morning, under the superintendence of Joseph Oliver.

A mild form of the very prevalent influenza, which is so prevalent hereabouts. The doctors are kept very busy night and day. As far as we know there have been no fatalities to date.

Miss Emma Doucette, the popular and efficient agent of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company, Ltd., was confined to the house with a bad cold is once more at work at the local office. Her place was filled during her absence by Miss Zilphia Hinkins, of the Yarmouth office.

R. S. Hallett has received an appointment as local agent of the D.S.C.R. This appointment will fill a long felt want, and will tend to facilitate questions affecting returned men. Appropriate the unemployment appropriation, we would suggest that all men feeling themselves entitled to monetary assistance should get a hurry on and interview R. S. Hallett on or before the last of the month. No applications will be received after March 31st. All men who enlisted for and saw active service are eligible.

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## Spring MILLINERY OPENING

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1920, and following days. An exclusive display of advanced Springtime Millinery. You are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Elizabeth Collins

## The Other Half Of Your Home

First the home must provide shelter; an escape from the elements, a place where food can be prepared, sewing done, and the family can sleep. But that's only one half of the home function.

The Other Half is the happier half made up of the hours of enjoyment spent together, the family songs, the music that rests and delights either by itself or with the accompaniment of a dance.

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Women's Night Robes,	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75
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Misses' Night Robes,	.75 and \$1.00 each.
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Soliciting your Whitebear business. We are, Yours truly,

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## EMDEN ELLIS LOST AT SEA

Three Nova Scotians and a Maine man, members of the crew of the St. John's registered three-masted schooner "Isiah K. Stetson," perished when that vessel was wrecked off Half Moon Shoal, four miles from Point St. Marks, on Sunday morning. Captain William G. Reicker, of 189 1-2 Victoria street St. John, the owner, and two seamen, Joseph W. Stetson, of New York, were rescued by the United States cutter "Acushnet," after the men had undergone a harrowing experience. The schooner sunk and there is little prospect of re-floating her. The "Stetson" was built at Brewer (N.C.), in 1883, by Colonel Stetson, and registered 271 tons.

A dispatch from Wood's Hole (Mass.) of the terrible experience through which the captain and crew passed. The dispatch is as follows: "News of the death of three Nova Scotia seamen was brought here today by the coast guard cutter "Acushnet" which rescued two of the crew of six of the tern schooner "Isiah K. Stetson," which was wrecked off Half Moon Shoal, southwest of Cape Cod, in Nantucket Sound, on Sunday morning. The schooner was bound for Lunenburg N. S., from New York with a cargo of coal.

The Nova Scotians who were lost were William McKay, the mate, and Manford Nickerson, seaman, of Yarmouth, and Emden Ellis, seaman, of Digby. Robert Hodgson, of Orland (N.C.), the cook, was also drowned. The survivors are Captain William Reicker and Seaman Joseph Watkins, of New York, who were rescued. They had been taken off. The men who lost their lives were washed away by the heavy waves.

Captain Reicker told the story of how the Canadian seamen lost their lives.

"It came on to blow from south to west with a gale of wind, then backed to the west southwest," he said. "I put out three anchors, but we dragged them five miles and went onto the shoals. It was two in the morning.

"We slipped over the shoals into a hole with five fathoms of water. The sea was high and we began to roll. The rails were barely out of the water and I ordered the men to take to the boats. Captain McKay and I remained on the top of the forward deck house, when they were washed overboard by a big one. Captain McKay and I remained on the top of the forward deck house, when they were washed overboard by a big one. Captain McKay and I remained on the top of the forward deck house, when they were washed overboard by a big one.

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## STUPID TICKET AGENT MIS-DIRECTS DIGBY PASSENGER

Young Man on Way to Barton Sent Around to Halifax from St. John.

"The Old Man" one of the regular correspondents of the Halifax Chronicle, always has an interesting letter concerning the territory served by the D. A. R., which seems to be his field. Last Monday he gave a great deal of space to a naval officer who was on his way to see his mother in Barton, Digby County. Although no names were mentioned he undoubtedly refers to Petty Officer Playe who was last week the guest of his parents in Barton, but who has since left for Esquimaux, B. C. The article is as follows:

"Quite naturally, the first hour and a half out of Halifax on the afternoon D. A. R. express, was used up, leaning on the scenery as we travelled through the Garden of the Gods, and I was wondering, how long, Oh Lord, would it be before Nova Scotia, especially this end of it, and our Railway Tourists departments would wake up to its beauties.

"I had to give it up, and just then noticed sitting in a seat, a man approaching middle age, dressed in a Naval Uniform, whose face indicated that 'HE HAD BEEN IN IT,' so I sat down beside him, and began to ask questions.

"I had not made a mistake, he certainly had a story to tell, but to tell even half of it would take up a great deal more space than The Chronicle could afford to let me have, but there is some of it I have to tell. I found that my country friend was born away out in Vancouver 42 years ago, and as a young boy had been in the Navy.

"Some twenty odd years ago, his parents removed to Nova Scotia, settling in the little hamlet of Barton, over in Digby County, but the years left behind them, continued to carry on, and then came the war. His kind, promptly responded to the call to duty, and he was transferred into the Imperial Service, and went overseas. He served on several ships, and rose to the rank of Petty Officer, and while his ship was on patrol, he was ordered to the West Coast of Africa, they had many a narrow escape from the damnable Hun Subs. Then he was ordered aboard the destroyer D 70, and the Baltic was their playground for the next four years, and they were sure to come back in sweeping up the mines that the bloodthirsty Hun was planting promiscuously for destruction of innocent lives. Did they have narrow escapes? Sure. Just one little incident will prove that, they were hanging in their nets, and as the 'Pocket' dived near the ship, they discovered a mine in the toils, and had they not managed to

stop the machinery just when they did, they would have been blown sky high and lost. The mine when arrested was less than six inches from the stern of the ship.

However there is an end to everything, even the collection of taxes, and the day came, when the news was flashed over the seas that 'The war was over,' and our boys in blue, began to think of home and mother, and the study young fellow sharing my seat was one of them. He had arrived on the steamer Minnedosa, at St. John, N. B., on Thursday, and having leave until April 14th, decided to visit his mother. He applied to the railway agent at St. John, as to the best way to reach home, naturally supposing, that they, who had not gone to war, were at least posted so that he would receive good and economical instructions as to how best to visit his mother.

However, it is up to the railway authorities centering in St. John, to get busy, and see to it, that they have men in positions of that kind, who at least know the geography of their own country. Here, was this hero, within forty miles of where mother lived across the Bay of Fundy, but, instead of sending him via palatial steamer Empress to Digby, from which point he could have walked home, they sold him a round trip ticket from St. John to Halifax, via the Government Railway. When he got to Halifax, another bunch sold him a return ticket from Halifax to Annapolis.

They were not to blame for there was no other way, unless he walked. There, he had to remain all night, and in the morning, he sought another ticket to North Range, from which point mother might be reached by a hired team. Ye Gods and Little Fishes! Here was a man nearing the half century mark, who had served his country ever since he was weaned, and for the past four and a half years had been in hell, is kept away from mother, for about sixty hours, and at an unnecessary expense TO HIM of thirty odd dollars. SIMPLY, because the Government employ, men in its passenger service at a country port, like St. John, who probably would be lost if they got away from Prince William Street, or the Market Slip. Sure we need a change of Government. I know a few Harborville kids that are still carrying nursing bottles, who would like to get to Naval hero, HOW TO go to Digby, without going over the Government Railway to Halifax first.

