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P. S. This property is all in Vermont.

UPHOLSTERING.

I have refitted my upholstering rooms at the Pioneer Barber Shop, Rock Island, and am better prepared than ever to do all kinds of upholstering, renovating of mattresses, repairing furniture, sharpening knives and shears, etc. Having sold my barbing business I can now devote all my time to the above lines, and guarantee satisfaction. If you are uncertain about my work, ask your neighbor; I have been doing upholstering here for nearly forty years.

L. A. LANCOT.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kirkland attended the fair at Barton on Tuesday. Miss Rosalind Foulks from the Lake Shore was calling on friends in town Monday.

Mr. A. G. Sprague of W. W. Sprague & Son, St. Johnsbury, was in town Tuesday.

Misses Helen and Marion Darby went to Sherbrooke Monday to visit relatives.

Gordon T. Ross won a \$5 prize for sales of the "Country Gentleman" in June and July.

Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt will speak at Barton, Vt., Friday evening, August 30th.

Miss Edna Beerworth, who has been assisting in the Record office at Sherbrooke, is at home.

Mr. Floyd Moulton, of Beverly, Mass., is in town, Mrs. Moulton having been here for several days.

Col. and Mrs. H. S. Haskell moved up from Lake Park Wednesday, a few days earlier than in former seasons.

Mr. Napoleon Hall is building a home just west of Mr. George Boisvert's. Mr. Joseph Lowell is doing the work.

Dr. Carl Reynolds, of Boston, who is spending the summer at Eagle Point, was the guest of friends in Stanstead Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Ralph Esposito, of the Derby Line Fruit Co., has gone to Lisbon, N. H., for a few days' vacation. Mr. Charles Ferrow is in charge of the store.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien P. Jenne, of Derby, were in town Monday. Mr. Jennie came for the purpose of receiving what taxes people wished to cash on.

Come and see "Ted" Lee in the box on Saturday, when the Frontiers play the Sherbrookes. Nineteen games to date and the Frontiers have lost four. Saturday's game is the 20th.

Mr. Milton Henry has purchased of Mr. Dell Drew his residence and land opposite Mr. W. H. McDowell's and formerly owned by Col. F. D. Butterfield. Mr. Henry will take possession September 1st.

Morley M. Cate died recently at Winfield, Kansas. Deceased was twenty-three years of age, and the only son of Oscar A. Cate, a former resident of Stanstead. Typhoid fever was the cause of the young man's death.

Mr. Walter H. Tiehurst and three friends, Ray Langley, Paul Anderson and Charles Kendrick, of Manchester, N. H., arrived in town Monday and visited until yesterday, going to Cedarville to try camp life for a few days.

TOWN TOPICS.

Remember the County Fair August 28th and 29th.

Mr. Charles D. Munson, of Boston, was in town Friday.

Mr. James Jones, of Boston, was a visitor in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint and son were in town Sunday.

Mr. Andrew Saunders, of Boston, was in town Friday.

Mr. Benjamin Wright has moved his family to West Derby.

The Derby Line Studio will be closed Aug. 19 to Sept. 2, inclusive. 69-3

Mrs. C. P. Davis is entertaining her niece, Miss Mary Drew, of Burlington, Vt.

Miss Jennie Schoolcraft is entertaining her friend, Miss Camber, of Worcester, Mass.

Get ready for the County Fair Aug. 28th and 29th; it will be the biggest and best yet.

Mr. John Bachelder expects soon to move into his new residence on Passenger Avenue.

The Crown Manufacturing Co. are building an addition to the south end of their factory.

Mr. Robert C. Parsons, who has been somewhat unwell for two or three weeks, is again at his bench each day.

The Parsons house on the top of the Plain hill has one of the finest prospects in the village. It is about ready for occupancy.

Mrs. Charles Mansur and children started on their homeward journey the middle of last week, after spending several weeks here.

Miss Dorothy Duncalf, who has just passed through an operation for appendicitis at Regina, Sask., is recovering as fast as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Carpenter, who were scheduled to reach home from their vacation at Willoughby Lake on Thursday of last week, returned Monday.

The sidewalk builders are making excellent improvements on Church street and the Hovey corner. The street committee are active this season.

Mr. Everett Forsythe, who held an auction sale of building lots at North Troy last week, sold forty-five out of fifty-six lots, the sale being very successful.

There is a shortage of carpenters here. Good wood-workers can find employment at good wages, but we can't guarantee bed and board, for every cot is full.

Mr. G. Giroux has purchased a lot of Mr. J. M. Montle on Willow Lane, the next west of Dr. H. P. Stockwell's, and is to build a handsome cottage house of nine rooms, bath and all modern conveniences.

Derby Line has been applying another coat of asphalt to its streets to the confusion of the dust and flies. It is a successful panacea for the two discomforts and the odor is not wholly unbearable. The chemists assure us that it is also a powerful disinfectant.

Mr. C. Eugene Lee is finishing his block in the Plain hill. He is shingling the sides of the top story and will clapboard the balance, dividing the two with a very neat moulded belt. The addition of a narrow balcony for the second floor makes for convenience and appearance.

The band played to a large audience on Thursday evening and when it is understood that the program with one exception was new and practically played without rehearsal, the boys are to be commended for their progress. We heard several say it was the best of the season. We would miss these weekly concerts if by any ill fortune we were deprived of them.

Revival of the agitation for better rural schools leads one to wonder why Stanstead has never been represented on the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction. About every other place of any importance has been represented; why not Stanstead? Is it because those who make the greatest clamor for a position usually succeed in getting it? Certainly Stanstead has done as much for education as any other place in the Townships. The purely rural schools of Stanstead county, and Stanstead township in particular, have come in for some harsh criticism; has it occurred to no one that the existence of a superior institution like Stanstead College might have something to do with the decline of some of the small schools around it? The Protestant Committee would be strengthened by the acquisition of such an able educationist as Principal Trueman, but Principal Trueman is a modest man, and if anyone should suggest his name he would probably find a polite way of avoiding further responsibilities.

TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. H. T. O'Donnell, of Boston, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. A. E. Capen of Lennoxville was in town Tuesday.

Mr. C. C. Hildebrand, of Detroit, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jones of Lyndonville were in town Tuesday.

Take a day off and attend the County Fair at Ayer's Cliff, August 28th and 29th.

Mr. F. W. and B. F. Stewart were in Montreal buying fall goods the first of the week.

Mrs. J. M. Phelan and Master Sidney went to Cookshire on Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. D. M. Peasley and Miss Kate Donigan, of Dorchester, Mass. are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bean, of New York, spent the week-end with his father, Samuel Bean, Derby Line.

Mr. Abbott A. Lawrence, of Boston, and party of six in a big Packard automobile were in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Upston and Mrs. Upston, of Medford, Mass., were in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hovey and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bishop spent Sunday at Knowlton, going by automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilder Pierce, of Jacksonville, Fla., are the guests of Mr. Pierce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pierce.

Rev. W. M. Strout of Caswell's Mills was in town Monday en route to Lakeside, Me., where he is spending his holidays.

The store of B. F. Stewart and H. C. Wilson & Sons, Ltd. has been thoroughly renovated and now presents a fine appearance.

Mr. J. C. Mooney, of St. Johnsbury, the veteran salesman of advertising specialties, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Judge Benjamin Lindsay of Denver, Col., the father of the juvenile court and one of the leaders of the Progressive Party spoke to a large audience at Barton Vt., Monday afternoon.

J. D. McFadyen of the Stanstead Mr. Bert Tiffin reports seeing a flock of sixty wild geese flying south-east on Monday. You can't fool a goose, he knows when to go where it is warmer. This indicates a cool September and early fall.

College has spent two weeks traveling west of the lake and reports the outlook for the College this year is brighter than ever. He started out again Wednesday for a trip north and east. He seeks out prospective students and gives them full information about the department of the school in which they are interested.

The current month is already the grayest, rainiest August for 25 years. While hay, small grains, fruits, roots and vegetables are a very full crop and a most excellent quality. Corn needs at least 3 weeks of hot weather to mature. Our farmers despair of a ripe ear and question if they can fill their silos.

Mr. Edward Audinwood is attending the State Convention of undertakers being held at Brattleboro, Vt., Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Tuesday the business of the convention was supplemented by a ball game between the Keene, N. H. team and a local line-up. Wednesday afternoon the undertakers vs. traveling men played their annual game. Wednesday evening Gov. Foss, of Massachusetts spoke. Brattleboro entertained the guests royally.

Mr. H. V. Truell, advocate of Montreal, was a visitor to the Three Villages Friday and Saturday. He was pleased with the evidences of industrial growth at Rock Island, but thought the residents had something to learn about building. "Being a stranger," said Mr. Truell, "I do not like to criticize," but it does seem a pity that the place should be disfigured with such structures as the one in the bank." He was also opposed to such buildings as the one on top of the hill, because, in his opinion, tenement "blocks" were unnecessary in the country. He also regretted the cutting off of the view at that point which, he thought, had been a great public asset. With all the unoccupied land around the place in every direction Mr. Truell could see no reason for the "congested" conditions which are being developed in some sections. "I had read in the JOURNAL of a Village Improvement Society, and must say that I was not quite prepared for some things I have seen," were Mr. Truell's words. The apparent growth of Stanstead College was a source of satisfaction to Mr. Truell, who is a native of Stanstead County, and takes a keen interest in its development and progress.

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TOWN TOPICS.

Mr. James Barker, of Boston, was in town Monday.

Mr. Oscar J. Proulx, of Newport, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Mirabel Robinson was up from Lake Park on Monday.

The usual band concert from the band stand this evening.

Several Three Village people are attending Barton fair this week.

Mr. George C. Bacon of Boston, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. C. E. Frye, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Howe, of Boston, were in town on Monday.

Mr. Bert Dean, of Orleans, is the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Lyman W. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Clark Hopkins, attended the Orleans County fair at Barton on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, of Boston and Eagle Point, are visiting friends in the Three Villages.

Miss Wales, of Milford, Mass., Miss E. M. Warner and J. H. Peters of St. Johnsbury, were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. J. D. Ross and Miss Winnifred Ross, of Vancouver, B. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Rickard Sunday and Monday.

Miss Bertha Tiffin returned from St. Johnsbury the first of the week. She was in the pageant held there last week, and sang in the chorus.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Churchill of Wakefield, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lylander H. Hopkins. Mrs. Churchill is a cousin of Mrs. Hopkins.

English Private Greeting Xmas Cards, over 60 splendid designs to select from. Envelopes included. See Sample books. Please order early to prevent dis-appointment. F. Phillips, Rock Island, Que.

Mrs. B. A. Pope is moving from the Canfield place to the Abbott house, where she will make her home for an indefinite period, her daughter, Mrs. Alice Libby of Phenix, British Columbia, is visiting her after an absence of nine years.

The annual outing of Golden Rule Lodge No. 5, A. F. & A. M., will take place on Labor day, Monday, Sept. 2nd. The steamer "Anthemis" has been chartered for the day. The party will land at Vale Perkins for the ascent of the mountain. From the Perkins landing there will be a walk or drive of something like two miles, but the final climb will be much shorter than from the Owl's Head landing. A committee from the Lodge recently made the ascent from Vale Perkins and the newer route is being adopted upon their recommendation.

TOMIFOBIA VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dearbon and Mr. and Mrs. Dearbon, of Leominster, Mass., were recent guests at Mrs. L. Hartwell's.

Miss Bessie Badger and Master Teddie Moore are visiting relatives at Lake Megantic.

Mrs. Martha Place visited Miss Florence Taylor on Tuesday.

Mrs. Colby and Mrs. Geo. Fisk called on Mrs. M. H. Frappied also on Mrs. H. A. Reed one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed visited Mr. Reeds mother at Fitch Bay one day last week. Kenneth Reed visited at Rev. Mr. Moors one day last week.

CORNS REMOVED.

Dr. Hight, Chiroprapist, will be at the Rock Island House on Thursday and Friday of next week; always the last Thursday and Friday of the month.

HATLEY CENTER.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edkins and child, of Sufield, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Abbott on Sunday. Miss Glen Pope was entertained by Miss Thyra McKay on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Oliver were in Stanstead on Monday attending the auction sale of the property of her mother, Mrs. Pope.

A family re-union of the families of Albert Vance, Delworth Little, Eli Morrisset, Carl Lundberg and Paschel Morrissette was held at the home of the latter on Sunday.

Messrs. W. E. Greer and C. A. Young have recently completed the installation of the Dadd's & Strathurs Lighting rod school on their buildings.

Our schoolhouse is having a concrete platform and steps built in the place of the old plank one, which we hope will be more safe to the public.

REGATTA AT LAKE PARK.

The annual regatta of the Memphremagog Yacht Club took place yesterday, the program opening in the forenoon with a procession in which a flotilla of some thirty small craft took part. In the afternoon there were three principal events, the first race being for motor boats of 15 h. p. In this there were three starters, and the finish was as follows: 1st, "Montreal," Charles MacPherson, Magog; 2nd, "Iris," A. A. Manning; 3rd, "Sunnydale," Douglas Weir, Cedarville. In the race the "Sunnydale" carried six or eight passengers. Without these the boat would have been fully equal to its competitors.

Three contestants entered the second race, finishing in the following order: 1st, Florence M., H. B. Stewart; 2nd, "Bella," H. S. Haskell; 3rd, "Lillian C.," Everett Hunt, Newport.

The third race was between the "Lillian C.," Everett Hunt, and the "Montreal," Charles MacPherson, the former winning.

The races took place at Lake Park, Commodore Root having charge of the program. The owners of "Kittamaug" and other residents at the Park placed their buildings and grounds at the disposal of the visitors.

The races were over a two-mile course from Kittamaug Point to Spider Island and return. The program was shorter than usual owing to the uncertainty of the weather and the difficulty of naming a day much in advance. The attendance was perhaps smaller than it has sometimes been, but it was a happy gathering which took part in the 1912 fête, on the finest day for weeks.

Music was furnished by the Newport Band, H. D. Turcott of North Hatley, directing.

