

Do You Think of Building

I manufacture every description of . . . Building Materials,

and will furnish prices and estimates. Give Me a Trial Order.

A. A. MABEE, 212 and 214 Main St., ST. JOHN, N. B.

A. KINSELLA,

FREESTONE, GRANITE AND MARBLE WORKS,

No. 112 MILL STREET,

Next to I. C. R. Station, St. John, N. B.

Monuments, Tablets and Gravestones, Baptismal Fonts, Mantle Pieces and Plumber's Slabs.

Orders from the country promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed.

E. C. LOCKETT, Agent, Gagetown, N.

CUT THIS OUT

And return it to us with a year's subscription to The Queens County Gazette.

The Queens County Gazette, Gagetown, N. B.

Enclosed find \$1.00 for which send me for one year The Queens County Gazette.

Name

Post Office address

ADDRESS,

JAS. A. STEWART, Gagetown, N. B.

NOTICE!

The undermentioned Non Resident Ratepayers of the Parish of Gagetown, County of Queens, Province of New Brunswick, are hereby notified to pay the amount of Rates and Taxes set opposite their names, together with the cost of advertising, 55 cents each, to the undermentioned Collector of Rates and Taxes within two months from the date hereof, otherwise proceedings will be taken to recover the same.

Gagetown, Queens Co., N. B., March 21st, 1898.

T. H. GILBERT, Collecting J. P.

NON RESIDENT DEFAULTERS' LIST, PARISH OF GAGETOWN, QUEENS CO.

Table with columns for NAME, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897. Rows list various names and amounts.

R. DEB. SCOTT.

C. F. SCOTT.

SCOTT BROTHERS,

Steam Saw Mill and Carriage Factory.

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

Carriages and Sleighs of every description.

Repairing and Painting in all its branches.

General Blacksmithing done in connection.

LAND ROLLERS A SPECIALTY.

MAIN STREET, GAGETOWN, N. B.

THAT JOB OF

PRINTING

You may need soon can be neatly and promptly executed at the office

QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE.

Good Type, Plenty of It, and Skilled Workmen handle It!

Poetry.

CHEER UP PATRIOTS.

Cheer up patriots! see the war cloud Overspreads the sky, Courage! aid is surely coming, Uncle Sam is nigh.

CHORUS:-

Long the strife has been, and bloody, Long ye're starved and bled, On your foe now Freedom's champion Comes to put a head.

Long you're grief and woe, he's pitied, Now has come his chance, To uphold the cause of Freedom, With the sword and lance.

Long the Don has jeered at Justice, Long he's been your bane, But to you he gave deliverance When he wrecked the "Maine."

Old John Bull does smile approval, Saying, "go in Sam I this little scrap will umpire I'll their eyes, too, d--mn.

Servile louts may censure Sammy, And hurrah for Spain, But their curses, prayers, and wishes, All will be in vain.

'Tis not long till Butcher Blanco "Blanked" will surely be, And the flag of Independence Waves o'er Cuba free.

CHORUS:-

So hold out a little longer, Soon will fall the blow That avenges well your Wallace, Gallant Maceo.

JOHN DUNHAM.

THE LOSS OF THE ALVIN.

(Composed by George Durost.)

'Twas on a Sunday afternoon, The haze obscured the sky, And the dark clouds rolling quickly up Warned all the storm was nigh, The village people hurrying home From service on that day, Did chance to see A gallant ship far out upon the sea. Meanwhile the storm had closer drawn, And rushing o'er the deep, Tore up the bosom of the main In a tempestuous sweep, Then onward like a monster, Set free from bond and chain, All living beings upon that ship Would suffer it was plain.

Oh! see her reel before it As if she would go over, And from her masts the canvas In shreds are quickly torn, And see the billows rising As if they'd draw her down Beneath their angry surface, But still she plunges on.