"In the meantime, is it any wonder (Continued on page eight)

## A BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF LOCAL HAPPENINGS

It has tickled me all to pieces to learn that a local firm have the contract for the new station. When the first announcement that the contract had gone to a Bridgetown firm was made I regretted that a Digby firm had not been successful, but next to a local house I do not know of anyone I would rather see have it than Bridgetown people. I understand that work will actually be started next week.

A proposed new school building is now very much the subject of discussion. I am a strong advocate of extensive improvements being made for the sake of our children and think a new school building would be the best way out of it. But at the same time during the past week I have heard a prominent business man make the remark that although something had to be done the town should move slowly. He advocated that before a new building should be decided upon that an architect with a reputation should be engaged to look over the present building and see if it could be remodelled and made into an up-to-date school at a reasonable expense. Of course if it were going to be an

expensive job it would be cheaper to build a new building in the first place. Maybe that suggestion is worth considering.

How is it that Digby has allowed so many of its historical points of interest to be wiped out or hidden during the past years. This town depends largely on the tourist traffic and there is nothing the average tourist is interested in so much as history. For instance there is Admiral Digby's well located near the government pier, filled in and almost forgotten. And yet it is an important point for many of the old deeds of property have it as a part of the description. It seems to be a sacrilege to hide a point as historical as that. Why could not the old well be cleared out, the walls repaired and a neat fence built around it. It would then be one of the show spots of the town and would not be an expensive job as the town men could do the work. Then there is the Beaman residence next door to the Variety Store, the first meeting place of the first Masonic Lodge of the town. A neat tablet with an inscription to that effect, would be very appropriate—and something

the Masons themselves could look after. All these things would help the town in every way and would show the rest of the province that we are proud of our history. I find that the same indifference is shown in other towns, for instance only a few months ago Shelburne allowed the old historical Fifth house, so-called, to be torn down, although it was the oldest house in the town and from the steps of which Shelburne was christened. Annapolis, of course, is full of history and they take pride in the preservation of the principal spots but the rest of our neighboring towns are no more vigilant than we are, and it is high time we got on to ourselves in this respect.

Lent is fast drawing to a close. In spite of the unusually severe winter through which we have just passed, it seems as though Christmas has hardly passed. Last Sunday in the Roman Catholic and Episcopal churches was Monday, the first of Sunday, and that of the following week, Palm Sunday, Holy week starts with the latter, concluding with Good Friday, April 2. Easter Sunday falls on April 4.

AERONAUT.

## A PLEA TO SAVE THE LOBSTER AND HERRING FISHERIES OF THE DOMINION

To the Editor of the Courier:

SIR: For the last twenty-five years it has been my aim to do all I could to bring to the attention of our general Government of this Dominion the great importance of saving the bait and lobster fisheries which were being annually destroyed to the great detriment of future generations. First I tried to stop the destruction of the immature herring which by the means of the sardine and lobster bait were being surely (if slowly) devastated. It was thought by many that the herring was so numerous that it was impossible to even deplete them, but all who understand the present herring fishery of the Dominion will readily substantiate the views I then held and which have almost come to pass. The trawls and shores where herring abounded in unknown quantities fifty years ago are today almost barren of this much desired fishery. Then the sardine fishing is almost depleted and destroyed, as also the jack-eyed salmon on the Pacific coast. Then after the State of Maine had forbidden the canning of the lobsters the canneries moved over to Canada to commence the destruction of this valuable fishery of our Dominion and with the assistance of our own canners, have exterminated one of the most valuable assets of our country and that in the face of the reports, of all the officials during the last few years. This is the strangest part of the

whole matter. For the last twenty years or more the Government officials have made annual reports to their respective Heads of the Fisheries Department, showing how this fishery was about exhausted and calling for drastic measures to save it, and the pull of the canners have made abortive every attempt to stop the yearly destruction of the immature lobster by one or two hundred millions, and Mr. Editor, one of the strangest things is this, that I cannot ascertain that one periodical of the Dominion has ever warned the people of this country to awake and demand of their members that they insist in the stoppage of this great waste of this once valuable, but now almost exhausted fishery. The Government of Maine last year passed, by quite a large majority vote, a resolution to allow the Fishermen of that State to catch and sell lobsters nine inches in length (the size being now 10 1/2 inches) But the Governor of that State at once vetoed it and it remained a dead letter. Here was a man who could see what this move meant to the fisheries of that State. Would that we had a lot of such men who realized the state of this fishery at present.

E. C. BOWERS.

Westport, March 12.

## INQUISITIVE WANTS TO KNOW

To the Editor of the Courier:

SIR—Nearly a year ago I saw in your paper an account of a former Digby boy (now residing at Sussex, N. B.) who had sold an invention of his (or part of it) of which it was stated that he could by means of a loaded battery hold electricity for working and lighting purposes and which was so contrived that it would renew itself after being used and allowed to rest for a period of time. This would be a very handy way to light a dwelling house and one would not have to run an engine if this could be perfected, but would merely have to bat batteries/reloaded occasionally—I have often wondered if there were anything in it and if such a means of lighting would ever come to fruition.

INQUISITIVE.

In addition to the few in hospital, there are still 10 German Prisoners of war in England. One is a U-boat captain named Rucker, three are flying officers and six non-commissioned flying officers. They are destined at a special camp at Osevestry, although no specific charge has been made against them, it is understood that they are required in connection with war crimes.

Aberdeen, Scotland, is popularly known as the Granite City from the fact that it has more buildings of solid granite than any other city of its size in the world.

## Music in the Home

BACH AND HANDEL—No. 9

A Series of Talks on Music, now running in The Courier By C. C. Lougher, Mus. Bac., Bowmanville.

Bach and Handel were the greatest musicians of the day. In some respects they were similar to each other and in others very much different. They were born in the same year and in the same country. Bach married three times, having 20 children born to him. Handel never married. Bach was born in a family that was said to be the most musical known in history. Handel was born to a family that was not musical at all. Bach remained in Germany and was devoted to home life. Handel travelled much and finally made England his home. Both Bach and Handel in later life became blind.

BACH.

J. S. Bach was a great representative of a wonderful family of musicians. He not only had a long line of musical ancestors himself, but he was also said to have been the direct ancestor of Robert Schumann, Brahms, and Wagner. He was a composer of organ and chamber music, and his music was known in all parts of the world. He died on July 28, 1750, at the age of 65. Bach was an able performer on stringed instruments and wrote much orchestral music, and as one writer says of him, "That without Sebastian Bach and his matchless studies for the piano, Organ and Orchestra, we could not have had the varied musical development in sonata and symphony from the great masters that followed." No one man has left so deep a mark on the history of music nor has exerted so strong and far-reaching an influence upon the subsequent development of the art as he. Sebastian Bach is the great source and foundation from whom all modern music has derived its life and vigor. He was a man of great faith and courage, and his music was a reflection of his inner life.