MUSIC FOR THE FAIR.

We invite everybody to call and hear the music and see our EXHIBITION PLANOS at the "Fair," Ayer's Cliff. A fine chance to select your new instrument.

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EAST BOLTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Gow, Mr. Norman Gow, Master Kenneth Gow, Mr. and Mrs. G. Grant, Miss Helen Grant returned to Montreal on Saturday, after their vacation at J. A. Patterson's.

Miss Mabel Grece, Miss M. J. Robertson returned to Montreal on Saturday, after two weeks spent at Mrs. Bowker's.

Mrs. J. H. Hindle went to Fall River, Mass., on Saturday to join Mr. Hindle, who has a position in the cotton mills there.

Mr. T. Pipin, Miss C. Randal and Mr. C. M. Vaughn, of Magog, were in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Patterson still remains in a very low condition. Miss Mabel Baeholder, of Sherbrooke, is assisting Miss Patterson.

Mr. Lloyd Allen spent Sunday in Georgeville.

Mr. Foss, of Fitch Bay, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis were at J. Patterson's on Sunday.

Mr. Park Powell, Mr. John Channell left on Friday for the Canadian Northwest, Mr. Channell going to Saskatoon, while Mr. Powell intends going to the coast before his return.

Mr. M. Bowker was at North Hatley on Sunday.

HEATHTON.

In the death of Mrs. Clara E. Heath, wife of W. W. Heath, of this place, which occurred last week, her family, her neighbors and all around here experienced a severe loss. Being assistant postmistress, she was usually found in her own home attending to her duties there, therefore we often came in contact with her and her pleasant smile and words of welcome and cheer will be greatly missed by young and old.

The work on the schoolhouse has begun with Mr. J. A. R. Wyman as foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ellis visited at Brown's Hill and Ayer's Cliff last week.

Mrs. Albert Chadsey and daughter Mildred spent a day last week at Mrs. Hill's.

Miss Minnie Aldrich, of Rock Island also visited Mrs. Hill recently.

MAPLE VALLEY.

The willing workers turned out and did Mr. Major Merrill's haying last Friday. Those who came with teams were: Mr. George Curtis, Mr. Fred Brown, Mr. Bert Young, Mr. Glennie Flanders and Mr. J. Wood. The men all went home feeling well to think Mr. Merrill's hay was in the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Young spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. O. E. Waid, at Edgewater farm.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Flanders, Miss Iva Mosher and Mr. Glennie Flanders visited at Mr. Merrill's on Sunday.

Mr. T. Smith of Stanstead visited at Will Judd's recently.

Miss Iva Mosher is at her home for a while.

Mrs. Major Merrill is gaining slowly. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. John Wharry and family in their sad bereavement.

MASSAWIPPI.

Miss Agnes Taylor arrived at her mother's from Montreal on Saturday, but left on Monday for Boston to visit her aunt, Mrs. R. Taylor, for a week or more when she will return here again for a few days' stay.

Mr. Chas. Davis and wife of Sherbrooke, Miss Ida Davis, of Montreal, and a party of their relatives are camping at "Cedarwood" for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. St. Dizier and Mr. W. St. Dizier were at Mr. Turcott's, North Hatley, last Sunday.

Miss Susie Ayer is not gaining of late and not quite as well the past three days. She has typhoid fever and is attended by Dr. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hovey, of Rock Island, were guests of Mrs. L. Hovey and Mr. and Mrs. S. Colt on Sunday.

Mr. Al Cox is not quite as well and will not be home from Montreal quite as soon as expected.

Mr. E. A. St. Dizier and brother were at Rock Island Monday on business.

Mr. Harold Bean, of Beebe, spent Sunday here.

CASSVILLE.

Miss Elma Martin of Putnam, Conn., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lyman Libby, and cousin, Mrs. William Thompson, for a few days.

The ice cream social held at the home of Mesdames Lyman Libby and William Thompson on Friday evening was well attended. Ice cream, cake and coffee were served, after which an excellent program was given by the children. The proceeds were about twenty dollars.

Rev. Gordon Sisco of Coaticook occupied the pulpit here last Sunday, while Rev. Mr. Williams was away on his vacation.

Mrs. Jennie Ashman and daughter Irene, of Cambridge, Mass., are visiting her niece, Mrs. C. J. Thompson, for a few days.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs. J. L. Heath and her son, Lieut. Heath, are doing their haying this week. Lieut. Heath is now able to walk around the house a little every day.

SMITH'S MILLS.

The service next Sunday at 2.30 p. m. will be conducted by the Rev. T. A. Halpenny, of Stanstead. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered at the close of the service. Sunday School will be at 1.30 instead of the usual hour.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brevoort, also Mrs. Wallace Brevoort were in Newport on Tuesday and took a trip to Magog and return on the Lady of the Lake.

Miss Winnie Brevoort, of Griffin, spent the week-end with her brother, W. Y. Brevoort's.

Mrs. Guy Longeway and Mrs. Bert Miller were in Newport on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cass took an auto ride to Magog recently.

Mrs. Bert Miller attended the funeral of Mrs. J. Wharry at Oliver on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Putney of Smith's Mills and Mrs. Albert Tyler of Beebe visited relatives in Groveton, N. H., Sunday, going by automobile.

From another correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Putney and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lane went to Groveton, N. H., by automobile on Sunday to visit their sister, Mrs. James Davis.

Mr. Lewis Cass has bought the Samuel Miller farm on the Beebe road and will take possession soon.

Mrs. K. Robinson and daughters, Edith and Lucile, of Boston, Mass., were recent guests at Mr. F. H. Bigelow's.

Mr. Molway, the butcher at Beebe, lost quite a valuable horse one day last week. It dropped dead when near this place. Death is supposed to be caused by excessive heat.

Mrs. William Comstock will entertain the Ladies Aid next Friday afternoon and evening, August 23. All are cordially invited.

Mr. Hartley and daughters, who have been in Palmer, Mass., for the past six months, returned recently. Miss Goldie and Nellie are the guests of their sister, Mrs. Arthur Smith.

Miss Bertha Martin, who has been seriously ill, is considered to be slightly improved.

Service next Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Communion at the close of service. Sunday School at 1.30.

GEORGEVILLE.

The steamer Antheims now runs a Sunday night trip to Magog, leaving Georgeville at 5 o'clock to connect with the new Sunday evening train to Montreal.

A party from here attended the regatta of the M. Y. C. at Lake Park on Tuesday. Several new motor boats have been recently purchased by Georgeville people.

Mr. J. A. Hutchison, formerly customs officer here, leaves this week for Morse, Alta., where his son is located.

Messrs. F. H. Lee and J. D. Clark went to Montreal on Tuesday, to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Oddfellows.

A number of real-estate transfers on the north-west shore of the lake to Montreal people is recently reported.

The new Hermitage Club at the old Lafrenoye place between here and Magog is reported to be a great success and is the mecca of summer residents. Steamer Antheims lands regularly at the wharf there.

BRESETTE CORNER.

Mr. John Woodside and Miss Hattie Woodside, of Lennoxville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith on Monday.

Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Smith during the week were: Misses Rita and Anna Gallagher, of West Burke, Mr. Walter Gallagher, of High Forest, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Smith, of Waterville.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. J. B. Reed has so far recovered from his serious illness as to be out and will soon be able to attend to his business.

We are pleased to note among the summer visitors the genial visage of Mr. Chas. O. LeBaron, of Detroit, Mich., who with his family are visiting his father, Mr. C. O. LeBaron. He was a Hatley boy and the many friends of his boyhood days are glad to take him by the hand and wish him success and happiness.

Miss Ruth Burnham has returned to her home in Barton, Vt.

Miss Josie Scott left on Saturday to visit her sister and other friends in Chelsea, Vt.

Deer seem to be quite plentiful and tame, as they are often seen feeding in the fields and pastures near the buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Connell celebrated the forty-second anniversary of their marriage on Saturday evening by inviting twenty-five of their relatives, neighbors and friends to a sumptuous turkey supper and all enjoyed a pleasant social evening and left many good wishes, also pretty and useful presents as tokens of friendship.

Those from out of town who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, son and wife of Sherbrooke, Mr. and Mrs. D. Meigs, of Compton, Mr. Reed, of Waterville.

Mrs. J. H. Hunter and family, after five weeks' stay in North Hatley, have gone to visit her father, Mr. O. A. Hill, of Barford, before taking up residence in Coaticook.

DEMICK'S MILLS.

Eld. W. M. and Mrs. Strout are attending Lake Side campmeeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tobodean are entertaining company from New York. Fred Shompany has moved into the Lane house now owned by J. A. Bradford.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Martha Morrell Sept. 13th, 1912, for dinner.

H. W. Demick is repairing his mill and expects to commence sawing soon.

Mrs. Arthur Sanborn was called to Derby by the sickness of her daughter, Mrs. Roswell Judd.

The recent acquisition of the saw-mill property here, for many years owned and operated by Caswell & Davis and known as Caswell's mill, by Mr. Henry Demick leads to the consideration of the feasibility of changing the name of our village to conform to that of its only industry, as the mill will now be known as Demick's mill. In suggesting this change it is not our intention to disregard the memory of the late Mr. G. R. Caswell, who established the business so many years ago, but in view of the fact that it is the intention of the owner to make all that is possible of this interest we would suggest that the name of the village be changed by mutual consent to Demick's Mills. It will anticipate any confusion that is liable to arise in the mails, express, freight or those travelling to this point. The present name was probably established by usage, therefore the change could be made without any legal proceedings, simply by circulating a petition and all residents subscribing to it, which we believe they should be very glad to do.

VERMONT ITEMS.

The sum of \$5,000 has been voted for necessary repairs and additions on the academy building at New Haven.

Places for fresh air children have been found in and about Northfield and the youngsters will begin to arrive this week.

Rutland county farmers say the hay crop equals any cut in six years. The yield is said to be particularly good on newly seeded soil and on the uplands.

The next convention of the Vermont branch of the American Federation of Labor, which just closed its annual meeting at Montpelier, will be held at St. Johnsbury the second week in August, 1913.

Arrangements have been made to have the annual show of the Vermont Poultry Association held in Montpelier next winter. The show will open December 31 and close January 3. The show will be in the auditorium of the city hall as last year.

The historic old Union church at South Reading is to be thoroughly renovated through the generosity of the Robinson family. Modern heating and ventilating facilities are to be included in the repairs, but the old-fashioned shutters and pews are to be retained.

The Springfield Board of Trade has placed a number of metal signs advertising the village at all of the high-ways entering town. The signs are 6x12 feet in dimensions and set forth the population, industrial, character, and opportunities and superior hotel facilities of the village.

With a view to forming some plan for booming their town, 26 business men of Woodstock have organized the Woodstock Business Men's Association. The organization has adopted the by-laws of the Rutland Business Men's League and the National Hardware Dealers' Association.

A boulder was drawn down from Chester recently to the mouth of the Williams river, where it will be used as a marker by William French Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in commemoration of the first sermon preached in Vermont. The date for its dedication has not been decided on, but will be announced later.

Arthur W. Ruff, the newly engaged principal of People's Academy, Morrisville, is a graduate of Schenectady, N. Y., high school and Yale College. During his senior year at Yale he qualified for a Rhodes scholarship. He has been a member of the faculty at the Taft preparatory school in Connecticut and principal of Richards high school, Newport, N. H.

The Hotel Vermont, Burlington, entertained some distinguished guests Thursday, August 15, in the personages of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lady Laurier, of Ottawa, Sir Frederick and Lady Borden, of England. The former premier of Canada arrived with a party of six from Bluff Point, where they passed the previous night, and left Thursday afternoon for Bretton Woods, N. H. With them were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Roberts, of Montreal.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to return my most sincere and heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors for their manifold kindness during the illness and death of my late father, as well as for the many tributes of beautiful flowers and other tokens of friendship which reached me in the hour of deep affliction.

GEORGE GALLAGHER.



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Mayo's Cut Plug also comes in 10c. cloth pouches and 50c. lunch boxes.



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The Season's Goods

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"GOOD QUALITY STORE"

Dry Goods and Furnishings

Our stock of Dry Goods will appeal to you. We have a line of Shadow Voiles in Pink, Ecru and White, and our stock of Linens was never as large, in fact we are headquarters in these goods, we have Butcher, Table, Bed, Dress, Waist and the popular Handkerchief Linen. Our line of Crashes and Towel would catch your interest. See us for your Linens.

Our Grocery Department

More space devoted to this class of Merchandise than any store in the villages and we have the goods; buying as we do in large quantities for spot cash we can fill your orders promptly at interesting prices.

Canned Goods, Dried Fruits, Olives, Olive Oil, a full line of Baker's Goods, 21 kinds Breakfast Food, all kinds of sea Fish, Finnan Haddie, Salmon and Salmon Trout. Just received cars of Flour in Bags and Barrels. Brands: 5 ROSES, ROYAL HOUSEHOLD, QUAKER, THE CELEBRATED "BUDA" PASTRY FLOUR.

We buy our Sugar in car lots, a car of "St. Lawrence" just in BARRELS AND 100 LB. BAGS

We are sole agents for Chase and Sanborn's Standard Java Coffee, and we are still selling our Good Quality Java at 28c. lb. it is a good one.

Our Feed Store

Under the same roof we carry the greatest possible variety of Feed and Grains. Years of experience in this class of goods should invite your confidence. We can furnish these goods by the bushel or car load promptly.

OUR HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

We take a great deal of pride in this department, and endeavor to carry a very complete stock of all kinds of hardware. We buy our Nails and Wire by the car at such times as the market is right, and we give our regular customers the benefit of this advantage. We have recently made changes in our means of displaying our shelf hardware that enables us to keep a closer tab on its needs. Here are some of this stock: Nails, Barbed Wire, Fencing, Iron and Steel for Blacksmith's use, Horseshoe Nails, everything in Builder's Hardware, Glass, Putty, Paper, Lime, Cement, Hair, Pulp Plaster, a full line of Paints and Oils, (Sherwin & Williams') and a complete line of Farming Tools.