The sailors to the rigging Are clinging in despair, They know their time is coming As onward through the gloom Their ship is driving toward the reef And flying toward their doom. Oft the signal guns are fired But little hope have they.

That aid will ever reach them Out on the stormy way, Yet onward with each billow They're quickly swept all off Toward the reef, the cruel reef. Where other ships went down, Oh! see she has struck on a hidden rock, Her masts gone by the bar.

Oh! hear the cry of the sailors As they sink and rise no more Where the waves recede, her hull is seen, But a short way from the shore Then the next she is gone, and ne'er is seen no more, The storm had passed and the ocean placid lay But the beach is strewn, with the wreck, age and dead Of the ill-fated German bark.

THE APPLE BLOSSOM.

The apple tree is dressed in bloom, Its blossoms they are gay, But so is youth, but soon the tomb Will hide it all away. The apple blossom's life is short, Not long with us they stay, But soon from off the tree they drop, And quickly do decay.

So life is short for every one, Who on this earth doth dwell The fair of form in youth may be, Death soon will rob it of its bloom Then down into the dark cold tomb Where the hungry worms will soon devour It must be laid away.

Now you who chance those lines to read, Remember what I say The young you are You know not when you must be called away;

It may be when you are at work Or when you are at play, This on your mind I would impress For death will surely come to all of us We know not when the angel from on high Will strike us with his flaming sword Are you prepared to die?

Modiste--"What style of sleeve would you prefer, Miss De Fashion?" "What is the correct thing this season--too tight or too loose?"

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Contributed by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Hampstead, N. B.

Rise up ye Women that are at Ease

W. C. T. U.

In Toronto recently this question was discussed by Chaplain Searles and Chancellor Sims--from different standpoints, but each brought out this fact, that there are more victims of the drink traffic who never drink than of the actual drinkers themselves.

Dr. Searles gave some very pathetic incidents in his own personal experience. His father was a drinking man, and probably the most vivid remembrance of his life was, that at the early age of ten years he saw all that was in their humble home under seizure for debt, in consequence of that fact, and his hard-working and God-fearing mother sitting down with her elbows on the table crying as though her heart would break at the immediate prospect of their home being thus broken up and the family being driven out into the world. His little effects of clothing were tied up in a small cotton handkerchief, and he was then compelled to walk out and face the world, to enter into the battle of life as best he could, under such terribly disadvantageous circumstances, and for such terribly unjust reasons. From a distant hill he looked back on that broken-up home, and on that broken-hearted mother, and with such feelings in regard to the drink traffic and those engaged in that dreadful business as have made him an earnest Prohibitionist ever since. For one victim of the drink traffic in that family who did drink there were several whose cup of earthly bitterness was also great who never drank!

Dr. Sims referred to the important fact of the very able paper of Dr. Crothers recently, who states that, after years of study of the great question of Inebriety, he is convinced that eighty per cent of all that unfortunate class now owe their misfortune to heredity, and the most prolific cause of all this is the moderate drinking habits of the fathers. From this cause thousands and tens of thousands constantly go out in life with unbalanced mental and physical organizations, and are thus handicapped in all their life-long battles, and so become an easy prey to the allurements of drink, and narcotics, and disease, and a score of evils that too often cause them to be wrecks, and burdens on society.

It is just in this way that many of our jails are being supplied with criminals, our hospitals with patients, our reformatories with inmates, and our asylums with victims--a veritable millstone of burden on the necks of all the taxpayers--and who but for these indirect curses of the drink traffic would never have found their way there at all. Surely this large class are far more to be pitied than blamed in their misfortune. A share of all that blame, too, must rest on those who are consenting parties to the continued legal existence of a traffic well-known to be productive of just such results.

How can the innocent be properly protected against the crimes of the guilty by laws that continue to sanction and protect a tree that bears such fruits? Of what practical value are governments and laws unless they afford just such protection?