Sebastian Bach was born at Eisenach, March 31, 1685. He became a pupil of his brother, but he soon absorbed all of the teacher's knowledge and still longed for more. Christopher, the older brother, has been accused of jealousy and kept from J. S. the fine collection of books and manuscripts which he owned and which Sebastian longed most ardently to study. So great was the boy's eagerness to possess the music, that he got hold of it by stealth at night and copied it all by moonlight, only to have it destroyed by his stern elder brother when discovered. This copying took 6 months and the strain on his eyes caused, it is said, to have resulted in the blindness which came upon him later in life. In 1703 Bach was appointed Violinist in the Court Orchestra of Prince Johann Ernst of Weimar. He was appointed organist of the new church at Arnstadt. In 1706 he applied for and obtained the position of organist at the Church of St. Blasius at the salary of \$35 a year together with certain quantities of corn, wood and fish, to be delivered without charge at his door. Upon this salary he was able to marry.

While at Weimar as Court Organist to the Grand Duke, Bach became not only the finest Organist of his time, but the greatest composer for the Organ, the world has ever known. In 1717 Bach accepted the position offered by Prince Leopold of Anhalt as conductor and director of his chamber music. While at Carlsbad, on one of his trips with Prince Leopold, Bach's wife died very suddenly—news could be gotten to him and on his return he was buried. Bach was left with a family of 10 children, he about 18 months after married.

One of the world's most gifted musicians, born at Halle, lower Saxony, of a family that possessed no musical talent. His father was a Surgeon-barber and was 65 years of age when his son was born. George was to be trained in law, consequently the father discouraged the early signs of an aptitude for music even keeping him from school for fear of learning the musical scale, and forbidding the visits to the homes where music was being yet during this time he was practicing upon the harpsichord in secret. A little later the father had an occasion to visit the Duke of Saxony, Weissenfels; little George begged of his father to take him along. The Duke was a great patron of music and young George having been playfully placed at the piano astonished the Duke at his wonderful talent. The Duke expostulated with the elder Handel and urged him to encourage such extraordinary genius. George was therefore placed under the organist Zachare for instruction. George made fine progress studying Singing, Organ, Clavier, Violin and all the other instruments used in Orchestral playing.

When eleven years of age he composed several numbers that showed great skill and feeling. He continued his studies, using the Organ (Continued on page eight)

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depends on the job you do at overhauling now. If you slight the repairs and overhauling you will have to pay up in loss of pleasure or work, most likely at the time when you need the car badly. In purchasing goods for our Auto Repair customers are try to please both in price and quality. Our Ford parts are made by reliable manufacturers and some are made by those who make for the Ford company. Our Ford prices you will find, with but few exceptions, the same as in the Ford price list. Our stock list covers Ford Rear Axles and Drive Shafts, Radius Rods, Auxiliary Rods, Ring Gears and Pinions, Rods, Bearings and Sleeves, Valves and Springs, Coil Vibrators, Anti-Rattlers, Brake Shoes, Ball Races, Retainers and Steel Ball Races, Spring Assemblies, Arm and Body Bolts, Cyl. Head Bolts, Drive Shaft Keys, Rear Hub Keys, Front and Rear Hub Assemblies, Spindles and Spring Shackles, Bushings, Brake Shoe Linings, Hub and Drum Keys, Curtains, Lights, Connecting Rods, Gaskets, Oil Gauges, Overhaul Kits, Piston Rings, Spring Shackles, Turners, Ignition Wires, Felt Gaskets, Fan Belts.

For General Repairs we stock Brake Lining 1 to 2 in., Lining Rivets 1/4 to 3/8 in., Grinding Compound, Sheet and Spiral Packings, Sheet Celluloid, Cap and Set Screws, Lock Washers, Oils and Greases, Ignition and Lighting Wire.

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## Clothes, Hats & Haberdashery

Here you will find the very newest in wearing apparel for Men, Young Men and Boys. Don't buy elsewhere until you have seen and priced our goods; and we feel sure that you will make your purchase here as we can save you from \$5.00 to \$10.00 on that new Easter Suit you are thinking of buying.

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It's all too true that many children have a dislike for animal fats, yet the same children will readily take, and relish

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This choice is instinctive and is linked up with the fact that Scott's is assimilated when other forms of fat are a disturbing element. Give your boy and girl plenty of energizing and warmth-imparting Scott's Emulsion.

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Teas at 55, 60, 65, 70 and 80 cts. per lb.  
Tilson's Scotch Fine Cut Oatmeal 35c per pkg.  
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We are still selling Happy Home Soap at 5c, and Comfort at 9c per bar. Snowflake Ammonia 10c per pkg. Handy Ammonia in 5 and 10c pkgs. Smoked Herring 12c per lb.

**ROSS C. SMALLIE, MANAGER**

## Millinery Opening

Saturday, April 3rd

We are opening New Goods every day and showing Untrimmed and ready-to-wear Hats.

A few nice Voile Dress Lengths and attractive White Goods.

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now is the time to have your engine overhauled. Have everything put in good shape for spring, have the crank shaft trued up just as good as new. We do all classes of machine work. Iron and Brass Castings. We have the agencies for

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### JOGGIN BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sproule, of Bear River East, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Woodman on Wednesday.

Reice Foster of Port Lorne, who has been visiting his brother, C. W. Foster, has returned home.

Mrs. E. M. Bancroft who has been spending the winter in New York has returned home.

John O. W. Dittmar, of Deep Brook, spent Wednesday with Mrs. A. M. Cosset.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Woodman called on friends at Victoria Bridge on Monday.

Misses Louise Combsom and Stella Woodman, of Sun Cove, spent Friday with Mrs. H. J. Woodman.

Mrs. Daniel Sullivan, of Digby, spent a few days last week with her niece, Mrs. Norman Dubechire.

Mrs. Florence Smith, of Acadiaville, spent Tuesday with Miss Mina Gilliat.

Mrs. Jas. R. Winchester called on relatives in Marshalltown last week.

Miss Gertrude D. Digby, was the week end guest of Mrs. N. Dukeshire.

R. W. Gilliat, of Victoria Bridge, and family spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Gilliat.

Mrs. Byron Fritz, of West Brookline, has returned home, after having spent a week with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Foster.

Mrs. Henry J. Woodman entertained a few of our young ladies at a very enjoyable quilting party on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. W. Foster has returned to Hampton, where she will resume her treatment for rheumatism. She was accompanied by her husband.

Work has been resumed on the public highway under the supervision of W. E. Gilliat.

Bernard L. Smith, of Acadiaville, spent Tuesday evening with friends here.

A goodly number of our young folks were present at a birthday party, given at the home of Fred B. Roop, on Tuesday evening in honor of his brother Clarence.

The evening was very pleasantly spent in music and games. A solo was very ably rendered by Miss Lucre Winchester, also duet by Miss and Roy Gilliat. Refreshments were served, and at a late hour the party dispersed, all reporting a good time.

### PRINCEDALE

Forman Wright is spending a few days at Lloyd Wright, Plympton.

Mrs. Harold Fish spent the past week with Mrs. Lottie Fraser, at Bear River East.