We have every facility for serving you, and we make it our business to be courteous and prompt, always adhering to the greatest thing in business, and that is: the Quality of any article is the most important and always has our first and last thought. The Goodness of the Quality of an article is what makes you our customer.

KATHAN & HOPKINS, - Rock Island, Que.

Mid-Summer Clearance Sale of Clothing

AT

WILLIAM M. PIKE & SON'S

GAIN we are at the parting of the ways with our Clothing Department and must get ready for our Fall Stock, and with this in view we have arranged to close out what is left of our Spring and Summer Goods, so that you can have the benefit of it before the season ends, therefore beginning Friday Morning, July 26th, (tomorrow) we shall sell:

\$12.00 Suits at	-	-	-	\$9.75
\$10.00 Suits at	-	-	-	\$7.75
\$ 9.00 Suits at	-	-	-	\$5.98
\$ 7.50 Suits at	-	-	-	\$5.98
2-Piece Outing Suits, all Wool,	-	-	-	\$4.50

All Children's Clothing at discount of from 10 to 25 p. c.

A good time to buy for your children
YOUR CHOICE OUT OF OUR STOCKS OF

Pants and Overalls for 50c., 60c. to 90c. values

150 RAIN COATS

\$4.00 values for	-	-	-	\$1.65
\$7.00 " "	-	-	-	\$3.50
\$10.00 and \$12.00 values for	-	-	-	\$4.25

THESE MUST GO

GREAT SALE IN ART SQUARES

We have just received a large invoice in Floor Coverings
Look at these Prices

7x9 Tapestry at	-	-	-	\$9.00
7½x9 Brussels at	-	-	-	\$9.00
9x10½ Brussels at	-	-	-	\$10.00
9x10½ Tapestry at	-	-	-	\$12.00

TANS, GREENS, REDS, MIXTURES

A beautiful line of Mattings for 20 cts.

LINOLEUMS AND OIL CLOTHS

This is the year that politicians fix up their fences. Every year the farmers should attend to theirs. We have the Black and Barbed Fence Wire and Staples.

You can't fence out the Potato Bug but Paris Green and a Sprayer will finish them.

The song of the hammer is heard in our villages and we have a full line of carpenter's Tools for the 100 more workman here. See us for your tools.

There is a great deal being said about Building Material just now in our villages. You all know we have spent a lifetime buying and selling these goods and ought to have "caught on to" some of the tricks of the trade and discovered the needs of the community in this line. If you are repairing or building a home or business place come in and talk with us about your requirements, we'll try and use you right.

STOCKINGS

Here is where we are able to show you a great line. Everybody has become "fussy" about their hose, and it is right they should be. An ill fitting stocking is simply a menace to the understanding. Just buy your hose of us and have comfortable feet.

WE HAVE

Men's in Cotton, Silk Lisle and Silk from 25 cents to 75 cents. All the Colors and Tones.

Also 3 pairs for 25c. and 2 pairs for a quarter.

Ladies' in Cotton, Silk Lisle and Silk in Black, White, Tans, Blues, Grays and Lavender, 2 for 25c., 1 for 15c., 1 for 25 and 50c.

Children's in great variety from 2 pairs for 25c. to 25c. pair. We have them.

In our stock of Men's, Women's, Misses', Boy's and Children's Under Garments we are surpassing any former season, and we invite you to examine our stock before purchasing your needs for the season.

We have a splendid value in our light weight

MEN'S FRENCH HEALTH UNDERWEAR

These Garments are fine fitting and of dependable workmanship. They are about the last thing and best in Summer Underwear.

Gentlemen's Union Suits in Balbriggan these are splendid goods.

We have the well known and well liked B. V. D. with short sleeves and legs. Those cool, comfortable Under Garments in Nainsook.

We have some Bargains in Balbriggan for Men from 25 to 50c.

We have a special Elastic Knit Men's 2-piece Undershirt and Drawers in Tan, regular 50 cent Goods, bought direct from the Manufacturers by the case and we are selling them at 4 pieces for \$1.00 while they last.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

In great variety. We have all the sizes and the range of prices is from 2 for 25 to 35 cents. No trouble to show these goods, we want your business.

In our Misses', Boy's and Children's department we have given a good deal of careful attention to the selection of this stock. Come in and see what we have.

FULL LINE OF

MASON, LIGHTNING AND ECONOMY FRUIT JARS

Pints, Quarts and 2 Quarts

Jelly Tumblers, Common Tumblers, 2 cents each

WILLIAM M. PIKE & SON, - Rock Island, Quebec

VERMONT ITEMS.

Poultry has a curfew law which went into effect the evening of August 1.

The state championship cup for doubles in tennis was won Friday at St. Johnsbury by Harris and Nelson from Porter and Collister.

Preparations have been begun for the placing of the Larkin G. Mead bust of Lincoln in the lower corridor of the state house at Montpelier.

The Matson Machine & Tool Co., of Bethel has purchased the old prison shops at Concord, N. H., formerly occupied as a planing mill by Dantorth & Forrest.

An extra edition of The Morrisville Messenger under date of August 7 contains an article entitled "Old Morristown," an early history of the town written by H. H. Powers.

Mrs. Samuel A. Bigwood, who died in Winoski August 4, at the age of 85 years, left six children, 24 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. She was born in West Milton July 30, 1827.

The Vermont Society, Sons of the American Revolution, have secured plans from Dillon, McLellan & Readell, architects, of New York, for a bronze memorial tablet to be erected at Block House point.

William J. Conant, who has been sexton of Immanuel church, Bellows Falls, for 35 years, has so much local history at his command that when question arises the general remark is "Ask Conant."

George Schmidt, the Rutland aviator, has been appointed an aerial postman, flying from Fort Recovery, Ohio. He is the first in the state of Ohio and the fourth licensed aerial mailman in the United States.

The Austine institution at Brattleboro, which is to be opened soon, is to give instruction to deaf, dumb or blind children, but is not in any sense to be an asylum for the care and maintenance of incapable or helpless children.

Two authors have developed in Rutland. One is Miss Beth B. Kilchrist, who is to have published "Helen-Over-the-Wall" and the other is Miss Edith K. Dunton, known as Margaret Ward, the author of the "Betty Wales" books for girls.

Among the recent offenders against the weight and measures statutes are Henry Pratt, an Essex dealer; P. Felipulos, of Bennington, a fruit merchant; and Robert Farr, Westminister farmer, who sells butter around Bellows Falls Wednesday of each week. Convictions followed in each case.

VERMONT ITEMS.

A copper powder tank, a relic of the battleship Maine, has been secured for H. H. Smith Post, G. A. R., and placed in a stone case in the Soldiers' memorial hall at Stowe. The tank is a cylinder six inches in diameter and about three feet high. It was secured by Commander J. B. Ayers through Henry G. Thomas and Senator Dillingham.

Truth About Vermont Farm Lands. The best way to advertise Vermont is to tell the truth about it, the whole truth and nothing but the truth. There is plenty that may be told without exaggeration, to induce an ever increasing tide of tourists and summer residents and new permanent residents—

if it is told clearly and forcefully by those who have faith in the state and who are enthusiastic over its possibilities and appreciative of its scenes and health-giving assets. The resources of Vermont are very many and very great, and its charms are unexcelled by those of any state in the Union. But misrepresentation of them is just as certain to have a reactionary effect as in the case of a manufactured product. People may be deceived once very easily, but seldom for a second time, and here as in every place in life, honesty always is the best policy. This is emphatically true as regards the advertisement of farm lands.

There is a Vermont valley, not the Black River, and yet not one hundred miles away, in some of whose towns not a little harm has been done by the inexcusable hyperbole of real estate agency advertising. Through booklets sent broadcast over New England the average seeker for a farm home gets entirely wrong ideas of the nature of the valley itself, and of the character of the land, both of which have enough in their favor without any deception. The trouble appears to be from the ambition of some of the local agents to obtain easy money through their connection with a widely known and reputable agency. They have sold some farms through these methods, but most of them to aliens or people unfamiliar with this section of New England, and not so desirable as citizens, as the average. Those of Yankee stock who have been deceived are pretty certain to become discontented within a short period and to leave the state with imprecations. The soil is fine, but there is no need of advertising it as like that of the Mississippi valley, which every Vermont farmer knows to be a falsehood on its face. There should be no false pretenses about the selling of Vermont farm lands, or in the advertising of any of its features.—Springfield Reporter.

THE WOMAN AND THE CARROT

Parable Taken From the Russian Folk Lore Points a Lesson Full of Meaning.

This was the story my friend the Arkansas rabbi told. It is from the folk lore of Russia:

A woman who had lain in torment a thousand years lifted her face toward heaven and cried to the Lord to set her free, for she could endure it no longer. And he looked down and said: "Can you remember one thing you did for a human being without reward in your earth life?"

The woman groaned in bitter anguish, for she had lived in selfish ease; the neighbor had been nothing to her.

"Was there not one? Think well!"

"Once—it was nothing—I gave to a starving man a carrot, and he thanked me."

"Bring, then, the carrot. Where is it?"

"It is long since, Lord," she sobbed, "and it is lost."

"Not so. Witness of the one unselfish deed of your life, it could not perish. Go," said the Lord to an angel, "find the carrot and bring it here."

The angel brought the carrot and held it over the bottomless pit, letting it down till it was within reach of the woman. "Cling to it," he said. She did as she was bidden and found herself rising out of her misery.

Now, when the other souls in torment saw her drawn upward, they seized her hands, her waist, her feet, her garments, and clung to them with despairing cries, so that there rose out of the pit an ever-lengthening chain of writhing, wailing humanity clinging to the frail root. Higher and higher it rose till it was half-way to heaven, and still its burden grew. The woman looked down and fear and anger seized her—fear that the carrot would break and anger at her own peril. She struggled and beat with hands and feet upon those below her.

"Let go," she cried. "It is my carrot."

The words were hardly out of her mouth before the carrot broke, and she fell, with them all, back into torment, and the pit swallowed them up.

—From "As Told by the Rabbi," by Jacob A. Rife in the Outlook.

Difficulties of English.

When young Rudolph von Hammerpeete, the beloved scion of the famous house of Von Hammerpeete of Posen, first came to America he found much difficulty in mastering the rudiments of the English tongue. His most trying experience was when he was required of him that he should describe his name on the register of whatever hotel he visited. After being shown to his room he looked hopelessly about in search of the article.

but in vain. There was nothing of the kind in sight, so desirous of falling in with all the customs of the country, he rang up the office and informed the clerk of the situation.

"I have looked de room over all at ready yet," said he, "und I find no register here. Vot shall I do?"

"This house is heated by steam," replied the room clerk. "Use the radiator."

"Undt vot shall I use—der ink, or shall I scratch my name on it mit der pockgetknife?" remanded Rudolph.

"What are you talking about?" demanded the room clerk. "Scratch your name on what?"

"Der radiator," returned Rudolph. "Is it dot I must write my name on der radiator instead of der register, or make better yet I write it on der yall—vot?"—Harper's Weekly.

Something Tasty.

A mission worker was much interested in a lad in one tenement who was convalescing from a prolonged illness. On one visit to her small charge the worker carried with her a quantity of fine fruit for the lad, but this, to the astonishment of the big-hearted visitor, the father of the boy received with a somewhat dubious air, exhibiting absolutely no appreciation of the offering.

When next the good Samaritan came to the tenement she naturally inquired of the father how the boy had enjoyed the fruit.

"Pretty well," was the curt answer. "I presume he ate most of it."

"Yes, he got away with it all right," said the parent carelessly, "but, miss, that boy is like me. He don't care for no dago fruit. He likes something dainty and tasty—for instance, pigs' feet."—New York Press.

In a Class by Himself.

South Trimble, clerk of the house of representatives, was talking in Washington about a Kentucky orator.

"He is more loquacious than eloquent," said Mr. Trimble, with a smile. "His mouth, to judge from the length of his speeches, must be as big as Peleg Anderson's."

"Peleg Anderson entered a Louisville music shop to buy a mouth organ. He had a very large mouth, and though he tried every organ in the establishment, none of them seemed to suit him.

"See here," the salesman said finally, "we'll have to make an organ to order for you, I guess, Peleg. Just try your mouth along this piano."

Another Like Him.

Simple Lifer (who is doing a walking tour of the hills)—I don't expect you see many stragglers up here?

Old Shepherd (reflectively)—Well, th' s' year of the day, and these was another tramp hereabouts last week—Punch.

Clocks for Travel Bags.

Have you seen the very latest thing in traveling clocks? They are as flat as a quare envelope, yet the watch it covers is an eight-day one, warranted to keep time.

Flat clocks which can be carried in a small handbag have been used, but they were not eight-day affairs. Besides the added convenience of not winding each night, the face of the clock, in different colors of enamel to match the leather, is exceedingly artistic. Some have illuminated faces so it is possible to tell the time in the dark by the mere touch of a spring.

A Useful Hint.

Sometimes there are fine handkerchiefs in the wash which the careful housewife dislikes to subject to the wind. In winter, when it freezes and blows at the same time, the fabric of a really fine handkerchief is in danger of being injured, and many a one has been blown away by a stiff spring breeze and never seen again by its owner. At such times put one or two into each pillowcase and hang the case up by the hem; then rest secure in the consciousness that the handkerchiefs are safe.

Strawberry Creams.

Line deep saucers with some nice pastry, crinkle the outer edge and bake a delicate brown in a quick oven. When baked, slip the crusts from the saucers and allow them to cool. They will form shells or cases. Just before serving fill with either strawberry jam or else the fresh berries. Cut the berries in pieces to make an even surface and cover with whipped cream.

Asparagus and Watercress.

Asparagus and watercress make a delicious salad. Wash the cress and break it into bits, rejecting the coarser leaves. When ready to serve mix it with salad oil, vinegar, salt and pepper. Heap it in the center of a dish and surround it with leaf green and white asparagus tips.

Raised Doughnuts.

Add to one pint of milk bread dough one egg, one-half cup of sugar, one-quarter teaspoon of soda and half pint of warm milk. Add flour enough to knead and let it raise until morning, when it should be cut and fried without remodeling.