A report has been recently published of the Medical Superintendent of the Inmate Asylum at Marseilles, France, in which he points out that in consequence of the increase of the drinking habits of that locality, the present asylum accommodation must needs be increased, and also the significant fact that from the same cause hundreds of the school children there to-day are not capable of being educated. He raises the alarm that unless some change comes many of the rising generation will be of the low intellectual level of so many well known idiotic children of the inhabitants of the Alps.

Dr. Workman, late of the Toronto Inmate Asylum, said: "We have here more inmates the offspring of drinkers than we have of the drinkers themselves. You may make use of the fact as you like." He also related, at the same time, a painful incident of a man and his wife, both being brought to that institution. "I suppose," he said, "you would class them both victims of the drink traffic, though she never drank at all. Her reason gave way under the burden of anxiety, disgrace, abuse and poverty, brought on by his drinking, and, I think, hers is the more hopeless case of the two."

The Prohibition movement is a necessity for the protection of the tens of thousands of innocent victims, against the thousands of drinkers. Can they possibly be protected in any other way? Many other ways have been tried, and they have failed, as our present state of things surely demonstrates.

"The fathers have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge," applies as truly to the result of the drink traffic to-day as it did to the proverb of the land of Israel referred to by the prophet Ezekiel. The iniquities of the fathers are being visited on the children to the third and fourth generation. Many of these fathers of such children were not drunkards at all, but moderate drinkers. Many of them have not even im-

poorished their homes, or ill-treated their families. Many of them, probably, never once imagined that their convivial habits would prove such a terrible legacy to their posterity. One of the worst young inebriates that I have known was the son of a much respected and wealthy father, a model citizen in the estimation of the community, and yet it seemed well enough understood that the poor fellow's downfall was the result of heredity, extending over two generations back of moderate drinking.

Drunkenness is not the only evil of drinking by any means. The foregoing facts have been mentioned in vain if they have not conveyed that idea. Our license laws might, possibly, be so framed and so rigidly enforced that actual drunkenness might be stamped out--a bare possibility but not probable--but even then such terrible evils as have just been referred to, the cry of which surely goes up to heaven, would not be averted. Moderate drinking, as well as drunkenness, has its victims, direct and indirect.--Christian Guardian.

Good Milk.

To make good butter one must have good milk, and this comes only from healthy cows, fed on good, sweet pasture or on good, sweet grain and other forage, and which have pure water to drink and pure air to breathe. Certain obnoxious weeds--leeks, wild onions, rag-weed, and others--give the milk and the butter made from it a decidedly bad flavor; so also does damaged, rotten silage, mouldy corn fodder or hay, and musty damaged grain. Impure water has its effect, both on the health of the animal and on the quality of the milk. In many pastures are seen small pools in which the cows stand during the heat of the day to rid themselves of flies. The water in these becomes filthy and is kept stirred up by the movements of the cattle, and where, as is often the case, it is the only water obtainable, the cows are compelled to drink it. This can usually be avoided by fencing the pond and keeping the cattle out. If this water is needed for the cattle it can be drawn out by a pipe laid on the lower side into a trough from which the cows can drink.

In a close, crowded, ill ventilated stable, where there is too little air space for each animal, the air becomes foul from the exhalations, and this affects the milk as well as the health of the animals. The remedy in this case is to provide more room for the stock and better ventilation.

The stable should be kept as clean as possible and the cows well bedded and clean. The utmost cleanliness should be observed in milking. All dirt should be brushed from the cow before beginning to milk, and it is best to dampen the udder and flank of the cow, so as to prevent the dust and dirt from falling into the milk. The milk should be strained immediately after milking and not allowed to stand in the cow stable any longer than is absolutely necessary.

Horse Radish for Home Use.

All horse radish should be got out of the ground as soon as the frost is fairly out. That for home use is best preserved by grating finely while fresh, putting the pulp in bottles with wide mouths, and corking closely to keep out air. It is very difficult to keep the roots in warm weather. Those kept dry will become dry and worthless. Those put in sand with any moisture will start to growing, and the root will become acrid and of poor flavor.