Lorna Wright bought a nice yoke of cattle from James Simms, of Marshalltown, the past week.

Miss Jennie Foster returned home from Granville Ferry Friday. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Goldie Bohrer.

Mrs. Lottie Fraser and family moved to their new home at Bear River East on Monday, March 15th.

Mrs. Robert Davidson returned to Bear River last week after spending a few days with friends here.

**10 CENT "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS**

Cure Sick Headache, Constipation, Bilelessness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath—Candy Caramel.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable you are from constipation, indigestion, bilelessness and sluggish bowels—you always get relief with Cascarets. They immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the food, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. A 10-cent box of your drug gist will keep your liver and bowels clean; stomach sweet and lead clear for months. They work while you sleep.

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To learn how to dye, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

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### CHAIRS FOR THE ALMOUSE.

The following is a copy of a letter sent to E. C. Bowers this week:

Dear Sir:—In compliance with your request for "easy chairs for the Almshouse at Marshalltown for the comfort of the aged and infirm who reside there," we, the people of Plympton Ward, No. 7, have done what we could to procure the same.

I took the matter up at once after reading your letter in the Courier, and although I did not follow your suggestion in regard to forwarding the money, I took what I found to be the most popular method for this district, trusting that you would pardon me, knowing that getting the chairs was the important object.

It might interest you to hear of our method.

The District was divided in five sections, one solicitor being appointed for each section as follows—viz.

Gilberts Cove Mr. Eva Amfrault  
North Range Mr. F. E. Warner  
Plympton Station Mr. A. W. Andrews  
Douceville Mr. Willard Thibault  
North Range Mr. J. Van Andover

It was explained to each that if they solicited enough for a chair that they had the privilege of choosing their own chair from T. Eaton Co's catalogue and I would have printed on the back of each chair, "by whom presented."

These the T. Eaton Co. at Moncton N. B. and requested them to advise me whether they would do this for me.

Providing I sent the order for chairs to them. The following is a copy of part of a letter which I received in reply:

Dear Sir:—We would suggest using a name plate on chairs mentioned, and we will have one suitably engraved for you free of extra charge.

In the meantime I received the following letter from Rev. P. O. Thibault:

Plympton N. S. Feb. 23rd 1920.

Dear Sir:—Enclosed please find my cheque for \$8.00 to buy an arm chair for the poor house.

I am much interested in the welfare of that institution and the poor folks there.

I would like to visit every week all those inmates, only I am so far from them.

Yours truly  
P. O. THIBAUT.

Mrs. H. W. B. Warner, of Plympton, expressed her sympathy by forwarding \$8.50 for a special chair.

Clarence Thomas, of North Range, donated \$7.75 for a chair of his own choosing.

The returns from the five sections are as follows:

Douceville \$ 8.10  
Gilberts Cove 6.00  
North Range and Bloomfield 8.00  
Plympton Station 5.25  
Plympton 5.50

Total amount received \$ 22.70  
Price of chairs 1.50

The chairs are to arrive at North Range station and from there they will be delivered to the Almshouse.

Now Sir, I have written the above for a two fold purpose. First to show my appreciation for you; second, to thank you and those who have so earnestly helped in this.

Very sincerely yours,  
J. VAN ANDOVER.

All of which is very commendable and the only object the Courier has is that the chairs were bought from the source mentioned. This paper thinks the chairs of last week, purchased locally, either at Digby, Weymouth or Bear River, or from some of the furniture dealers in Clare, Good satisfaction could have been obtained in any place.

### ASHMORE

Owing to the heavy winds the fishermen have been unable to start in lobster fishing.

During the gale of the 18th the two sons of George Johnson, of Waterford, were on sealing traps and their engine gave out, the anchor would not hold, so they drifted across the bay and ran ashore at Doly's Landing.

The help of the men and boys their boat was saved. They were very cold as they were in the boat about 10 hours. They were taken to the house of Wm. H. Brooker and Geo. E. Doly where they were cared for by the night. Their parents and friends were anxious until they received the message that they were safe. We hope to see them again in the near future but not in a pale of woe.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kenney are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley L. Brooks and son Stanley arrived by S. Northland on the 20th from Reading, Mass.

John James and Alfred White arrived by S. S. Northland on the 20th to attend the funeral of their brother Charlie.

Sorry to report Mrs. Ellsworth Kinney sick with pneumonia. We wish her a speedy recovery.

### KARSDALE

Our ladies are again busy making mats and quilts.

Service was held in the Baptist church on Sunday by Rev. Mr. McCabe.

Mrs. A. W. Chisholm who has spent the past week at Granville Ferry, has returned to her home here.

Capt. and Mrs. G. B. McLean spent Thursday with friends in Stony Beach.

When we read our local papers giving an account of havoc wrought by the ever storm of last week, it made me feel that "Our tent is now pitched in a safer place." Little or no damage was done here, only one slight washout on the railroad which was soon repaired sufficiently to allow the first train to pass over.

Our community was saddened on Saturday evening when it became known that Olivia, wife of Harry Anthony, had passed away. Much sympathy is extended to those who mourn. We have all lost a good friend.

James Kelley who spent the winter in Kings County is making a short stay at his home here.

### PARKEE'S COVE

Sorry to report Thomas Miller coming to the house with an attack of neuritis at the time of writing.

John Longman, of Hillsburn, recently called on Mrs. David Miller.

Miss Ethel Weir is visiting friends in Mocheville.

Mrs. Rodney Hudson, of Lynn Mass, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Willard Anderson, and Mrs. Louis Hudson, this week.

F. P. Mills and Rupert Troop, of T. Eaton Co. were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Miller.

## GUARD AGAINST THE 'FLU

Serious Outbreaks of Influenza all over Canada

**GOOD HEALTH IS THE SUREST SAFEGUARD**

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" Brings Vigor and Vitality and Thus Protects Against Disease

There can be no doubt that the situation regarding the spread of influenza throughout Canada is one of grave concern. It is quite true that the number of cases does not constitute an epidemic such as caused the suffering and sorrow during the terrible days of 1918. Yet there is no disputing the fact that everyone should be on their guard against the disease.

In Montreal alone, from January 20th to February 1st, there thronged one hundred and twenty-two cases of influenza and 189 deaths from the disease were reported to the Health Department.

If the outbreak had come at the beginning of the winter instead of the end, we might reasonably feel that the very cold weather would check the spread of the disease. But coming as it has, at the end of the winter, there is grave fear that an epidemic may occur.

For spring is as yet in the air under foot, its dampness and chill, its constant changing from cold to warm and back again, is a prolific source of coughs and colds, pleurisy and pneumonia.

The best protection, in fact, the only safeguard against the 'Flu, is, GOOD HEALTH.

Those who are not as well and strong as they should be; those who are underweight; those who are "run-down" through overwork or sickness; should build up at once. What they need is a Blood-purifier, a body-builder, a strength-giver, like "Fruit-a-tives", the wonderful fruit medicine.

"Fruit-a-tives" regulates the kidneys and bowels, causing the organs to eliminate waste regularly and naturally as nature intended. "Fruit-a-tives" keeps the active and insures an abundant supply of pure, rich blood. "Fruit-a-tives" tones up and strengthens the organs of digestion, increases the appetite, brings restful sleep and renews the vitality of the nervous system.