Polished Wood Dusters.

Save the stocking legs. There is nothing better for dusting and wiping polished wood. Dampen them in boiled oil and they will give the wood a splendid polish.

Telford Bros. Garment Co., are in need of stitchers, on petticoat and overall work.

FARM FOR SALE

My home farm, situated in the town of Holland, Vt., near church, school and stores, on R.F.D. route, and telephone in house. Six miles to Derby Line on a good road.

Farm consists of about 210 acres, suitably divided into tillage, pasture and wood. Farm cut the past year 80 tons hay besides other fodder. Tillage lies level and free from stone and is in a high state of cultivation. Pasture is new cleared land and brook watered. 1200 sugar trees, all equipped with tin and galvanized buckets, storage tanks, lightning evaporator and iron arch. Sugar place lies level and easy to carry on.

Buildings consist of barn 40x75, high and low drives, large silo; barn 20x30; horse barn 25x30. Large 1½ story house with ell and sheds attached. Running water in house and barn. All buildings in good repair.

Will sell farm and sugar tools, or farm, stock and tools.

Stock consists of 35 head of cattle, 40 sheep, 8 horses, hogs, etc.

Part of purchase money can lay on farm at 5 per cent, if desired.

Come and look this property over and get price.

W. G. KELLEY.

P. O. Address: Derby, Vt., R.F.D. 1.

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WANTED AT ONCE—Four operators, two day and two night. Apply at Rock Island Exchange, Eastern Townships Telephone Company. E. F. MILLET, Manager.

STEAMER YIOCO

CAPT. W. B. HOLBROOK. P. O. Address: Lake Park, Vt., North Derby, Vt.

This boat can be chartered to take parties anywhere on the lake at reasonable rates

Will make trip to Newport every Wednesday and Saturday. Leave Lake Park at 1 P. M., and leave Newport at 4.15 P. M. Fare 25 cts. for round trip. Also will make excursion Thursday to Owl's Head and around the Island. Leave Lake Park at 1 P. M. Return at 6 P. M. Fare 25 cts.

Good Row Boats and Summer Cottages to let. Bell Telephone Connection.

BURT C. DREW

Contractor and Builder

Plans and estimates furnished in any kind of material, wood, brick, concrete or granite.

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 If paid in six months, 1.25
 At the end of the year, 1.50
 When sent by mail to subscribers in the United States the price will be \$1.50 a year in advance.

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 Transient advertising 10 cents a line for the first insertion and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion. 12 lines to the inch. No advertisement received for less than 50 cents.
 Entered as second-class matter at the Post Office at Lerby Lane under the act of March, 3, 1879.

Correspondents

who can do so would material-ly assist us by sending as much of their copy as possible by Monday evening's post. Reports of later events may then be sent in by mail as late as Wednesday evening, or by phone on Thursday forenoon when necessary.
 It is frequently difficult for us to find work for our correspondents Monday and Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday they are always submerged with copy.

THE RURAL SCHOOLS.

Dear Mr. Editor:
 Lest we forget some of the facts brought out in the recent educational meetings, may I have space in your columns to bring them to the attention of your readers? I will do so without trying to explain these facts or even commenting upon them.

On the principle that the teacher makes the school the speakers at the meetings gave much attention to the necessity of securing trained and competent teachers, holding that this could be done only by paying better salaries. In this connection a comparison of 1906 with 1911 was made as follows:

	1906	1911
Number of female teachers with diplomas	813	881
Number of female teachers without diplomas	334	421
Average salary of male teachers with diplomas in towns	1414	1410
Average salary of male teachers with diplomas in country	460	600
Average salary of female teachers with diplomas in towns	400	511
Average salary of female teachers with diplomas in country	191	233

It will be noted that the average salary of female teachers with diplomas in the Protestant elementary schools in the country parts increased only \$40 from 1906 to 1911. Five years ago the average salary was \$191. Last year it was \$233. In Ontario during this same time the average salary increased from \$311 to \$430, an increase of \$119. In the United States in the ten years from 1900 to 1910 the average salaries of teachers per month increased for men from \$46 to \$63 or about 35 per cent, and for women from \$36 to \$50 or about 25 per cent.

With regard to the comparative cost of education in different provinces of the Dominion, the following figures were quoted:

	Per pupil	Per head of population
Alberta	\$66.50	\$14.25
British Columbia	42.86	8.66
Manitoba	29.14	8.11
New Brunswick	12.24	2.50
Nova Scotia	12.42	2.70
Ontario	19.23	4.27
Prince Edward Island	9.43	1.77
Quebec	13.78	3.00
Saskatchewan	62.22	11.40

In many cases the increase in salaries in Quebec was due to increased government grants and not to increased taxation.
 Many municipalities are paying no more school taxes than they did ten or twenty years ago.

This fact is brought out from examination of the superintendent's reports which show that the majority of the Protestant rural school boards have not increased their contributions as a result of the largely increased government grants during the last few years. Some of the boards have actually decreased their contributions.

This proves, therefore, that the increases of salary which have taken place have been due largely to the government grants and not to the efforts of the rate-payers.
 The government grants have quadrupled, an increase of 400 per cent. If local taxation had increased ten or twenty per cent, the average salary for female teachers with diplomas might easily have been last year \$300 instead of \$233.

In many cases where untrained teachers are being employed it was shown that this is not due to a lack of trained teachers, but generally to a desire on the part of the school board to save money by engaging an untrained teacher, and sometimes to the "pull" of some untrained teacher on account of living in the vicinity of the

HOSPITAL LUNCH COUNTER.

Open Throughout Sherbrooke Fair Aug. 31 to Sept. 7.

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OLIVER.
 Dull weather still continues, making it hard for those who have not finished their hay.

Quite a number from this way attended the funeral of Mrs. John Wherry, Fitch Bay road, on Friday. Much sympathy is expressed for the family in their bereavement.

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In addition to the regular prizes offered to members of the association, special cash prizes are offered to boys and girls between 12 and 18 years of age, for exhibits of Spring Wheat and White Oats. A sweepstakes prize in the form of a beautiful gold medal donated by Dr. Jas. W. Robertson, is also offered to the boy or girl having the best exhibit of oats in the Maritime Provinces Quebec and Ontario and wheat in each of the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Each of these exhibits is to consist of a sheaf which must be at least 6" in diameter at the band, and a gallon of threshed grain. The plants for this sheaf should be selected by hand from the field before the crop is cut.

Those proposing to compete for these prizes should arrange at once to make the necessary selections and should also write to Secretary, Canadian Seed Growers' Association, Ottawa, Ont., and obtain a copy of the prize list rules and special arrangements regarding the transportation of exhibits.

Now is your chance boys and girls; even if you don't happen to win a prize the experience you will gain will increase your chances next time.

GRIFFIN.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Putney took an auto trip to North Hatley, Capelton and other points on Sunday.

Mrs. Baldwin and daughter Ella of Boston, arrived Monday to visit her niece, Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

Mr. H. H. Clark and family of Lennoxville were here by auto on Sunday.

The usual Church of England service for Sunday, August 25th, is withdrawn, as the Rector, Rev. C. R. Eardley-Wilmot, is taking his holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rickaby returned to their home at St. Johnsbury, Vt., on Wednesday, after spending a few days with their niece, Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

Recent guests from Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. Foster and mother at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fox.

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GRIFFIN.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Putney took an auto trip to North Hatley, Capelton and other points on Sunday.

Mrs. Baldwin and daughter Ella of Boston, arrived Monday to visit her niece, Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

Mr. H. H. Clark and family of Lennoxville were here by auto on Sunday.

The usual Church of England service for Sunday, August 25th, is withdrawn, as the Rector, Rev. C. R. Eardley-Wilmot, is taking his holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rickaby returned to their home at St. Johnsbury, Vt., on Wednesday, after spending a few days with their niece, Mrs. J. A. Elliott.

Recent guests from Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. Foster and mother at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fox.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS

Instead of a canal, the Englishman looks on Panama as a scandal.

After all, if it had not been for the colonel, how many would have known anything of Armageddon?

A Nevada prison warden is hard put to find five men who are willing to shoot a murderer to death that the penalty of the law may be exacted. Why doesn't he run an ad. in a New York paper?

Seven murderers were put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison, Monday, August 12, the largest number ever electrocuted there in a single day, all went to the chair quietly but one, Vincenzo Cona, fainted while the straps were being adjusted.

All have admitted that the vermiform appendix is a wonderful creation. Now, after 15 years of study, a New York physician determines that it has important functions in the embryo. Out of adults it becomes a medium of exchange for the surgeon who brought it to light.

WANTED-A capable girl for housework. Apply to Miss Butters, Stanstead.

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MANY NEW AND FASHIONABLE MODELS IN TAILOR-MADE SUITS FOR AUTUMN. These are not confined to expensive suits. Suits well tailored and stylishly made of good materials can be found at \$12.50 and up.

The balance of the Spring Suits at \$5, \$7.95, \$12.50, \$15, actual values \$12.50 to \$30.

FALL COATS
 The one need that cannot be disregarded in apparel for women is a warm, comfortable, separate coat. Judging from the number shown, the beauty of the fabrics and models, more coats will be bought early this fall than ever before. Any lady who has not a warm coat needs one now. We can show you as good a line as you will find later. In former years we have felt that the first styles in Ready-to-wear Garments were never quite equalled later. You will find a number of styles at each of the prices quoted, \$8.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$14, \$17.50, \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$30.

NEW FALL GOWNS

For ladies, Misses and juniors. In the Ladies' and Misses' sizes are to be found the latest models in serges and whipcords, high and round necks, open front and back, many braid trimmed and with fancy buttons, all the fall shades, priced \$5.95 to \$17.50, sizes 14 to 44. Particulars: Pleasing Display of Junior Dresses, Norfolk, Sailor and Peplum Models, sizes 13, 15, 17, 19, prices \$4.50 to \$13.50. New Fall Dresses for girls arriving. A good dress for \$1.25, better ones up to \$3.50. A few more of those 95c. jackets for girls, just the thing for school wear to save the better ones.

If you would have your dress or suit fit correctly you must have a good fitting corset. The corset that fits your neighbor may make a fright of you. We carry the best makes of corsets, and plenty of styles to fit any figure. There is also an experienced corsetiere constantly in attendance who will know at once what corset will emphasize the good points in your figure, and suppress the less desirable ones. Carried in stock the best styles in Nemo, \$2 to \$5, C. B., J. B., D. H. & C., R. & G., LaResista, Wilhelmnia, Royal Worcester, priced \$1 to \$3. Ferris and Stock the H. & W. Corset Waists. These waists fill two long felt wants. One is a corset for a school girl, not any stiffer than a waist, but with better lines than any waist on the market, yet there is nothing about it that any mother can object to having her daughter wear. The other is a Maternity Corset, with side lacings, this makes a nice corset for morning wear also, or any one who wants an easy corset with good lines.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Made of cotton crepe, Night Robes made in dainty styles, \$1.25 each. Combinations of corset cover and of corset cover and drawers, \$1.25. A good line of Princess Slips now in stock, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3. Odd Lots and balance of Summer Merchandise still on sale. The Special Feature for this week of the Sale is Ready-to-wear Dress

Skirts, made of cotton and linen materials. Natural and White Linen Skirts, \$1.50, to \$2.75, reduced to 95c. Natural Linen Skirts, \$3.95 reduced to \$2.45 and \$2.95. Poplins, Corduroy, Linens, Wide Wale Piques reduced from \$5 to \$3.95, \$3.95 to \$2.95, \$2.95 to \$1.95. Linen Rajah Skirts, reduced from \$8.95 to \$5. White Serge, White Corduroy, White Velveteen Skirts, \$7.95 ones at \$5.95 \$5, ones at \$3.95.

FOR WEDNESDAY BARGAINS AUGUST 28th.

We shall offer Ladies' Kid Gloves, 8 button lengths, white, tan, pearl, pink, and champagne, \$1.25 to \$1.75 values at 50c. a pair. Some Odd Lots of the Sample Hosiery and Underwear that are left from the sale. Regular 25c. values at 15c., 30c. values at 19c., 50c. values at 25c., 75c. and \$1 values at 35c. If you have not already bought all you can use these will be the Greatest Possible Values you will ever be offered.

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The following Specials for Saturday, August 24th

- These Goods bought for this Sale and are right in season.
- No. 1. 500 yds. 36 in. Cotton, short lengths at 61-2 cts. a yd.
 - " 2. 500 yds. Flannellette, at 6 cts. a yd.
 - " 3. 500 yds. of dark Flannellette, at 7 cts. a yd.
 - " 4. 10 doz. Pequots, 81x90, bleached sheets, the best make at 75 cts.
 - " 5. 200 yds. Galatea for school Suits and Dresses, at 12-12c. yd.
 - " 6. 500 yds. of New Lace, wide, always 10c., now 5 cts. a yd.
 - " 7. 33 pairs of Ladies' Kid Gloves, Kid and Mocha, at 50c. pair.

