

**FRIENDLY ENCOURAGEMENT.**

MR. EDITOR:—I have been a reader of your lively little paper since it first saw the light of day, and it was with much interest and pleasure that I watched its progress in the path of prosperity and enterprise. Starting as it did almost at the same time that Hartland began its career of prosperity it has kept abreast of the times, until now it has all the dignity of an enterprising, wideawake country newspaper; and, judging from the increased advertising patronage it enjoys, and the prompt manner in which it deals with matters of vital importance to the welfare of Hartland and the county of Carleton, it is only a question of a very short time when it will rank with newspapers of larger size. Indeed the country weekly newspaper contains more really interesting reading matter than many of the great dailies of large cities do in seven days.

One pleasing feature of the ADVERTISER is the prominence it gives to agricultural topics. In fact it might be made the nucleus of a first class agricultural newspaper. There is no subject to my mind, of more importance to the prosperity of our province than that of agriculture. It is the basis of a country's wealth, the most useful of the useful arts. Although not a farmer myself, I have always taken the keenest interest in all matters relating to the developing of the agricultural resources of our country. Our farmers are highly favored with a healthy climate, fertile soil and good markets, and with the increased facilities they now have for the rapid transportation of their produce and the advantages afforded them by an ever expanding and rapidly increasing domestic and export trade, there is no reason why the New Brunswick farmer may not rank with the leading agriculturalists of America. Since the denunciation by England of the German and Belgian treaties and the obtaining to Canada of preferential trade, the outlook for a large traffic in agricultural products with the mother country and other portions of the Empire is very encouraging. The larger the export trade the larger the demands for home consumption, and this ought to stimulate the farmer to put forth his best efforts to increase the quality and quantity of what he raises, and to find out and study the best methods of producing the best results.

The encouragement which the government has given to Dairying, has stimulated this industry to a great extent, as is evidenced by the large number of butter and cheese factories in operation in the Province and the prospective ones to be established in the near future, as well as in the increased interest taken by enterprising farmers in this industry.

In conclusion I wish the ADVERTISER every success, feeling assured that it will meet with the encouragement and patronage which it so well merits.

W. H. L.

Fredericton, Feb. 8th 1898.

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**GRAND FALLS WILL BOOM.**

Engineer C. L. B. Miles of Andover, N. B., was in town Saturday, in company with James Hayes of Caribou. Mr. Miles has very recently completed a survey for water power at Grand Falls for a company headed by Mr. Hayes, who has a local charter for putting in works. The survey made by another company resulted in a plan for a sort of a canal from the upper to the lower basin, a distance of about three-quarters of a mile. The Miles survey takes the water right at the head of the falls, and swings around near the old grist mill, a distance of only 300 feet. More than 100,000 h. p. can be developed at this point. It is proposed to begin early in the spring to put in electric works which can furnish power for any quantity of milling or manufacturing purpose. We look for lively times at Grand Falls this year.—Caribou Republican.

Five years ago the little daughter of Mrs. Turton of Moose Mountain, Manitoba, disappeared and could not be traced and the mother's efforts to locate her were futile, until recently Rev. Mr. Sproule of Pierre, N. D., who had heard of the case, found a white child in possession of a wandering tribe of Indians. He had the child photographed on receiving the picture Mrs. Turton and her neighbors at once recognized it as her daughter. The girl, who is now 9 years of age, is on her way to Winnipeg.

Amid all the conjectures as to why Carleton County oats are quoted in St. John six cents lower than Ontario oats it might not come amiss to make the following note: H. M. & H. P. Stevens have a mashing mill in Somerville. They have brought to them oats of every description. One man brought to them 20 bushels of grain (?) which he called oats, but which contained every weed indigenous to this climate, and besides from this lot of "grain" Messrs Stevens took out one heaping half bushel of gravel, or by weight 10 per cent. As stones of this kind have no commercial value it ought not be surprising that Carleton Co. oats are low.

**PERSONAL NEWS.**

SE Campbell of Upper Brighton went to Fredericton on Wednesday. He will remain over until the F & D convention is through with. M P Orser, John Campbell, B N Shaw, and others in this vicinity intend going to the convention.

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**How a Woman May Retain Beauty.**

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In the first place, health is all important. Flesh texture and tint, for example, depend upon it. A complexion lacking luster, plumpness and elasticity, shows a lack somewhere in the vital or nutritive system. A mild diet, gentle temperature, even digestion, open air exercise, sleep and a tranquil mind pertain to good looks. Mistakes in diet begin usually in childhood. Often a girl sits down to a potato and pickles, several cups of strong tea, pies, cakes, ices and fiery condiments. If meat be on the bill of fare, there is a chance that it has been spoiled in the cooking.

As a result, when the girl is 20 her eyes are dull, teeth yellow, gums pale, lips wan, flesh flaccid and skin unyielding. Recourse is had to padding, face washes, stains and belladonna. The habits of life are unaltered. Before there can be an improvement a change must be made and firmly persisted in. The diet, while generous, must be temperate. Peppery soups, stews, game, pates, ragouts and spices are not good for the complexion. What is termed the epicurean woman will have before she is 30 a blotched face and flabby flesh. Women of nervous and sanguine temperament should restrict themselves to a diet of eggs, milk, bread, fruit, light broths, etc. Pure water should be the daily beverage.

A great deal of beauty at low cost can be obtained through the plentiful use of rainwater, sunlight and open air exercise. Frequent bathing is a healthful luxury. Bodily exercise should be carried on temperately, its aim being facile muscles, supple joints and pliant limbs—in a word, physical beauty.—Science Siftings.

**Pretty Japanese Tearoom.**

A Japanese tearoom may be made by covering the walls, two-thirds up, with matting, topped by a narrow shelf entirely around the room. Above the shelf fill in with Japanese prints of coarse fabric nicely decorated. Cover the ceiling with Japanese paper crossed with bamboo. Suspend several Japanese lanterns. Cover the floor with matting harmonizing with the wall. Dainty bamboo chairs and bamboo stools should be placed here and there. On a table in the center of the room have a tea set. A service can be purchased from any of the larger Japanese stores. Cover the windows with the Japanese slat curtains, inside of which put Japanese silk curtains daintily festooned. Dark blue or red may be the prevailing color of the room. If you select red, have the table and chairs black.—Ladies' Home Journal

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