"Fruit-a-tives" gives you everything that an ideal tonic should have; to purify the blood, to build up strength and vigor, and to destroy the eliminating organs, so that the whole system would be in the best possible condition.

Now is the time to build up your health and strength, not only as a prelude against the ravages of influenza, but also to protect you against "spring fever" and the inevitable reaction which comes with the appearance of warmer weather. Get a box of "Fruit-a-tives" today and let this fruit medicine keep you well.

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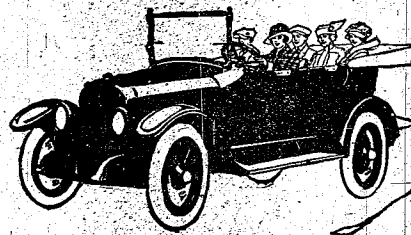
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" " " "	2.00, 2.25, 2.50, and 2.75 each.
Misses' Night Robes,	.75 and \$1.00 each.
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Misses' " "	.65 and .95 pair.
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Corset Covers,	.30, .45, .50, .70, .75 and \$1.00 each.
Women's Envelope Chemise,	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.75, 2.00, 2.25 each.
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He has his summer-home in the Arctic circle, the Land of the Midnight Sun, where, for many weeks, darkness is unknown. When he sees the sun making its way alarmingly near the horizon, he dips for a few hours each day out of sight. He begins to think of his winter home in the Antarctic circle, even though twilight and dawn still overlap so that it is never dark.

"This is God's own country in the summer, but it belongs to the Prince of Darkness in the winter," he says to himself, and bids Mrs. Tern and the children prepare for their yearly trip south.

Nor do they stop at Palm Beach, for the tern is one who does everything thoroughly. If he wants daylight and sunlight, it is not for an eight-hour day, but for the whole twenty-four hours. If he sees south, he does barely north of the South Pole. It is an eleven thousand mile trip, but the Tern family are good divers and can easily make two or three hundred miles a day without motor trouble.

By the time he reaches the Antarctic, he finds his home basking in the sunlight for virtually the whole day. About June 16 he is back in his Arctic home. His summer exists in the most northern land in the world, as far north as he can find anything stable on which to construct his nest. So Arctic are the conditions under which the terns breed that the first nest found by man in this region, only seven and half degrees from the pole, contained a downy chick surrounded by a wall of newly-fallen snow that had been scooped out of the nest by the parent.

About fourteen weeks later, August 25, when the little terns are full grown, and have become experienced aviators, the entire family start out for that long journey to the regions of greatest heat, across the equator, and then on to the southern edge of the Antarctic continent. They probably spend a few weeks longer in their winter than in their summer home, and this would leave scarcely twenty weeks for the round, trip of 22,000 miles.

In the north, the midnight sun, which has already appeared before their arrival in the middle of June, never sets during their entire stay at the breeding grounds. In their Antarctic sojourn the birds do not see a sunset for two months, and the sun dips only a little way below the horizon during the rest of the time, while daylight during the winter and summer and with more daylight than dark during the spring and fall.

## A New Landmark.

A new landmark will shortly appear above the trees of Kew Gardens near London. Already there is of course the famous Pagoda, but a new landmark will rise many feet into the air above the Pagoda. It is the giant flagstaff, weighing 18 tons, and 215 feet high, presented by the British Columbian Government to Kew Gardens some four years ago. Arriving London by the R. M. S. P. in December, 1915, it was afterwards towed up the river to Kew, and is now about to be erected by Canadians in the garden. Its first use, as it is said, will probably be that of flying the Flag of Victory and Peace in the forthcoming peace celebrations.

## The Indian Callender.

Among the Indians time is calculated by moons instead of months. January is called "the hard moon"; February, "the racoon moon"; March, "the sore eye moon"; April, "the moon in which geese lay eggs"; May, "the plaining moon"; June, "the moon when strawberries are ripe"; July, "the moon when choke berries are ripe"; August, "the harvest moon"; September, "the moon when rice is laid up to dry"; October, "the rice-drying moon"; November, "the deer-killing moon"; and December, "the deer moon."

## Power Boats In Rapids.

Capt. Klaus Larsen, in his little motor boat Ferro, made a successful trip from the foot of the cataract through the Whirlpool rapids of Niagara Falls on September 19, 1910. Despite the battering of the Whirlpool rapids, Larsen went through safely. The little boat was lost to sight most of the time, but at Great Wave it was shot 20 feet out of the water. Except the old Maid and Mist, sent through in 1934 to avoid seizure, Larsen's is the only engine-propelled craft to have gone through the rapids.

## Hazardous Sport.

You can now buy a used airplane of the Government for \$2,000, and the hospital operation will only cost another \$200, while the weeping relatives will take care of the undertaker's bill and the monument.

No person in this province can operate a motor car in this province between March 20th and May 1st, without a special permit. This law is intended to protect our highways against the vagaries of motor cars ploughing through the mud and utterly destroying the roads.

## A YOUTHFUL GENERAL.

Canadian Officer Gives Lacopie Account of Career.

Few cases of rapid rise in rank of soldier can compare with the record of Brig.-Gen. Alfred Cecil Critchley. When the war began he was 24 years old and a lieutenant in the Canadian army. In February, 1918, he had reached the brigadier's grade, and assumed command of the air and ground training school of the Royal Flying Corps.

In New York the other day he was asked how it had happened. His answer was laconic and without frills:

"I started soldiering back in 1908. When the war broke out I was a lieutenant in Lord Strathcona's Horse. That is the name of the Canadian permanent forces. We went over to England soon after the war started. By December, 1915, I was promoted to the rank of major, and shortly afterwards was made brigadier staff captain. (In the British army a brigade staff captain is a rank higher than a regimental major.) Next came the grade of general staff officer of the third grade in a Canadian division, followed by the rank of brigade major."

By August, 1916, I was general staff officer of the second grade. I was then asked by Gen. Byng, who was in command of the Canadian army, to organize an officer training school for the Canadian corps. I went back to England for this purpose in November, 1916, with the rank of colonel. We started the school at Hoxhill, where I was made general staff officer of the first grade. I kept in contact with the British in England and France, continually crossing and recrossing the Channel, and the officers trained at the school were coming on. The school proved a great success, and in February, 1918, I was assigned the command of the officer and cadet training school of the Royal Flying Corps with the rank of brigadier general."

Critchley wears two wound stripes on his left arm, and one red stripe on his right. The four blue stripes on his right arm indicate his four years of service. He was wounded in August, 1915, while fighting with the French at Messines Ridge, and later was wounded at the Battle of St. Michael and St. George. When asked to tell what special feat of bravery had given him the two decorations he replied:

"Nothing; the same things that were done by thousands of other men. I was in it in it. Nothing extraordinary about it."

## Canadian Faces And Anzac Faces.

Some who watched Saturday's march of the overseas troops noticed they detected the emergence of national types. Seeing large bodies of men from Australia, Canada, and New Zealand in the mass is different thing from coming on equal numbers scattered in various places. It was the long succession of faces which seemed to imprint on the observers brain a recognizable composite photograph, as it were, of the Australian, Canadian, and New Zealanders respectively.