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Here is a 213 acre farm, all equipped. Located in Canada, 4 miles from railway station; 2 miles to nearest village, school on farm, Catholic church 5 miles. On main road, near neighbors, good well water. Milk is carried to factory, large sugar orchard, plenty for home use and sold last year \$100 worth. 75 acres in tillage, 25 acres of it plow land. Good loam soil. Land is smooth, a very little rolling, balance level and not bad for stones. All machine work. Will cut 80 tons of hay besides other fodder, and winter 40 head. 138 acres in pasture and wood-land. Fences are rail, and in very good condition. Will pasture 30 head. Watered by brook, and spring. Soft-wood lumber enough for home use. About 100,000 ft. of hardwood lumber, 2 miles to mill. Plenty of standing wood on farm. 40 cords of wood in shed. House 1 1/2 story 30x35 with all 25x20, painted gray. Good yard with shade trees. Cellar with stone foundation. 6 rooms, pantry and hall on first floor. Finished in natural wood. Hardwood floors down stairs. 4 bedrooms, and 2 closets up stairs. Rooms painted, and papered. Has piazza on main part. Screens, and storm windows. There are two barns, 40x90, and 30x30 which corner together with shed that connects with house. Has mid-high drive and arranged for 31 head and 5 stalls. Carriage house in small barn. Has basement, double-boarded, and needs a few repairs. Blacksmith shop 20x20, with hen house for 50 hens. 10 young Durham cows, 1 pair of 2-year-old steers, 6 yearlings, 4 two-year-old heifers, 6 calves, 1 two-year-old bull, 2 horses, 5 swine, 40 hens, all the hay, grain, straw, and crops. 1 mowing machine, horse rake, plow, spring-tooth and smoothing harrows, cultivator, grain seeder, separator, and all other farming tools, which are all in good condition. 1 open buggy, double wagon, pair of double work sleds, single sled, cutter sleigh, 2 pairs of work harnesses, 2 pairs of light driving harnesses. Sugar orchard of 2000 trees. Number of trees rigged 1300. 900 tin, 400 wood. Sugar house in fair condition 30x30. Grimm Evaporator. Sugaring-off rig, storage tank of 400 pails. Please investigate. Price \$8000; \$2500 down. Balance easy terms.

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86V--HERE IS A NICE HOUSE IN THE VILLAGE OF ORLEANS; high elevation, and beautiful view of the village and surrounding country. This house is practically new, having been built but a few years. 5 minutes walk to the center of the village. Village water and sewer. Chance for good garden and nice lawn. 2 story house 35x40, cemented cellar under all, and granite wall topped with brick for foundation. 7 rooms, and pantry on first floor. 3 rooms finished in quartered oak and spruce. 3 rooms, and bath up stairs, finished in spruce and a closet in each room. Hardwood floors in kitchen, pantry and dining room. Furnace heat, electric lights, hot and cold water, double windows, screens, and in fact a modern house with all the modern improvements. 2 piazzas and 2 bay windows. Barn 20x22, with basement. It is connected to the house. Here is a nice house in O. K. condition, and we can sell it right. Price \$5,300.

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Quebec Government will make Exhibit—
Other Attractive Features.

Canada's Great Eastern Exhibition
will have many new and interesting
features in all departments to present
to the public with the opening of the
gates, on August 31st.

Entries in the various Agricultural,
Horticultural, Industrial, Live Stock,
Dairy, Poultry and Ladies Departments
are already fast coming in, and it looks
like a record year for entries. One
noticeable entry is that in the classes
for butter and cheese, caused, no
doubt, by the change in the distribu-
tion of prize money—a larger amount
being awarded for first premium this
year than in the past.

QUEBEC GOVERNMENT EXHIBIT.

An exhibit which should prove both
attractive as well as of great value
and interest, will be the Quebec Gov-
ernment farming exhibit. This exhibit
arranged for by the Minister of Agri-
culture of the Province. Hon. Mr. Caron,
will be looked after by Department men,
will occupy one whole building, and should
prove one of the attractions of this year's
exhibition.

In connection with this the Quebec
Government, is also making another
exhibit which should be attractive as
well as instructive. This is an exhibit
in charge of the Department of Edu-
cation of the Province and will occupy
the entire second floor of the main
building.

In connection with the attractions
the Committee will this year place on
the programme one of the most at-
tractive and complete performances
that have ever been presented to any
Canadian audience. As a headliner
the Committee have engaged at great
expense an aviator of international
reputation, who will make two flights
daily in his Blériot monoplane, flying
from and returning to the exhibition
upon each flight.

Several bands have already been
engaged to render music, morning,
afternoon and evening, and this part
of the programme will probably be
taken care of by Never's 2nd Regt.
Band of Concord, N. H., the Orleans
Band of Barton, V., North Hatley Band
and Harmony and 53rd Regt. Bands of
this city.

The races this year will be better
than ever.

A new, and what should prove to be
a better Midway has been selected and
staked out upon the Fair grounds,
but occupying practically the same
section as in past years. In connec-
tion with this a large number of high-
class, up to date shows are already
booked.

The main buildings are all rapidly
filling up and indications are that
when the Fair opens every available
piece of space will be taken up.

All indications point to a record-
breaking Fair and with the admission
fee again at 25c it is anticipated that
unprecedented crowds will be in at-
tendance.

East Bolton, Heathton, Maple Valley, Massawippi, Cassville, Smith's Mills, Georgeville, Bresette Corner, Demick's Mills items on second page.

NORTH STANSTEAD.
Miss E. W. Camber, who has been
spending the past ten days in town,
left Monday for her home in Worces-
ter, Mass.

• Mrs. John Gallaher is quite ill at
present writing. She is attended by
Dr. Stockwell.

Miss Mary Byers returned on Mon-
day to her home at Hawksbury, Ont.,
after spending the past few months
with her uncle, Mr. R. D. Byers.

Quite a few from here attended the
ice cream social at Mr. Libby's, Cass-
ville, Friday evening. All report a
fine time.

Mrs. J. L. Heath's neighbors gave
her a bee Monday and Tuesday to help
do her haying.

KINGSCROFT.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Broussard
and daughter of Salem Mass., visited
at M. G. Carey's this week.

Mr. John Treble of Edmonton Al-
berta has been at Mr. Edson's for a
few days.

Mrs. Mable Brown of Melrose
Heights who has been with her sister
Mrs. Pope for some time goes to
Maine, on Wednesday of this week.

Miss Ruth Bowen of Compton has
been with her sister Mrs. B. M. Carey
for a week. Mr. B. M. Carey has been
quite sick but is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pope, and Mr.
Bliss, went to Stanstead last Monday.

Mr. Dudois barn, and out buildings
were burned Sunday night the 11th
inst. During the worst storm we have
had for years. The House was saved
by the rain, and much hard work. The
youngmen Theodore, and Thomas
were at Stanstead at the time. Mr.
Dudois buildings, were all burned at
Point Levis, Que., less than five years
ago, just before they came here. He
will build again as soon as possible.

DUFFERIN AVENUE.
A very pretty affair took place last
Saturday afternoon at Mrs. S. E. Ab-
bott's, when the Helping Hand gave
Miss Elizabeth Byers a linen shower.
It being an ideal afternoon the lawn
was used for ceremonies. There were
several invited guests from Ontario,
New York, Lowell, Boston, Worces-
ter, Derby and Newport. A chair
which was used for the occasion was
prettily decorated with green and
pink crepe paper. These colors were
used for decorating throughout the
house. After Miss Byers was seated
in the chair a shower of wishes fell
over her head, falling to the ground,
and as they were picked up wishes
from each of the guests were read for
her future happiness.

Four young ladies appeared with
dainty white caps, Misses Jennie
Schoolcraft, Mary Byers, Lena Clark
and Ethel Holt, and presented Miss
Byers with a washtub filled with beau-
tiful gifts of needlework and embro-
idered linen.

Mrs. W. A. Abbott and Miss Ruth
Libby assisted her in reading the
wishes and opening the parcels, after
which Miss Byers responded in a
graceful manner, thanking all who re-
membered her so generously.

Refreshments were served on the
lawn, Mrs. A. E. Lincoln and Mrs. W.
P. Libby poured, Mrs. Arthur Curtis
served punch.

A delightful entertainment was en-
joyed, songs and readings by Miss
Ruth Libby, piano selections by Miss
Goodfellow, readings by Miss Ethel
Holt, then all sang "God Save the
King." Cheers and thanks were given
Mr. and Mrs. Abbott for their kind
hospitality in making it such a suc-
cess.

APPLE GROVE.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Redway and
Master Millie spent one day last week
with Mr. J. Gore.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Verbeck, of
Malden, Mass., were guests at S. G.
Drew's last Thursday.

Miss Lenona Stevens, of West Derby,
has been spending a few days with her
Aunt, Mrs. J. Redway, recently.

Mr. Willard Miller and Miss Miller
visited at Mr. A. B. Harvey's recently.

Mrs. James Farwell and daughter
Enid, of Lenoxville, has been the
guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
William Bissell the past week.

Mr. C. P. Davis, of Stanstead, and
Mrs. Frank Steele and daughter Helen
spent Sunday at Bay View Farm.

Miss M. A. Drew was in St. Johns-
bury last week for "The Pageant" the
guest of Miss Florence Rouse.

MAXFIELD-REIMANN.
Walter Maxfield, only son of Oliver
Maxfield, for many years keeper of
the Maxfield lighthouse, across the
lake from Eagle Point, was married
Tuesday, August 13th, to Miss Emma
Reimann, eldest daughter of Wilhelm
Reimann, of the Munderloh farm,
Eagle Point. Both bride and groom
are well known about that particular
section of the Lake, and all join in
wishing them long life and happiness.

BEBE.

Mrs. David Reed has had a sister
from Johnson, Vt., visiting her.

Miss Amy Bigelow is in New York
to visit her brother Gerald and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Campbell are at
his father's, Mr. E. M. Campbell's for
a time, he coming from the Montreal
hospital, where he had been for an
operation for appendicitis.

Rev. Harold Drew and wife, of New
Bedford, Conn., and Dr. Harry Wood,
of Roanoke, Va., a brother of Mrs.
Drew, have been guests of Dr. and
Mrs. R. A. Gatchell. Mr. Drew will
be remembered as Bro. Harold Drew,
former pastor of the Advent Church
at Fitch Bay, and known by some in
this place. He is now engaged in the
Y. M. C. A. work and supplying pas-
tors at his home.

Mrs. Hazen Bullock is at home, af-
ter a few days' visit among friends.

Mrs. (Dr.) Lynch of Sherbrooke has
been spending a few days with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bayley.
She accompanied Mrs. Homer Worthen,
who had been visiting friends in
Sherbrooke.

Mrs. Geo. Campbell and daughter,
of Newport Center, were guests of
Mrs. E. M. Campbell recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bell spent the
week-end in Sherbrooke with his
brother.

Geo. Gatchell returned home to
Bennington, Vt., Monday, after spend-
ing two weeks with his parents, Dr.
and Mrs. Gatchell. His wife will re-
main for a week longer and is at West
Charleston visiting her mother, Mrs.
Hill.

Mrs. Gordon is at home from a three
weeks' visit in Providence, R. I.

Miss Annie Coburn has returned to
Montreal, after spending a few weeks
with her sisters, Christina and Eva.

It is with sadness that we refer to
the sudden death of little Miss Minnie
Sims, which occurred on the 19th
inst. She had been unwell for a little
while and last Saturday her condition
became worse. She was taken to the
St. Johnsbury hospital for an opera-
tion, but owing to her critical con-
dition it was thought best not to have
one. She grew worse and passed away
Monday morning. The remains were
brought home that evening, accom-
panied by the father and mother who
were with her. Tubercular meningitis
was the cause of the girl's death. She
was eleven years of age and the eldest
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William
Sims. The funeral was held in the
Methodist Church Wednesday after-
noon. The service was conducted by
Rev. G. W. Fisher, Ex-Mayor S. B.
Norton having the funeral in charge.
The quartette gave three selections.
The bearers were Messrs. Milton
Haselton, John Emalie, Fred Earl and
William Coots. A large number of
schoolmates carried bouquets of flowers
and placed on the casket in the
church and then around the grave,
the interment being in our village
cemetery. The family have the sym-
pathy of the community in their sad
affliction.

Mrs. J. D. Ross and Miss Wintred
Ross left Monday for their western
home in Vancouver, B. C. after a few
days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford
S. Frost. Mrs. Ross and daughter
have been in the East some time; they
were much pleased with this section
of the country.

FITCH BAY.

"Next Sunday the pulpit of the
Congregational Church will be oc-
cupied by the Rev. C. Stanley Vaughan
and for the two following Sundays
Sept 1st. and 8th."

WAY'S MILLS.

Mr. James Corfield, of Sherbrooke,
spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs.
W. G. Thompson.

Mr. Geo. Plummer has returned to
Springfield, Vt., after spending his
vacation with his sister, Mrs. B.
Smith.

Mrs. Sarah Horn is having a new
veranda put on her house, which im-
proves it very much.

Miss Nellie Thompson spent part of
last week in Sherbrooke.

Mrs. F. J. Wilkinson entertained a
number of the young people at a barn
party and dance one evening last
week.

Mr. E. H. Heath is improving his
buildings with a fresh coat of paint.

Miss Maud Humphrey of Sherbrooke
is a guest of her mother, Mrs. E.
Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moir, of Grant-
ville, spent Sunday at J. L. Con-
verse's.

Mrs. Nettie Hunt is spending a
week in Wells River, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Oliver, Miss Ag-
nes Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Oliver,
Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Hanson, Mr. and
Mrs. W. Geddes have been visitors of
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson at their
cottage, Elmwood Park, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baldwin of
Derby, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. U.
Hanson on Sunday.

Miss O. Gilbert of Rock Island re-
cently visited at E. J. Gilbert's.

Mrs. Fannie Daniels and Mrs. Bert-
ram Smith spent Wednesday at Stan-
stead.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cramer were in
Ayer's Cliff on Saturday.

Mrs. Stone, of Griffin, spent Sunday
with her sister, Mrs. Sprague.

Mrs. E. Humphrey is spending a
couple of weeks in Capelton.

AYER'S CLIFF.

Rev. Mr. Pierce, of Waterville, as-
sisted Rev. C. Moore at the Congrega-
tional service on Sunday morning,
preaching a very interesting and help-
ful sermon to a large congregation.
Miss Ruth Libby, whom we are al-
ways pleased to hear, sang a solo.

The sale and social given at the hall
on Saturday evening by the Guild was
an entire success socially and finan-
cially, and a good program of vocal
and instrumental music and recita-
tions was enjoyed by a large gather-
ing.

The Ayer's Cliff Board of Trade and
band are planning for a moonlight ex-
cursion for the evening of Monday,
August 26th, the steamer leaving the
wharf at 8 o'clock sharp. The band
will give a concert on the boat. Every
and anyone is invited to go and enjoy
this trip. This will be among the last
opportunities for this season as it is
reported that the Pocohontas will
soon discontinue her trips on Lake
Massawippi.