Calisthenics for Girls.

Every girl ought to be able to let her elbows meet at the back, though few can manage it. No girl should use dumbbells without skilled advice as to the weight they should be. Much harm has been done by overworking the muscles in calisthenic exercises, and there are so called professors of the art who do more harm than good. Sometimes the weight of the heads is too great, and very often the exertion is much too arduous.

Delicate girls suffer very much from overdoing even ordinary exercise, and the very strongest must feel their strength impaired by the lavish use of any one set of muscles. The best time for practicing these exercises is immediately after the morning bath. They improve the circulation and prevent the tendency in stooping, which almost every one experiences who never does any gymnastic work, brace the muscles, benefit the figure and impart the graceful, erect carriage which should distinguish every athletic and sport-loving English woman. Only ten minutes should be the limit.

Robertson's Point.

The weather is quite pleasant now. Charles Robertson has finished hauling his cordwood.

F. Taylor is doing quite a business making honey and sugar this spring. Charles Gunter injured his back while canting a sill for his new house and was laid up for a week, but he is out around again. He has the house nearly completed. It is four story the largest in the neighborhood.

Edward Durost has twenty cords of steamboat wood on the bank that he cut and hauled this winter.

Miss Pearl White of this place is teaching school at Union Settlement. The ice is about out of the foot of the lake.

The wild geese are scarce this spring.

John G. Adams. UNDERTAKER

Funeral Director.

Caskets, in Brocade, Velvet, Broad cloth (Black or White), Rosewood, Walnut, Oak, French Burl and Stained Wood, Highly finished in different Styles and Qualities, All Sizes, Prices Reasonable.

Polished Woods and Cloth Covered Coffins, Robes, Shrouds, and MOUNTINGS.

A FIRST CLASS HEARSE

in connection, with White or Black Mountings for Young or Old. Orders from the Country carefully attended to at Moderate Prices.

Opp. Queen Hotel, Fredericton

Telephone No. 26.

We Carry a Large Assortment of PICTURE MOULDINGS.

J. R. Vanwart, GROCER.

General Dealer in Flour, Oats, Feed,

Country Produce, Fruits,

Meats, &c.

BRIDGE ST., INDIANTOWN.

ST. JOHN, N. B.



YOU CAN BUY

Pianos, Organs,

or anything else in Musical Instruments, Fine Gold and Silver Watches, Jewelry or Silverware, at

TERMS TO SUIT YOU,

FROM

K. BEZANSO

258, 260 and 262 Main

MONCTON, -



ESTABLISHED 1791.

A. CHIPMAN SMITH, STRUAN ROBERTSON

A. Chipman Smith & Co.,

Druggists and Apothecaries,

No. 1 City Market Building, Charlotte St.,

Saint John, N. B.

KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Fine Drugs and Chemicals, Materia

Medica, Druggists' Sundries,

Dye Stuffs, Perfumery,

Soaps, Brushes, Combs, Etc., Etc.

St. John Weekly Sun.

4,002 Columns a Year.

16 Pages Every Week.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

Reliable market reports. Full shipping news. 1 image's sermons. 2 tries by eminent Authors. turf, the field and the farm. Despatches and correspondents From all parts of the world. SEND FOR A SAMPLE COPY--FREE. \$1.00 from a new subscriber now will pay for the Weekly Sun till 31st December, 1898.

Call and see our Type-setting Machines in operation. The greatest invention of the age.

St. John Daily Sun

IS A NEWSPAPER

First, Last and all the Time.

2 CENTS PER COPY FIVE DOLLARS PER YEAR

In quantity, variety and reliability of its despatches and correspondence, it has no rival.

Using Mergenthaler Type-casting Machines THE SUN is printed from new type every morning. Established in 1878, it has increased circulation and popularity each year. Advertising rates furnished on application.

ADDRESS: SUN PUBLISHING COMPANY, Ltd. St. John, N. B.