Comparing impressions after the march, two men who cherished this fancy agreed on the Australian and Canadian types. The Australian, they told each other, was a fine fellow physically, and had a countenance which would look well on an old Roman coin, there being about a suggestion of the features of an ancient imperialist. The Canadian, on the other hand, was more English in his traits, and but for a certain emphatic beard, gave the impression of an excellent Cockney. As for the New Zealanders, one of the two observers had carried away an impression of a slender and more agile make, with a richer coloring, both in face and eyes, than either the Australian or the Canadian. The second man denied that New Zealand had evolved a type; but, as he happened to be a New Zealander himself, it might be argued that his perception was obscured by familiarity.

Prof. Keith, the eminent anthropologist, who has recently been giving us such interesting lessons from the human skull, was asked whether this empirical method of judging was soundly based. Though sympathetic, he was not reassuring, being inclined to think that Englishmen and their overseas brethren were mingled in equal proportions it would be difficult, not impossible, to distinguish between them. Climate, conditions produced superficial differences. The New Zealanders' color, for example, might be ascribed to the atmospheric surroundings of his life at home; to the same causes, indeed, which impart the tinge to the Englishman's cheek, and to which the English girl owes her complexion.

But science is so far from being dogmatic on the question that it regrets the opportunity afforded by the massed presence of so many members of the British family in England has been owing to the immediate necessities of war. Instructional data might have been obtained, and to which the English girl owes her complexion.

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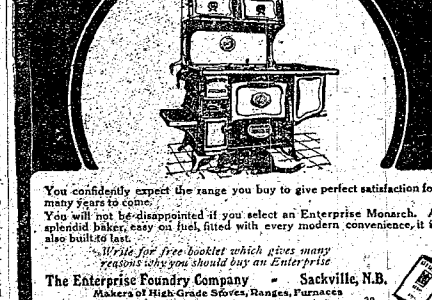
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# Important Notice!

## Your Income Tax Return Should be Filed at Once!!

All persons residing in Canada, employed in Canada, or carrying on business in Canada, are liable to a tax on income, as follows:

Every unmarried person, or widow, or widower, without dependants as defined by the Act, who during the calendar year, 1919, received or earned \$1,000 or more.

All other individuals, who during the calendar year, 1919, received or earned \$2,000 or more.

Every corporation and joint stock company, whose profits, exceeded \$2,000 during the fiscal year ended in 1919.

**CLASS 1**  
Forms to be used in filing returns on or before the 31st of March, 1920:

Trustees, executors, administrators, agents and assignees must use Form T 1.

Employers making a return of the names and amounts paid to all directors, officials, agents or other employees must use Form T 4.

Corporations and joint stock companies making a return of all dividends and bonuses paid to shareholders and members during 1919, must use Form T 5.

NOTE: Individuals completing returns must file the return in their own handwriting on Form T 1 or T 2.

**PENALTY**  
Every person who is required to make this return, who fails to do so within the time limit, shall be subject to a penalty of \$10.00 for each day during which the default continues—and all such penalties shall be assessed and collected from the person liable to make the return in the same manner in which taxes are assessed and collected.

Address of Inspector of Taxation for this District:

HALIFAX, N.S.

R. W. BREADNER, Commissioner of Taxation.

## Time Limit

All persons in Class 1, as shown hereon, must file on or before the 31st of March, 1920.

All persons in Class 2, as shown hereon, must file on or before the 30th of April, 1920.

## General Instructions

Obtain Forms from the Inspectors or Assistant Inspectors of Taxation, or from Postmasters.

Read carefully all instructions on Form before filling it in.

Prepay postage on letters and documents forwarded by mail to Inspectors of Taxation.

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ness, she was tenderly and lovingly minis-

ures, they devoted themselves wholly to their mother's comfort and cheer. But all that medical skill or loving care could do was of no avail. The Lord whom she served, had a mansion ready for her, in that "beautiful land on high." Mrs. Stocomb was a faithful consistent member of the Baptist Church. Regular in her attendance, at the services, she was ever ready to have her share "in its activities."

But we know, what is our loss is her gain. She has been promoted to higher service in the life beyond. The funeral service was conducted at the house by her pastor, Rev. M. W. Brown and was largely attended, after which interment took place at Port George. A beautiful bunch of

tributes from kind friends adorned the casket. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband who has lost a beautiful wife, and capable helpmate; for the daughter, Mrs. Hallet Daniels, of Mt. Hanley, and son Milford, at home, who mourn a very devoted mother. She

**Wedding Bells**

**SEELEY-FREAM.**  
The marriage of Miss Daisy Phyllis Fream, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Fream, Brighton, and William Fairfield Seeley, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Seeley, Brighton, took place in St.

The bride is a graduate nurse of the Newark City Hospital and the bridegroom served three years in the 85th Nova Scotia Highlanders.

and Mrs. John W. Sproule, of College Road, Windsor, was married on Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, to William S. Bigelow, of Canso. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. S. Kinley, pastor of the Windsor Baptist Church.

Miss Mina Johnson. She wore a tailored suit of grey tricotine with grey squirrel furs and a becoming picture hat of black and sand georgette. Her boquet was a shower of roses and maiden hair fern.

J. H. Hicks & Son, of Bridgetown, have given up the contract for the new station here, and it has since been awarded to Deane & Co. of London.

I've recovered from the "flu," but I'm feeling worn and weak, and my nose and lips are blue, and my hinges groan and creak. Racked and broken down I am, and, colour, have I, behold, that and

unscrewed; and my ribs are flapping loose. I have pains throughout my trunk, and I'm feeling like the deuce, if the deuce is feeling puuk. Soon again—I may be strong, but no cheerful thoughts I think; something else will come along that will

strong and hale;" but he's talking through his fez and he ought to be in jail; for he knows diseases wait round the corner just ahead, and they'll get me, soon or late and they'll ride me till I'm dead.

**Organized  
At Bear River**

Miss MacDougall spoke particularly of the advantages to be derived from having

After some discussion a motion was passed to form an Institute here, and the following officers were elected.

President - Mrs. L. J. Lovett  
1st Vice President - Mrs. F. H. Bone.  
2nd Vice President - Mrs. W. J. Wright.  
Secretary - Mrs. J. Arthur Rice.  
Treasurer - Mrs. A. B. Marshall.  
Directors - Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs.  
Reginald, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. L. V. Harris

Miss A. McGinty, Mrs. W. W. Wade, Mrs. Harry Harris, Mrs. Thelbert Rice, Mrs. Randall, Mrs. Carl Miller, Mrs. Melbourne Rice, Mrs. Joseph Langley.

And tors—Miss Mahel Harris, Miss Irene Campbell.

A second meeting was called on March

Entertaining, Publicity, Visiting Sick Charity and School Committees were appointed, also a short programme was enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening April 20th, when each member will be allowed to invite a friend, and the meeting will be held in the town, and outlaying districts.

Women's Institutes are supplying long felt need of an organization that has an elastic constitution, allowing its members to take up all matters pertaining to the good of the town—patriotic, social,

The Bear River Institute has already applied for the travelling library offered by McGill university, and is looking forward to the establishment of a first class circulating library for the use of its members, in the future.

understood; but with its large membership roll, it bids fair to become a valuable factor for the development of Bear River community life.