The Ladies Aid are arranging to
serve lunches on the two days of the
Stanstead County Fair to be held here
on August 28th and 29th. Their tents
will be near the main entrance and a
number of ladies have volunteered to
superintend personally the serving of
good pastry lunches of all kinds, in-
cluding baked beans, cold meats, sand-
wiches, tea and coffee, ice cream,
lemonade, &c. This is a praiseworthy
effort as proceeds are to assist in de-
fraying expenses of needed repairs in
the church and it will also be a nice
accommodation to the public who
gather so largely at our county fair.

Mrs. Smith of Stanstead, Mrs. W.
Libby and Mrs. Upston of Massa-
chusetts, were guests this week of
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cass.

Col. and Mrs. E. B. Morrill visited
Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wheeler on Sat-
urday, en route from Waterloo where
the Col. has been attending the 13th
Dragoon Rifle Matches.

Miss Baldwin went to Montreal on
business Wednesday.

Mrs. Loring, of Braintree, Mass.,
who has been visiting at G. W. Colby's
returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. Herbert Chamberlain of Boston,
is visiting his parents here.

Miss Grace Hand has returned to
the telephone office, after enjoying a
vacation, when her place at the cen-
tral was filled by Miss Veda Chamber-
lain.

Mrs. Fred Guild and children of
North Hatley, are visiting her parents
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Johnston, Mr.
and Mrs. E. P. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. H.
P. Berry and others from here attend-
ed Barton fair on Wednesday.

Mr. Scott Worthen went to Mont-
real on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickland were in
Sherbrooke on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Drew were called
to Granby on Saturday by the sudden
death of Mrs. Drew's sister, Mrs. C.
R. Clark. They returned home Tues-
day evening.

THE JOURNAL'S FRIENDS.

Mr. Arthur Veasey, Quebec, writes:
"I have much pleasure in enclosing
you my annual subscription to your
always very interesting paper, now
going on 23 years since I first sub-
scribed. It keeps me well in touch
with my old friends in Stanstead since
my leaving in 1889."

Mr. E. B. Dolloff, Los Angeles, Cal.,
writes: I am enclosing P. O. money
order for the JOURNAL for another
year. We are always glad to see our
old friend each Tuesday, and gladly
lay aside our other papers until we
have read the JOURNAL through. As
usual we are having lovely weather;
just warm enough, just cool enough,
just fine.

Bradstreet says: As was early pre-
dicted the number of immigrants ar-
riving in Canada this year shows a
substantial increase over that of last.
During the three months ending June
30 of the current fiscal year 175,341 ar-
rivals were reported. Of these 121,998
came in by ocean ports and 53,343
from the United States. These figures
show an increase of fifteen per cent.
as compared with those of the cor-
responding month of the last fiscal
year which were 109,316 at ocean ports
and 43,802 from the United States.
During the month of June this year
there were 45,888 arrivals, 32,140 of
them coming by ocean ports and 13,-
748 from the United States, as against
40,008 for the same month last year,
29,773 of whom were by ocean ports
and 12,035 from the United States.

Shepley Bolivia.

In territorial extent Bolivia stands
third among the Republics of South
America and is one of the two without
a seaport. Her natural outlet to the
Pacific ocean was taken by Chile at the
end of the war of the Pacific, and to-
day she is shut off from the sea like
Switzerland. La Paz, Oruro and Po-
tosi are all cities standing over 12,000
feet above the level of the sea.

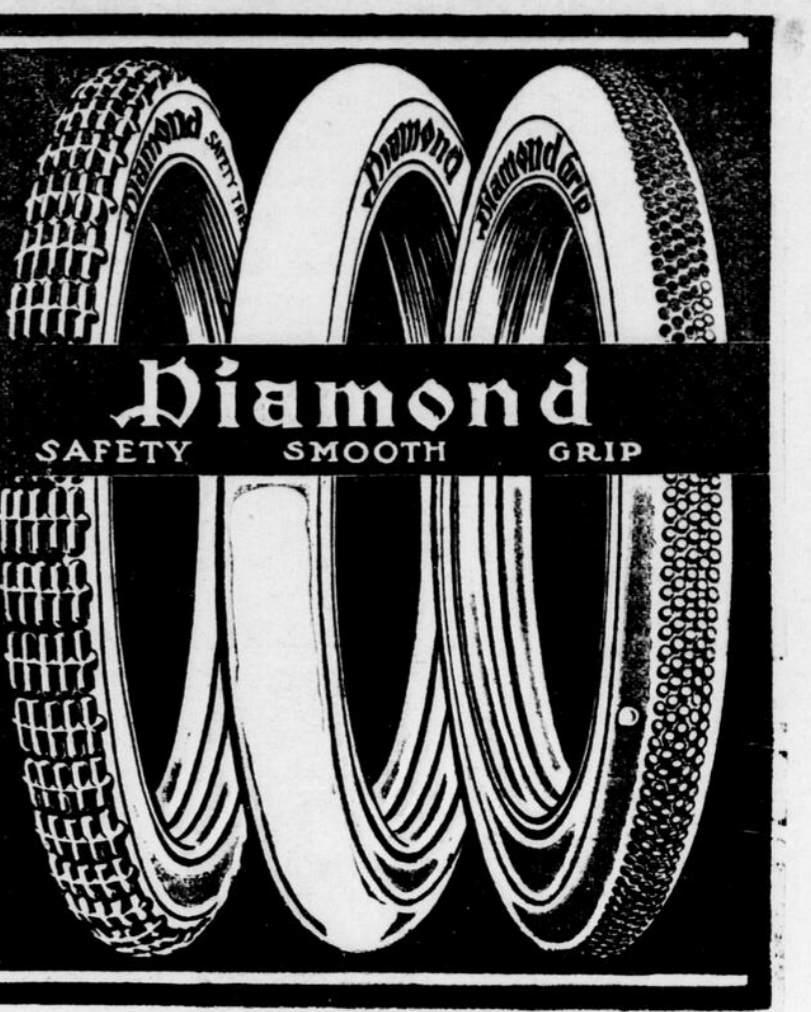
Pathetic Case.

Stagers—Ish no ush; I can't open
this door. Ish because I'm bald head-
ed. Jagers—Bald headed? Whatah
thash got to do with it? Stagers—
Ev'rything, m' friend; ev'rything.
Whatah good ish a key if you haven't
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The Fruit of Faith

By Rev. James M. Gray, D. D.
Dean of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago

TEXT—Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord, Jesus Christ.

By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God. And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience. And patience, experience; and experience, hope. And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.—Romans 5:1-13.

I. The first fruit of faith is justification, which means not only that

the believer is forgiven of his sins, but that he is regarded in God's sight as though he had never sinned. Captain Dreyfus, the French officer, was pardoned by the president of the French republic, and set at liberty, but he sought another trial in order to secure justification in the eyes of France and the whole world. He demanded it, however, on the ground of his innocence, while the Christian believer receives it as an act of free grace on the ground of Christ's work in his behalf.

Peace With God and the Peace of God. II. "Being justified by faith, therefore, we have peace with God." This is the second fruit of faith. The apostle does not say we have the peace "of" God. The one is a condition, the other an experience of that condition. The moment a man accepts Jesus Christ as his Saviour, he comes into a state of peace with God, where all enmity is put away, and he is no longer abiding under wrath or condemnation for his sin. It may take him some time to realize or apprehend this through the weakness of his faith, but it is a fact nevertheless, and the sooner he grasps it by faith, the sooner will he come to experience it, and know the peace of God which passeth all understanding.

III. But as the result of being justified, the believer not only has peace with God, but "access" unto God, as the apostle says. Sometimes when we "make up" with a man after being at variance with him, we try nevertheless to keep him at arm's length. Not so in the case of God's reconciliation to us. He permits us to come into the closest friendship and fellowship with him in Christ. It were as though he invited us to sit down at his table and break bread with him. We are now entirely at one with him.

Reasons for Rejoicing. IV. And not only have we access, but "rejoicing." There are three things for the believer to rejoice in. In the first place, he rejoices "in the hope of glory." That is, in the hope of seeing God's glory in the face of Jesus Christ when he shall be revealed again, and the hope of entering into that glory and partaking of it as one of the redeemed ones.

In the second place, he rejoices "in tribulations also," because as the apostle teaches, the tribulation through which a Christian passes enlarges his experience of God as his comforter and deliverer.

This experience assures him of God's love for him and contributes to the quickening and strengthening of his hope concerning the greater comfort and deliverance that is to come. I am a millionaire and promise you a hundred thousand dollars at a certain time, and also promise to help you out of every financial crisis which may overtake you in the meantime. Now such financial crises come to be regarded by you as blessings in disguise if I keep my promise every time. In other words, the fulfillment of the minor promise on each occasion furnishes an additional evidence of the ultimate fulfillment of the major one. This is the meaning here.

V. Finally, the true believer comes to rejoice in God himself, for to the verses of our text we may add the thought of verse 11, which teaches that truth. This is the acme of the experience of the justified state, when we are no longer occupied with the gifts, but the giver. The love of God for us is so shed abroad in our hearts as more and more we trust in him, that we are no longer absorbed in the blessings he bestows so much as we are absorbed in him. We come to love him at last not for what he gives but for what he is.

These are some of the blessed fruits of our faith in Jesus Christ. Who would not covet them if they are real? Who would not desire to be right with God, to be at peace with him, to have conscious access unto him, to rejoice in relationship with him every day? But why not try if they are real? Why not "taste and see that the Lord is good?" Why not in the quiet of your heart just now, receive Jesus Christ as your Saviour, and ask God to give you his Holy Spirit to make these things real? God will hear this prayer as you keep asking him, for he loves and wants to bless you in his Son.

STRANGE DOGS OF ALASKA

Most Common Breed is the Malamute or Native Dog—Are Wonderful Workers.

Dogs in Alaska are of all breed and size, the most common being the malamute, or native dog, says a writer in the Wide World Magazine. The word "malamute" is an Indian word meaning Eskimo, and is applied to both dogs and natives. The malamute is of the breed era half wolf. They evince all the characteristics of the wolf, both in appearance and in manners. Owing to his wolf-like fur, the malamute can easily stand the extreme Alaskan cold. He is a born fighter, an inveterate thief, and somewhat of a coward, for he will seldom fight singly against a lone adversary. The malamute, while well able to withstand the cold, does not seem to have the same order of intelligence as is displayed by the outside dog, and the best dog for Alaska would seem to be a mixture of the two strains.

Another native breed in the north is the huskie, but this breed is rarer than common usage of the word would imply. The real huskies are bred in the neighborhood of the Mackenzie river, and are more common in the territory under the jurisdiction of the Hudson Bay company than in Alaska.

Small dogs, such as fox terriers, are a rarity in Alaska, for in that country a dog is valuable in exact proportion to the amount he can pull. A sleigh-dog will weigh anything from 30 to 150 pounds, the average being about 75 pounds. It is surprising to the uninitiated how big a load a dog can pull, though I must admit I have never seen or heard of a dog in Alaska pulling 1,000 pounds, under the conditions described in a well-known novelist's book; nor have I ever seen or heard of a dog-fight as pictured so vividly in the story which he graphically describes a fight where two dogs are battling for supremacy in the team, and the remainder of the dogs sit on their haunches and form a ring around the contestants, who, under these conditions, I suppose, would fight it out under Marquis of Queensbury rules. I question whether such a fight ever occurred in natural history. If there are two Alaskan dogs fighting, and 40 non-interested dogs in the neighborhood, the fight will soon involve itself into one dog underneath and 41 dogs on top. The idea of an Alaskan dog calmly sitting on his haunches and coolly viewing the fight is too funny for anything; the joke can only be appreciated by those who have seen a bunch of malamutes in a fight.

Maine Woods Tragedy.

Because some small boys drank Whit Toothaker's and Han Vining's sap, replacing the contents of the sap buckets with water, Messrs. Toothaker and Vining both express the opinion that this has been a mighty unsatisfactory syrup season. With visions of gallons of golden syrup the men tapped their maples and waited patiently for a run of sap. It came as they supposed, and when they gathered the well-filled buckets their eyes glistened in anticipation of the treat in store. Then came the boiling process. High rose the flames about the pans and kettles, but still higher rose the indignation of Messrs. Toothaker and Vining because the "sap" refused to turn into syrup. The liquid in the pans gave forth a vast amount of steam, but that was all there was doing. Finally both men gave up in disgust what seemed to be a hopeless task. The next day Whit said to Han, "Did you get any syrup out of the sap you boiled yesterday?" "No," replied Han, "this has been a mighty poor sap year."—Maine Woods.

Made the Hen So Nervous.

A woman who lives in the Country club district has a large back yard in which she keeps a few chickens. Her chickens have become something more than mere egg producers to her, in fact she regards them affectionately and respects their rights and feelings. One day a plumber was at work installing pipes at a house near by. To bore a hole through the rock he set off a light blast. The explosion jarred the house of the woman with the chickens.

Gathering her skirts in her hands she made straight for the place where the plumber was at work.

"You much stop that blasting this minute," she exclaimed. The plumber protested that it was such a light charge it couldn't possibly do any damage to window panes or crockery.

"That doesn't make any difference," said the woman emphatically, "I've got a sitting hen. She's afraid it'll break the eggs and it distracts her dreadfully."—Kansas City Star.

Making Himself Solid.

When L. C. Probert went to Washington as a newspaper correspondent for the Associated Press he asked a friend to show him over the senate and give him a proper introduction to all the senators. Finally they went into the office of Senator Stone of Missouri. Stone was exceedingly polite and made Probert feel at home.

"I used to be in St. Louis myself," vouchsafed Probert. "I was a witness in the suit which the St. Louis Star brought against the Associated Press for being a trust."

"Yes," remarked Stone. "I remember that case very well."

"I was on the Associated Press at that time," continued Probert with great enthusiasm, "and I tell you our lawyers made the fellow on the other side look like an idiot."—Popular Magazine.

HOME TOWN HELPS

LITTLE TROUBLE WITH TULIPS

These Beautiful Flowers May Easily Be Made as Successful Here as in Holland.

