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AN ADVISABLE APPOINTMENT.

There is a vacancy in the Senate for this province caused by the death of Mr. Thos. Temple, and the question is, who will be his successor. Of course, there are to be found many persons who would be willing to fill the vacant seat.

Among the most worthy of the adherents of the present government may be mentioned Mr. Chas. Burpee, ex M. P. of Sheffield. He was a successful candidate for the county of Sunbury in 1867, and continued a member of the house, until his defeat in 1887. During that long period of service he was a consistent and active Liberal, and since then, he has been the leading worker in the Liberal cause in Sunbury and Queens. His appointment to the Senate would be welcomed by his own party and by fair men of his opponents. Men of his calibre are wanted in the Senate. Should the government offer him the vacant seat, it will be a graceful recognition of his valuable services in the past. In the upper chamber he may be expected to vote honestly and act fairly.

The Fredericton Herald Wednesday says:—"Mr. Charles, Burpee, ex-M. P. of Sunbury, was in the city today on business with the Board of Works office. Mr. Burpee, who is a member of the old guard of New Brunswick Liberals, is enjoying the best of health, and is apparently as energetic as ever. He was the standard bearer of the Sunbury Liberals for a great many years, and led them to victory on that one occasion. Although somewhat advanced in years, "the Sunbury warhorse" has plenty of fight left in him yet, and would no doubt be ready to don his armour and take the field again, should his country and party demand his services."

An experienced traveller says that most of the fatigue of a long journey is quite unnecessary and comes from an unconscious effort to carry the train instead of letting the train carry us. That is, that is resisting the motion instead of relaxing and yielding to it. He advises always resting the feet on the rail in front, if such is provided, as to keep the feet off lessens the vibration that is conveyed to the body and prevents just that much strain. A bag will do as well for a footstool if nothing else is to be had. The body while sitting in a car should be as completely relaxed as possible. Until one attempts this relaxation in a railway car it is not discovered how tense is the effect to resist the motion—all of which is in direct accordance with modern physical culture, which has discovered that true repose goes further than mere non-action.

Laxa-Liver Pills cure biliousness, sick headache, constipation, dyspepsia, sour stomach, water brash, sallow complexion, etc. They do not gripe, weaken or sicken. Small and easy to take.

Skiff Lake.

Have you ever been there? If so words are ineffectual in your case, if not you may be able to get some idea of one of N. B.'s summer resorts by a perusal of the following. Starting from Canterbury Station, York Co., you have a 5 mile drive over a road which is evidently being macadamized. But the work must have been delayed, the crushing engine out of repair, or perhaps the road authorities are waiting for the slower but nevertheless sure process of having the rocks crumbled by exposure to the action of air, water, frost and rubber tires!

The country through which you pass is one of almost Utopian beauty, pleasant farm-houses surrounded with fields of golden grain waving in the autumn breeze; orchards in which the small boy again plucks the forbidden fruit; green fields, hill and dale, forest and meadow blended together forming a scene of indescribable beauty.

The lake is about five miles long and about a mile wide, hence the oarsman will find a pool worthy of his attention. It is surrounded by hills covered with forests which especially when the leaves are turning are extremely beautiful. It is studded with very pretty little islands which remind one of the "mansions of good men after death." If however, the beauty of the island represents the "degrees of virtue in which each excelled" we must expect to find the lives of those who occupy "The Club" island very exemplary indeed as that is the most beautiful of all.

As the lake is teeming with fish, he who enjoys that sport will have the opportunity to satisfy himself abundantly. He who enjoys hunting will think himself transported by some kind genius to the happy hunting ground of the red skins. And he who enjoys sailing—well! he will not have found the "haven of rest" because there is generally a good breeze blowing—in the opposite direction. What can be more pleasurable more fascinating, more conducive to solemn thought than a sail on the lake in the yellow light of the harvest moon? Suppose yourself comfortably seated in a boat at eleven at night, the golden rays of the full moon glistening on the surface of the water which is scarcely ruffled by a ripple, the countless stars twinkling overhead tempting the bashful maiden to "count nine for nine nights," the deep shadow of forest and forecloud cast in the water beneath form a scene of almost ideal beauty. But, young man beware! don't go sailing under such trying circumstances with the bashful maiden who "counted the stars" unless you keep her perseveringly at the oars and, of course, amuse yourself by trying to figure out how much faster you should go if you should take the oars talking much about the latter operation but always carefully evading doing so. If you don't follow the above hint the result will be—!—! All who visit Skiff Lake unanimously declare that it is "all right." New Brunswick has the natural scenery which has the power to "stir the soul with thoughts profound." New Brunswick is also getting the tourist—but we want more. Then let them know where we live.

RANGER.

Mr. Wm. Ferry Blenheim, Ont. says: "I can recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup as the very best medicine for coughs, colds, sore throat and weak lungs."