The regular meetings of the Institute are free to all ladies interested.

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and need a good spring tonic and builder take  
**Rexall Tasteless Preparation of  
Cod Liver Oil with Extract of Malt  
and Hypophosphites**

A splendid protection against the "Flu"  
Price \$1.00  
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**P. W. HOLDSWORTH**  
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## Barbed Wire

We have just received a shipment of 4 point  
Galvanized Barbed Wire and can sell at a right  
price as you will observe.

Catalogue house quotes \$6.20 for 80 rod spool,  
which is exactly \$7.75 per hundred.

We quote \$7.00 per hundred, spools contain-  
ing from 78 to 100 pounds. We can also supply  
the staples, and solicit your orders.

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## Popularity

In Style and Price

## Satisfaction

In Fit and Wear Service

Are the Big Features of the  
Shoes we are showing for  
this Easter Trade.

## Digby Boot and Shoe Store

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**TO BOSTON, MONTREAL  
and all Points in  
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at Lowest Rates**

For fares, sleeping accommodation, and other information  
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## Advertising Talk

WHEN you put an ad in  
The Courier you send  
your message into 2,500  
homes. Allowing the small  
average of five to a family,  
that means that your message  
appeals to 12,500 possible  
buyers.

If an advertisement costs  
you \$3.00 per week it is at the  
rate of \$1.00 per 835 families  
or \$1.00 per 4,175 possible  
buyers—10c per 417 buyers—  
1c per 42 buyers.

Is there any cheaper way  
of placing your business mes-  
sage before the people of  
Digby and the surrounding  
country than by an advertise-  
ment in The Courier?  
THINK IT OVER.

## NOTICE

To all farmers and gardeners who in-  
tend purchasing this

## Best Fertilizer

We are pleased to say we are handling  
the best fertilizer in the market this sea-  
son. We have fish and potash which has  
not been on the market for years. Just  
give it a trial. I will have one carload  
at the last of March.

Prices will be right. Reduced at the  
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Also farm machinery, gasoline and oil,  
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Beautiful  
Easter or Comic  
Post Cards postpaid  
for 10c in silver. No  
trash. Order quick.

**The Novelty Store**  
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Abertown, Scotland, is popularly  
known as the Granite City, from  
the fact that it has more buildings  
of solid granite than any other city  
of its size in the world.

## MOTHERS!

Watch your children's health. As  
soon as you see the slightest trace  
of a rash or sore, apply Zam-Buk.  
This antiseptic balm will protect  
the sore place from infection, pre-  
vent it from spreading and healing  
soon follows.

Careful mothers always keep  
Zam-Buk on hand for their children's  
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quickly and prevents any possi-  
bility of festering. Best for cuts,  
burns, scalds, bruises, ringworm,  
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Save your hair! Get a small bottle  
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Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy  
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There is nothing so destructive to  
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of its life, its strength, and its very  
life; eventually producing a feverish-  
ness and itching of the scalp, which if  
not remedied causes the hair roots to  
shrink, loosen and die—then the hair  
falls out fast. A little Danderine to-  
night—now—any time—will surely save  
your hair.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's  
Danderine from any drug store. You  
surely get beautiful hair and lots  
of it if you will just try a little Dan-  
derine. Save your hair! Try it!

**LIFT OFF CORNS!**

Apply few drops then lift sore,  
touchy corns off with  
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Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little  
Freestone on an aching corn instantly  
that corn stops hurting, then you lift it  
right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freestone costs but  
a few cents at any drug store, but is  
sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft  
corn, or corn between the toes and the  
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Look, Mother! If tongue is coated,  
cleanse little bowels with "Cali-  
form" Syrup of Figs.

Mother can rest easy after giving  
"Caliform" Syrup of Figs. It is a  
few hours all the clogged-up waste,  
sour bile and fermenting food gently  
moves out of the bowels, and you have  
a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to  
take this harmless "fruit laxative".  
Millions of mothers keep it handy be-  
cause they know its action on the stom-  
ach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of  
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tains directions for babies, children, of  
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and Brain; increases "gray matter";  
keeps life and energy in prompt and sure  
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## CENTREVILLE

A tiny feather from above  
As innocent as you please,  
As pure as any little dove,  
Still some folk say a tease.

This guest in the morning caller,  
Dropped in the heart's deep well,  
Scolding the mid-day bawler,  
If you mind that don't tell.

This stranger has a free pass to  
Each mother's best affection,  
And even the your love is near,  
Always use correction.

This Sunday crawler, we may say,  
Makes many nurse light,  
What of that? there are hopes today  
The future will be bright.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd  
Cox on the arrival of a parcel from  
Babyland, March 15th. The pretty  
nurse we hear to be "Florence Ger-  
trude".

While passing over the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Albert Peters on St. Patrick's  
Day, March 17th, the stork dropped a  
baby girl.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Fred  
Morehouse on the arrival of a boy, March  
20th.

Mrs. Alfred Lewis left last week for a  
few weeks visit in the United States.

The "Canadian Girl in Training" and  
the "Turis Boy" held their social night  
evening, in the building at C.  
Morton's (held by the boys). About  
forty attending, games were played, re-  
freshments served and a good time spent  
by all.

Walter Lacey recently returned home  
from Halifax, where he spent a week  
with friends.

Mrs. and Mrs. Douglas Denton are  
spending a few weeks in the United  
States.

Gregence Morehouse has lately left for  
Fredericton, where he is employed with  
F. E. Davis Co.

A few of the young people of this place  
attended a party at Seabrook on the 16th,  
inst. given by Miss Lena Hitchcock.

Beecher Morehouse, of Freeport, called  
on his family here last week. On his re-  
turn he was accompanied by Lynn Shaw,  
who has accepted a position in the fac-  
tory there.

Mrs. A. Boutillier and son Alfred, re-  
turned Monday, the 15th, on a few days  
visit with her mother, Mrs. A. Gidney,  
of Digby.

Miss Lucy O'Neill, of Mink Cove, is  
visiting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Tins,  
of Digby.

Mrs. and Mr. Boyd Dakin, of Berwick,  
have returned home and have opened up  
their house for a few weeks.

Instead of the usual prayer meeting  
last week, Rev. Wm. Owen held a cottage  
meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Alfred Ward.

Beecher Morehouse, who is to remove  
his family to Westport, has sold his prop-  
erty to Delancy Raymond who will soon  
take possession.

Rev. Mr. Owen has organized some  
"cottage meetings" to take the place of  
the usual weekly prayer meetings. He  
intends to make these meetings very help-  
ful, and from this will be a great ad-  
vantage and will prove very helpful.

Laurie Everett returned to Halifax on  
Monday after being home for several  
months.

We are sorry to report Geo. Holmes  
suffering from a sore knee.

Mrs. Isabel Hery has purchased Boyd  
Dakin's house. We understand that the  
latter intends moving to Berwick.

Orrie Speights and family who have  
moved their furniture to Waterford in-  
tend leaving this place for their future  
home next month.