Horticulturists visiting Holland bring back tales of how "Dutch bulbs" are grown for the world in the land reclaimed from the Zuider Zee. The soil is sandy, superb in drainage and naturally poor, but proper handling has made it a rich one. After reading of the Holland methods, the writer has this year produced tulips that are second to none, some being more than two feet in height and very robust with large flowers. The method of care is herein given in the hope that some who have given up hope may be able to grow these beautiful flowers to a satisfying degree of excellence. Many other lots have been visited that are very fine, where the care and culture has been very similar to that followed by the writer.

The two strong points in growing good tulips are deep planting and plenty of water. To provide good drainage (a supposed essential) the writer dug out a bed to the depth of 18 inches, mixing the soil with some sand and one-fourth horse manure that contained a large per cent of planing-mill shavings, used for bedding. This was replaced and trodden down until within six inches of the surface. Then a mixture was made of one-half good garden loam, one-fourth sand, and one-fourth pulverized sheep manure. The soil was smoothed on the bottom of the bed, one inch of this special soil placed evenly over the surface, the tulip bulbs placed upon it and the balance of the special soil placed on top. After being wetted down it was about six inches from the surface to bottom of tulip bulbs. A little ridge of earth was placed around the bed so that when given a liberal watering the water could stand two inches deep before soaking down, which latter it did very rapidly. Then three inches of fresh stable manure was placed on top for a mulch and the bed was heavily watered, when no rain fell, twice each week. The tulips so produced were second to none in local gardens. They were all singles, of the Gesneriana type. Those in one bed inspected that were especially fine were placed the same depth as herein noted, in almost pure adobe, covered with four inches of manure and kept well watered. Lack of drainage did not seem to affect them adversely. To sum up, the two chief points are deep planting and heavy watering.

NEW YORK SCHOOL GARDENS

Even in the Heart of the Crowded Metropolis These Beauty Spots Are to Be Found.

School gardens, for some years a feature of education in smaller towns, have at last taken root in New York. Even in the heart of crowded Manhattan it has been found possible to turn a bit of the school yard into a garden and there to let the children grow flowers and vegetables. In some schools each class has its plot, in others there was enough room to provide a plot for each child, but this, except in the rural outskirts, is rare. In one school, where it was impossible to raise plants from the earth, a goodly part of the cement-paved playground was given over to boxes which afforded a home for growing plants. There is a large society, called the School Garden association, of which the president is Van Evrie Kilpatrick, principal of P. S. No. 52. The photograph printed herewith shows one of the classes of P. S. No. 54, Manhattan, at Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Fourth street, working its little garden patch.

Where Every One Loves Gardens.

In Japan every one loves gardens, knows gardens and makes gardens. The children amuse themselves with toy gardens instead of mud pies, and model relief maps in the sands of school playgrounds. In the recent wars the soldiers, after long marches, amused themselves by making little home landscapes before their tents. In more remote times emperors and shoguns abdicated and joined or established monasteries in Kioto, that they might the better meditate upon the eternal truths, and enjoy gardens of their own designing. Priests, nobles and court ladies all observed the conventions and practiced the rules of landscape art.

Of the making of gardens and illustrated garden books there was literally no end in the leisure centuries before the restoration.—From Eliza Ruhmal-Seldmore's "The Famous Gardens of Kioto" in the Century.

Oregon Children Make Gardens.

More than 50,000 children in the state of Oregon are said to be busy making gardens. This activity is due to an industrial contest through which it is intended to teach the children the true dignity of labor. The superintendent is responsible for the idea and all parents as well as all teachers in the state were called on to help carry out the plans supplied by the board.

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ALCOHOL IS NOT NECESSARY

Prof. Howard Marsh Gives Telling Testimony Against So-Called Drinking in Moderation.

Speaking at a largely attended conference on "The Uses of Alcohol," held recently by a thriving branch of the C. E. Temperance society at Cambridge, Eng., and addressed by the eminent professors of medicine, pathology and surgery in the university, Prof. Howard Marsh gave telling testimony against the use of alcoholic drink even in so-called moderate quantities.

In opening his address he said that he had been interested in this question for a very long time, and could say with all modesty, for he was only expressing his own opinion, that he had come to very definite conclusions upon it. The first was that even in moderation, and except for medical purposes, alcohol was perfectly unnecessary. The Jape never used it, yet how well they had done in war. A similar illustration was afforded by the brave native Sikh regiment, total abstainers. He had an example a short time ago when he sent a somewhat venturesome invitation to Sir Robert Baden-Powell to come down and inspect the Cambridge Scouts. His first sent his aide-de-camp to see whether it was worth his while to come. He came and lunched at Downing College. He was about twenty-eight years old, five feet ten inches in height, and with as clear a complexion and as bright an eye as one would see, and he knew what sort of young fellow he must be to be Baden-Powell's right-hand man. He was struck by the fact that the young fellow, as splendid a young animal man as one could meet anywhere, proved to be a vegetarian, an abstainer, and a non-smoker. The tennis champion—not lawn tennis, nice as it might be, but the real thing—his old friend, Mr. Neville Lytton, was an abstainer. He (the speaker) used to play golf a great deal, and they were often struck with admiration at the way the great player Taylor played, with marvelous precision. There was no one who could hold him. He especially asked if he was a teetotaler, and the reply was, "Of course he is; if he were not he could not play like that."

He did not believe that alcohol was necessary as a food, although he could not say anything in the presence of Sir Clifford Allbutt about its use as a medicine, though he did say that in some other circumstances it was harmful in a very definite degree. Take the case of contests of physical power. Did they think a man would take a large dose of alcohol and expect to win the king's prize? They might be perfectly certain that if he did he would not be able to "shoot for nuts." In the case of an ordinary social party made up of young fellows from the services, they knew that if they dined heartily with wine overnight they could not shoot next morning. The best shot in England, if he indulged to any extent in champagne overnight, would be unable to hit more than one pheasant out of five the next morning. Alcohol even in moderate amount unfitted him for skilled work. In golf he had known people who showed at once whether they took alcohol or not. A man might play splendidly in the morning, but if he had a couple of whiskies and sodas at lunch, his play would fall off in the afternoon. Another thing had struck him. That among so-called moderate drinkers, young men from twenty-five to thirty-five might drink wine pretty freely, but they would often hear a man say at forty: "I can't drink as I used to do; wine does not agree with me now." That just showed that while in the very prime of their physical life they might seem to find no very serious effects, as soon as any of their organs began to flag they could plainly see the injurious effects.

He was delighted at the changes for the better going on in England now. The other day he was dining at Woolwich and saw at least five-sixths of the young officers present were drinking nothing stronger than lemonade. At least 70,000 men in the army today were teetotalers. He thought that a splendid thing, because with that many teetotalers in the army, the whole would be teetotal before long. He was glad that the opinion formed by intelligent people in an intellectual society today was that alcohol was unnecessary. It was of the greatest assistance to the poorer classes nowadays that they could get a good cup of hot coffee or milk and a piece of bread and butter instead of a glass of adulterated beer. Things had been thrown into beer in the past which increased a man's craving for it. Now that these men could get coffee or milk they said, "That's the thing for me." He believed that was one of the best and most powerful influences at work today. It would be the greatest thing if everybody would make up their minds to start their children abstemious and right and bring them up as total abstainers, for he believed that if they were never given wine or beer as children they would never want it. If they did not teach a child that alcohol was necessary they would find that he would never want it.

No Useful Effects.
"There seems no useful effects to be anticipated from the use of alcohol in health."—Dr. Parkes.

FOR UGLIEST WOMAN

ENDOWMENT FOR THE MAN WHO MARRIES HER.

Bachelor Leaves Fund to Help Out the Homely Girl—German Town Rewards Lovers Who Marry Unattractive Women.

A well known bachelor who died the other day at Frankfurt, Germany, left an endowment for an annual prize of \$125 to the man who leads the ugliest woman to the altar. If the bride is lame as well as unprepossessive the groom will receive an additional \$25.

This reminds us that the town of Haschmann, in Germany, has a system of rewarding lovers who marry girls who have little or no personal attractions. A well known financier left a sum of money to the town authorities to provide dowries for the plainest woman under thirty married in Haschmann every year, a cripple, and four women under forty who had been jilted several times.

Givette, a town in the Ardennes, was left some money a long time ago, and today it encourages matrimony by awarding money prizes to mothers who send the largest number of children to the schools.

It may not be generally known that the church wardens of Yattendon receive every two years from the mayor and burgesses of Reading the sum of 8 shillings under James Pocock's charity. It appears that Pocock by his will, dated September 26, 1610, gave to the mayor and corporation of Reading the sum of \$120, on condition that they should buy land with the money. "The rents thereof," so runs the will, "to be employed to provide eight shirts and eight smocks, of two shillings apiece each, or above, and bestow five shirts and five smocks to ten of the poorest people in the town of Reading and the remainder one year to six of the poorest people of the parish of Grisham, Berks. . . and the other year to six of the poorest people of the parish of Yattendon." James Pocock also directed that the mayor should have 6 pennies and the church wardens 4 pennies for their trouble in purchasing and distributing the shirts and smocks.

A singular ceremony was observed at Guildford a month or so ago, when several maid servants competed for the "maid's money," which was left by John How in 1674. According to custom the entrants had to throw dice, and Miss Edith Palma, scoring the highest number, was declared the winner.

Every spring several young servant girls of Cardiff wish to get married. They are handed a sum of money to ward the expense of getting a home together. The maidens are nominated by the Cardiff council and the mayor pays over the dowries. This marriage fund owes its existence to the generosity of the Marquis of Bute, he having placed in the hands of the mayor of Cardiff, in the year 1897, the sum of \$5,000, the yearly income from which was to be distributed each spring to deserving servants of the city whose wedding was impeded by the want of a dowry.

The Japanese Beggar.

Directly a policeman of one station discovers a beggar he kicks him away no matter whether, and another policeman of another station catches hold of the fellow and throws him out of his area, and so on, with the consequence that beggars after wandering from one ward to another and back again ultimately settle down in the region of the least resistance, namely, the suburbs. The latest happenings prove that suburbs are fast becoming the centers of mendacity and criminality. The manichi therefore begs the authorities to adopt a positive instead of a patchwork policy, advocating an exhaustive study of the problem.

Another plan is that the teachers of primary schools be called upon to impress upon the emotional youngsters the utter desirability of begging, so that the younger generation may consider beggars as those deserving to be kicked out for their laziness or to be maintained by public charity, rather than as poor fellows meriting individual assistance.—Tokio Mainichi.

Fashionable Injury.

After the surgeon had carefully examined the beautiful young woman he shook his head gravely and said: "I'm afraid the case is going to be a very serious one. Both shoulders are out of joint, the collar bone is broken, both wrists are out of place. Was it a railway accident?" "Oh, dear, no—nothing of that kind," replied the sufferer's mother. "Myrtle attended a fashionable party last night, where they had all the new dances, such as the bunny hug, the Texas Tommy and the others in which the intention of the young man seems to be to jerk the young lady's body out from under her head."

His Idea.

"That trust magnate has a strangely fitting idea of his new abode." "How?" "He told the architect he wanted an octopus-shaped room for his living room."

Big Ones on Top.

"Are these the largest strawberrie you have?" asked the lady in the market. "Well, if you got 'em off the tops o' any of those boxes, they are, ma'am, replied the truthful man."

DRAGONS AND PIXIES.

Traditions of the Little People Are Common In England.

In certain parts of England there still linger vague traditions of dragons, and the terror and devastation they occasioned. That these were no flesh and blood creatures of those early days when fearsome beasts roamed the country is shown by the prevalence of such tales in certain places only, and the fact that no other animal, however alarming, has inspired such dread. There can be little doubt that where these legends are found in coast districts they preserve the remembrance of past descents of the marauding Danes in their dragonships, and the awful havoc they created. Even now the fear implanted so long ago is not absolutely dead, for the reputed stronghold of the dragon (generally the site of an ancient battle) is left severely alone by the children, and even the men will not willingly go near the spot after dark.

Where these dragon legends have been found inland they have been traced to the famous dragon standard of Wessex. At Burford, in Oxford, near which place a terrible battle was fought on Midsomer Eve in 720 A.D. between Wessex and Mercia, a dragon used to be carried about the streets in each anniversary in memory of the event.

Many antiquaries are now inclined to think that the belief in fairies or pixies, which still lingers in some out-of-the-way corners of England, is another instance. The "little people" are, it is thought, those ancient Iverian inhabitants of Britain who, physically inferior in stature and war-like characteristics to the invading Gaels, were driven by them into the fastnesses of cave and hill and forest. As they lost their fear of their conquerors they occasionally revisited their old haunts, sometimes to play pranks, sometimes to render substantial help, according to the reward they received for their services.

There are many tales in the West of the pixies coming regularly to do housework, make bread, or churn while the household slept, providing always that no one attempted to spy on them, and that a bowl of the richest and freshest cream was left out for them. If the cream was sour or any attempt was made to catch them at their work they never visited the house again.