The Aroostook Tragedy.

The Oakes murder case will be considered by the Grand Jury in Houlton on Sept. 19th. It is stated that the father, Abner Oakes, who shot his son to death has a States Prison record.

Special Excursions to the St. John Exhibition.

On Wednesday Sept. 13th, there will be a special rate from the Tobique Valley. Plaster Rock \$3.00, Red Rapids \$2.95, Tobique Narrows \$2.70 Good to return till Sept. 18th.

On Thursday Sept. 14th, there will be a special rate from Edmundston to Grand Falls inclusive, of \$3.00 Aroostook Jct. \$2.75, Andover to Kilburn, \$2.50, Bath, \$2.30, Bristol, \$2.25, Florenceville, \$2.20, Hartland, \$2.10 and Newburg Jct., \$2.00 all good to return till 18th September.

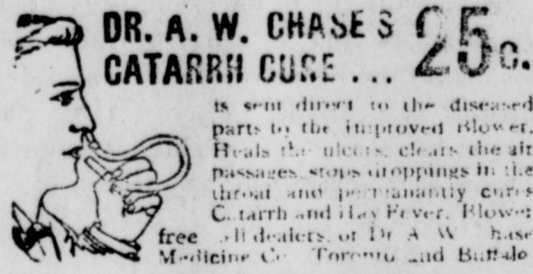
A special train will leave Aroostook Junction at 7 a. m. Sept. 13th arriving in St. John about 2 p. m.

On Friday Sept. 15th, a special train will leave Woodstock at 7.45 a. m. and tickets will be issued therefor, Woodstock, Debec, Benton and Carterbury \$2.00 McAdam Junction and Harvey \$1.50, Tracy \$1.20 good to return till Sept. 18th.

On Monday, Sept. 18th, tickets will be issued from Presque Isle, Caribou and Fort Fairfield at \$3.00, good to return up till Sept. 21st., going by regular trains.

On Tuesday Sept. 19th., tickets will be issued from Houlton for \$2.00 by regular and special trains good to return till Sept. 21st.

Returns will in all cases be made on regular trains. These terms give rates to St. John which no one can afford to overlook and allow liberal time at the Exhibition.



DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARRH CURE

First official (under the new Verminous Act) Tough job, ain't it, Jack? How are you getting on? Second official (with scrubbing brush and scraper)—Well he is a bit thick; but we've nearly got down to his shirt.

IMMEDIATE RELIEF.

Mr. H. M. Kemp, 209 Brunswick Ave., Toronto, writes: "I have used Milburn's Rheumatic Pills for Rheumatism. I was so bad that I had to be assisted in getting out of bed. The pills gave immediate relief, as after using one box the pain left and has not returned since."

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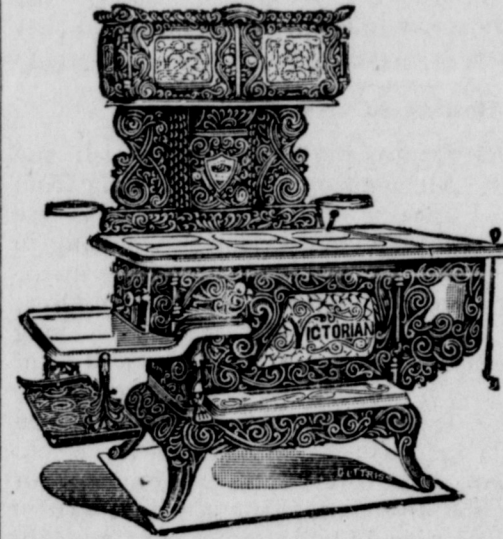
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COX & GIBSON, WOODSTOCK, N. B.
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NOTICE.

I have had so many sales for Spectacles in the month of August that I have decided to sell for half price during the month of September also.

Solid Gold Riding Bows, with Laurance's Finest Lenses Fitted to the Eye for \$3.50.

Gold Filled Riding Bows, warranted to wear 10 years, with Finest Glasses, \$2.50, Etc.

I have been making an optical study the past year and will test the eyes free. Perfect fit guaranteed. I will also sell for the month of September 8-Day Clocks, Solid Walnut, warranted good timers, for \$3.50.

C. E. VAIL,
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SEPTEMBER 27, 28 AND 29.

\$1700.00 IN PRIZES.

The Finest Show Ever Conducted In This County.

Besides the Exhibition Proper, there will be Races, Sports and other Amusements in connection. New Buildings Being Erected and Grounds Fixed Up.

Any resident of Carleton, York, Victoria or Madawaska County may compete, on the payment of \$1.00 to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Carleton Co. Agricultural Society, C. R. Carman. Special rates for freight will be secured over the railway.

Entries Close September 20.

Admission 25 cents. Children under 12 years 10 cents.

C. L. SMITH, Chairman to Committee.

JAMES WATTS, Secretary.