Joseph Henry Hery intends to move  
out West. He expects to rent his house  
to Alton Graham.

Horace Titus and family intend leaving  
for the United States next month. We  
very much regret their departure and  
hope some nice family will fill in the gap.  
We don't like to lose such a good family.

**BELLIVEAUS COVE**

The great flow of water caused damage  
at Belliveau's Cove on Saturday night.  
The highway bridge connecting the South  
wharf with the public road, was carried  
away. The foundation injured so much  
as to necessitate a bridge to be built anew  
from bottom to top, an outlay of several  
hundred dollars. The government wharf  
was badly damaged also, the great rush  
of water passing so near it as to under-  
mine some 200 feet in length. Large  
quantities of stone were carried along  
making it bad for grounding vessels.

An expenditure of no less than \$1,000 will  
be required to make the necessary repairs.  
Both the cross bridge and the wharf will  
need immediate looking after as they are  
a great convenience to the public.

Miss Amy Belliveau has returned home  
from out West.

Octave D'Eon, of Pictou, was to the  
Cove last week in the interest of his new  
fishing vessel being built here.

There is a report of one, possibly two,  
other fishing crafts being built here.

Large quantities of fruit have been  
cut and hauled to the mill by the people  
of this place. Sawing is now under way  
and large quantities of lumber will be on  
the market here soon. Many sleepers  
have been made and sold to the railway  
company at a good price.

Preparations are being made for the  
erection of three brick weirs here in the  
spring.

Bliss Bros., of Grosses Coques, are  
building a schooner for the fish carrying  
business for Cape Breton people.

Miss Madeline Michaud, who has been  
visiting in Philadelphia and New York, is  
expected home towards the last of the month.

Peter Blinn, who has been quite sick,  
is now better and able to be out again.

Mr. Michael has returned home from  
St. John.

**BARTON AND BRIGHTON**

Glad to report Miss Laura Shortliffe  
somewhat improved in health.

Mrs. Edward Young is spending a few  
days in Digby.

Mr. and Mrs. Worthy have gone to Hal-  
ifax where he is taking a course in  
engineering.

A St. Clair Perry spent Sunday at his  
home here.

Miss Lucy Height, of Gulliver's Cove,  
is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Carl Dakin.

David Bate has recently purchased the  
house and property of the late J. Alden  
Marsland.

James and Wynne Smith have gone to  
Chesford to work.

Cliff Petty Officer Playle, R. N., who  
has been visiting in his native Mr. and  
Mrs. B. Playle, left last week for  
Esquimaux, B. C.

## FREEPORT

Russell Bowman, of Yarmouth, spent a  
few days here last week.

Earl Porter, of Port Maitland, is in  
town on business.

Ralph Thurbur is a passenger to St.  
John on the 16th, returning on the 19th.

Miss Elizabeth McNeill has returned to  
Northampton, Mass. after spending the  
winter here.

Miss Elsie Thurbur returned home on  
the 19th.

Miss Reta Thurbur has returned home  
after making a short visit at Yarmouth.

Ray Hains, of Boston, is the guest of  
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hains.

H. Wall, of Yarmouth, is in town on  
business.

The young ladies of this place gave a  
party at the Hall on St. Patrick's Day. A  
good time was enjoyed by all.

The W. M. A. spent a very enjoy-  
able evening with Mrs. G. W. Brooker  
on the 19th.

Frank Perry, of Boston, is here on a  
short vacation.

Chas. Young made a business trip to  
Sanity Cove and Weymouth last week.

Walter Martell has returned to his  
home from the United States.

Miss Nellie Delaney, of St. John, is the  
guest of her sister, Mrs. Jesse Thurbur.

**TIVERTON**

Mrs. Amanda McKay, has returned  
home from Mink Cove.

E. C. Outhouse, made a business trip to  
Digby last week.

Irvin Pyne, who is in poor health, re-  
turned home from Rockland, Me. recent-  
ly. His friends wish him a speedy re-  
covery.

Miss Ruby Griffiths, spent Sunday last  
at her home in East Ferry.

Miss Helen Blackford, of the General  
Public Hospital, St. John, is spending a  
few days at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Outhouse, are re-  
ceiving congratulations on the arrival of  
a son, Roy, recently.

Miss Erna Outhouse, of Roxbury,  
Mass., is spending a few weeks at her  
home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Nehemiah Outhouse, and  
their daughters, also, Miss Ina Young,  
leave for Black's Harbour in a few days.

Osbourne Ruggles, has returned home  
from Ewelette, Mass.

Mrs. Ruel Outhouse, and son, Delroy,  
have returned from a visit to St. John.

Friends of Delbert Clifford, are pleased  
to hear that he is improving from his  
recent illness, and will return home from  
the hospital at St. John, in a few days.

We are sorry to report Ruel Outhouse,  
in poor health, also, and will return home  
from the hospital at St. John, in a few days.

Warren Singer, is on the sick list.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ham-  
pton Outhouse, on the arrival of a son.

**WESTPORT**

Glad to report that some of the sick  
are able to be about again at their daily  
occupations. Among them we noticed H.  
Bowers, D. B. Kenney and Mrs.  
Charles Buckman.

On Monday evening the members of  
Tory Division enjoyed a lobster stew and  
coffee and pie, and to understand they had  
a pleasant evening.

Loran Shaw and Victor Finnigan, of  
Freeport called upon friends here on the  
24th.

Herbert Wall, of Yarmouth, called up-  
on friends on the 19th on his way to  
Yarmouth by St. C. Cann from St. John  
where he had been called on business.

Mrs. James Morrell left, for Yarmouth  
on the 19th to visit her sister, Mrs. Chas.  
Sutherland.

Mr. Hackett delivered a lecture here in  
the Oddfellows Hall on the 19th relative  
to the lobster industry. Quite a number  
of attendances.

On Saturday, the 20th, Capt. Ralph  
Welch arrived home with his new boat  
the Grace Lee from Metcalf, where she  
was launched last week, being built by  
Julius Robichaud. We understand she is  
a staunch, trim craft.

**PORT WADE**

Capt. John W. Snow has sold his steam  
saw mill to W. W. Troop, of the Man-  
hattan Hotel, Digby. The mill and build-  
ing will be taken down and shipped to  
Halifax so was informed.

Mr. Thurbur with his smart little vessel  
is meeting with some success in getting  
clams here for the week. Canned, some  
twenty-five can at \$1.75 per can, one of  
those men having taken out four barrels  
at one time; Horace knows how.

J. F. Morrison went to St. John by  
S. S. Graniteville on Tuesday morning.

Lumbermen are in a bad condition now  
but the optimism is made happy on read-  
ing the daily papers, especially if he owns  
a Digby.

H. H. Syda of Digby, was in our  
village last week also W. S. Troop, of  
Digby.

We are now selling eggs for 55 cents  
per dozen and carry home the above  
amount in sugar in our vest pocket.

**RIVERDALE**

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Cosman, of Barton,  
are visiting relatives in this place.

Erskine Wagner has returned home  
after spending the winter months in the  
lumbering business at St. John.

Rev. T. L. Sabine, of Port Maitland,  
preached in the school house here on  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourn Cosman spent  
Sunday last with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred  
Cosman.

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