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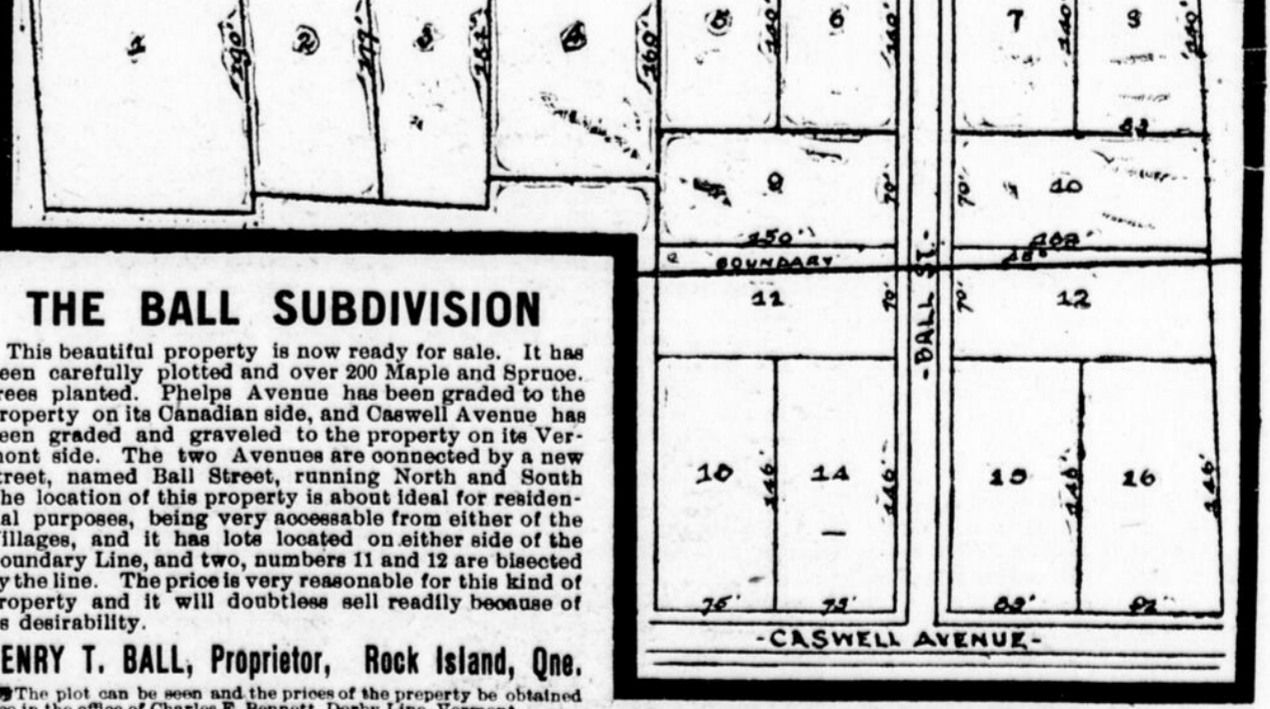
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LAST WEEK'S BASEBALL.

Hatley visited us on Thursday and the Barre Athletics came Saturday after for a double header. The game with the college fellows from Hatley was a good one for the normal fan to witness. In the first inning the two teams scored four each. In the second the school boys added five scores, and with the Frontiers it was one, two, three. In the third the squares showed zero in each. In the fourth the visitors added one and were ten, but the Frontiers brought out their horseshoe and the luck returned to the tune of six simoleons and at the opening of the fifth the score was ten and ten. In the sixth we carried off two to their one and the Bluebirds were leading by one at the commencement of the sixth. In this inning the Hatleys jumped to fourteen, getting a lead of two. In the seventh the locals captured three, making the score fourteen to fifteen at the opening of the eighth and two were added.

The Hatleys struggled for winnings in the ninth, but only captured one score. The game closed with the score of fourteen to seventeen in favor of the home team. The line-up:

Hatleys	Frontiers
Martin	p. L. Jenkins
Lawson	c. Seguin
Kinlock	1 b. Cosby
Childs	2 b. Pike
Ransom	3 b. Lacasse
Skillet	s. s. Bassett
Andrews	l. f. Moulton
Spiegle	c. f. C. Jenkins
Ballen	r. f. Norris

Umpire, Bishop; Scorekeeper, Lancelot.

Summary of features were as follows: Three base hits, Martin; first on balls, Jenkins 3, Martin 5; left on bases, Frontiers 8, Hatley 5; first base on errors, Frontiers 8, Hatley 9; two base hits, Lacasse 1, Cosby 1, C. Jenkins 1, Kinlock 1, Childs 1, Ballen 1; home runs, Kinlock 1; struck out by Jenkins, 2, Seguin 5, Martin 9; passed balls, Lawson 1; triple play, Ballen fly in left field, Ballen to Kinlock at first base, Kinlock to Childs at second base; put out, Hatley 15, Frontiers 20; assists, Hatley 7, Frontiers 10; errors, Hatley 9, Frontiers 9; at bat, Hatley 46, Frontiers 46.

The two games of Saturday afternoon were of a different brand of baseball. The crowd was the largest of the season and everybody looked expectant. The workout of the two teams did not reveal any superiority of the visitors over the home team and the games confirmed this, although we lost both games. Two unfortunate errors by the locals in the first game and the crippling of Ralph Seguin in the second so changed our line-up that we were handicapped.

Ashton pitched a strong, steady game in the first and Archambault was in good form for the second. One of the fine features of the afternoon's sport was Archambault's work at second in the opening game; it was almost faultless.

Alfred Moulton did wonderful work in the left field, for some of the chances he caught were extreme in their strain upon those watching the game until we decided that he was sure to get them all.

Charles Jenkins made two phenomenal catches in the right in the second game. All of our men were on their toes all of the time and worked hard to win.

Barre has a fine line-up. Catcher Fowle is a star man, good at every point. Second baseman Davidson and third baseman Johnstone were snappy players. Right fielder Davidson and center fielder McKenzie made wonderful catches and were good with the willow. We think the first game one of the best amateur games we ever witnessed and this seemed to be the general feeling.

The unfortunate injury of Seguin's hand by Fowle in coming home took the heart out of the team, and two games in an afternoon by the same team is too much for the players and the audience. The line-up for both games excepting the changes in the box, etc., already mentioned was:

Barre	Frontiers
Johnson, Washburn, p. Ashton, p. 2b.	Fowle, c.
Taplin, 1b.	Seguin, c.
J. Davidson, 3b.	Archambault, p. 2b.
Johnstone, 2b.	Lacasse, 3b.
Nute, s. s.	Bassett, s. s., c.
Dudley, l. f.	Moulton, l. f.
McKenzie, c. f.	Lee, c. f.
Davidson, r. f.	L. Jenkins, r. f., s. s.
	C. Jenkins, r. f.

Umpires, Kirkland, Washburn and Johnson; scorekeeper, Nelson.

Score first game, Barre 8, Frontiers 7; second game, Barre 8, Frontiers 0.

Summary of features of the first game: Put out, Barre 29, Frontiers 30; assists, Barre 12, Frontiers 16; errors, Barre 9, Frontiers 4; two base hits, Nute, Johnstone, Dudley, Archambault, Cosby, L. Jenkins, Ashton; three base hits, J. Davidson; first on balls, Ashton 1, Johnson 2; left on bases, Frontiers 15, Barre 6; first base on errors, Frontiers 9, Barre 3; home runs, J. Davidson; struck out by Ashton 8, Johnson 4; hit by pitcher Cosby.

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POOR TYPE OF BUSINESS MAN

"Near Merchants" That Are a Constant Menace to Others—Lack Training and Enterprise.

There is a certain class of merchants to which the term "near-merchant" very fittingly applies, writes E. Newland Haynes, in the Southern Furniture Dealer. They are getting nothing out of business themselves and are permitting no one else to. They might be very aptly termed "tired" merchants, meaning those who have left other occupations and taken up merchandizing with the idea that here is easy work and easy money.

The lack of previous training of this class, together with its almost invariably over-estimate of its own business ability, is responsible for many of the shoals and sand bars of business navigation. If there is, as some economists assert, an over-supply of retail merchants, this over-supply is caused by the mistaken idea of the public that merchandizing is a soft snap.

We all know this type of merchant. When he launches into business it is with a most breezy disregard for such a trifle as running expenses. It induces him to think that his competitors are getting exorbitant profits, or else that they are better buyers. His goods are in consequence marked on the wrong basis, and since he is imbued, as this class invariably is, with the idea that price-cutting is the one way to get business, his prices are additionally low besides.

When that store is opened there will probably be the usual "curiosity crowd," and those low prices will draw some business and cause a lot of talk, and the dead beats will swarm to that store like vultures around good pickings. This temporary flurry makes the novice think he has captured the business of the town; his competitor is on the run, he thinks; he assumes a condescending and supercilious air that is decidedly irritating to his competitors. But if they are wise they won't get mad. Experience will make him tame long enough to eat out of hand before long.

In the meantime business is disturbed; the other dealers are able to hold their trade on account of their better acquaintance with it, and also because of their better assorted stocks; but because prices are demoralized except on those goods protected by exclusive agencies. The difficulty is that it is next to impossible to ever get those prices back again to a fair level, even should the other fellow ever come to his senses.

The trouble with so many of these fellows is that they never became thoroughly "way-wised;" are not disposed to work with their competitors for the common good, and their rude awakening to the worries of business makes them sulky and tempery, and they are easily provoked by the representations of customers into a bootless trade war.

This class goes and comes. A few learn business and become good merchants, but the majority at the most where they continue in business, are only "hanging on by their teeth," gaining little for themselves and acting as a constant menace to the prosperity of others.

"As to the mediums to be used, you know, of course, that the most direct and most easily employed means at our ready command for use in educating desire is the newspaper."—E. C. McCormick.

SCHEME OF SHOE MERCHANT

Hired Moving Picture Show for a Day and Illustrated Process of Manufacture of His Goods.

Noting the crowds that frequented the moving picture show directly adjoining his store, James J. Flynn, a Worcester (Mass.) shoe dealer, resolved that he would try to get the maximum publicity out of the host of pedestrians. He found out that he could hire the hall for a day for \$25 plus expenses of electrician, and he did so.

He advertised extensively among the people who frequented the small theater, also among his customers, and said that each and every one bringing the coupon in the circular, or in the newspaper, to the shoe store could have a reserved ticket for that special show. He placed himself in communication with the shoe manufacturers who have films on their hands of a working factory making shoes and acquired the loan of the films.

He had a dozen lantern slides made up and he was equipped for the publicity day. The crowd was immense; the regular bill shown and the extra explained in detail—and that wonderful story of the passage of the raw materials through 207 processes and handlings and the finished article—when he showed the line of shoes he carried in bold-faced type and illustration.

Everyone who attended one of the "performances" was presented with a little souvenir. Folding button-books were given the men—dainty pocket mirrors were handed out to the women, and a cheap toy was presented to every child.

All told, this plan brought more publicity for the Flynn shoe store than any plan that had ever been used before. This publicity made many new friends for the store, resulting in a lot of new customers.



TERRIBLE LURE OF LIQUOR

Power Which Drags Down Votaries of Cup is Little Understood—Few Awful Examples Related.

"If there sat a glass of whiskey on that table, and I knew that if I should drink it I would lose my right arm, I could not help but take the liquor, even though my arm were chopped off piecemeal."

Thus expressed himself to the writer a 56-year-old man who had spent 18 months in a Michigan prison for the commission of a crime for which liquor was most largely responsible, writes William H. Vinn in the Detroit Journal.

How little we can understand the power which drags down the votaries of the cup. Said a man to one of our police captains in Detroit: "I have not a waking moment when I am free from the craving for liquor." If we knew more about the lives and experiences of the men whose forms go staggering by on our streets, or who stand before our bars of justice, pity would often replace blame and sympathy would occupy the place of scorn.

Last week I met a poor fellow on the street who had been released from police court in the morning. From his actions it needed no prophet to foretell that he would face the judge ere long, and sure enough he was in the same court next morning. For over a decade he has been under the complete domination of John Barleycorn.

His experiences cause one to think of the custom of certain African chiefs who express their peculiar affection for certain of their subjects by maiming their bodies. All sorts of cripples are thus made by these rulers and it is related that the persons so maltreated take a particular delight in their sufferings, for to them it is a mark of the esteem of their chief.

Some years ago, while under the influence of liquor, the man of whom we are writing lost a limb. He hobbled about on a peg-leg for a time, but drink still held sway over him. About four years ago, while drunk, he became mixed up with a railroad train and lost an arm at the shoulder—limb off on one side and arm on the other. Still he clung to the glass, or, rather, more properly speaking, the glass clung to him.

Somewhere in this city toils a little, sweet-faced lady of upward of 70 years of age, still earning her own living at housework of a light order. She is the mother of the man above referred to, and he is her all. Her one prayer is that she may be spared to bury her boy. Saving all that she could from her scant earnings, she procured a satisfactory artificial limb for her drink-crazed boy. Were that limb possessed of the power of speech it could tell many tales of adventure while supporting its owner or while reposing back of some bar where it had been "put up" for drinks.

One incident is recalled. Two years ago Judge Stein requested the writer to take this unfortunate man to the carers for the county house. Noticing his limb was replaced by a wooden peg, on inquiring we learned it had been put up for security for a drink bill in a saloon not two blocks away from the police court. On payment of 45 cents the limb was secured and the man sent to Eloise. At present the poor fellow is being upheld by the peg-leg again.

That was a peculiar stunt which was "pulled off" by a resident at McGregor mission many years ago. Becoming very thirsty, and possessing no belongings which would serve as security, he bought himself of his false teeth, and back of the bar they went as warrant for the payment of the drink. Still, there was more sense in this transaction than in the one above referred to, for while a drinking man needs all the legs he can get, he can very well dispense with the molars, which are a useless luxury at such a time, as he cannot drink heavily and eat.

No crusader ever followed Peter the Hermit with a greater devotion than the drinker pursues his "cup;" no howling or dancing dervish can equal the utter abandon of him who "carries long at the wine." What does he not surrender at the call of that demon rum! Fortune, family, friends, health, life even—all are ungrudgingly offered to his thirsty god, and he will beg, steal or starve that he may keep the fire aglow on the unholy altar. The great Paul tells us "God loveth a cheerful giver." In the Greek the word translated "cheerful" is "hilarion," from which comes our word "hilarious." Very few are the disciples of the Master who give themselves and their belongings as hilariously as does the votary at the altar of Bacchus.

Accident Days. An investigation into the causes of accidents among industrial workers carried on for a number of years in Germany shows that the greatest number of casualties occur on Saturday, while Monday is a close second. The large number of accidents on Saturdays is generally explained by the fatigue of the week telling on the men, but it is noted also that the Monday accidents are about as numerous. This gives rise to the suggestion that the day of rest is sometimes not too wisely spent.—Medical Record.

Never Beneficial. "Alcohol is never beneficial to a person in health."—Dr. H. Lee Norris.

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