

## Weak and Helpless.

THE CONDITION OF MRS. WM. WESCOTT,  
OF SEAFORTH.Suffered From Headache and Dizziness—  
Could Not Stand the Least Exertion.

From the Sun, Seaforth, Ont.

Mrs. Wm. Westcott is well known to nearly all the residents of Seaforth. It is also well known to her neighbors and friends that she passed through a trying illness, but is now happily, in robust health. To the editor of the Sun, Mrs. Westcott recently gave the particulars of her case for publication, merely in the hope that her experience might be of some benefit to some other sufferer. She said:—"For some time past my health was in a bad state, my whole system being badly run down. I was troubled with headache, much dizziness, my appetite was poor and I could not stand the least exertion. I consulted different physicians, but their treatment did not seem to benefit me, and I gradually became so bad that I was unable to attend to my household duties. I then tried several advertised medicines, but without any beneficial results, and I began to despair of getting better. One of my neighbors strongly advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and somewhat reluctantly I consented to do so. After I had taken the second box I began to note a great improvement in my condition, and by the time I had used five boxes, I was fully restored to my former good health, much to the surprise of my neighbors and relations. I do not suffer the least now from those headaches and dizzy spells; my appetite is good and I can attend to my household duties with the greatest ease. In fact I feel like a different woman, and all this I can say is due to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. All who suffer from a rundown constitution should give these pills a trial."

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## SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

## Everything Settled and Fighting Ended.

LONDON, May 24.—The developments in the South African peace situation to-day bear out all the details cabled to the Associated Press. A member of the government said to-day: "You are perfectly correct in insisting that everything is practically settled, and that the war is at an end. It may be, however, that several weeks will elapse before a definite announcement can be made. We want to give the Boer leaders every chance in their conferences with their followers, and that takes time."

## A Horse Story.

In his article on "Tips and Commissions," in the June Lippincott, John Gilmer Speed says: "Our skirts are not entirely clean on this side of the Atlantic, though, to be sure, it is not yet by any means common for gentlemen or ladies to take commissions from their tradesmen on account of services rendered, as to whether it will be or not, I am not so sure. That servants expect and exact commissions is absolutely certain, however. A while ago I sold a horse to a friend. He took a fancy to the horse and finally bought him for four hundred dollars. The next day he came to me with a check for four hundred and twenty-five dollars. 'When you send that horse around,' he said 'please give that extra twenty-five dollars to my coachman. I don't want him to lame that horse or injure him in any way.' 'Gracious!' I asked, 'you seem to be in mortal fear of your coachman?' 'Yes, I suppose I am. They are all alike, however. Commissions on purchases are the perquisites of the stablemen, and they have no use for a horse about which they have not had a commission. I have had some nasty experiences, and as this horse is for my own riding, I don't want any prejudices in the stable against him.'"

## Buller's Hellogram.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The Tribune's London correspondent says the second volume of the Times's history of the war in South Africa, published to-day, is in many ways a sensational work, sensational in that it makes disclosures which up to now have been scrupulously concealed from the public by the press censorship and the studied vagueness of dispatches. The extract of General Buller's famous hellogram is stated to be as follows: "As it appears certain that I cannot relieve Lady Smith for another month, and even then only by means of protracted siege operations, you will burn your ciphers, destroy your guns, fire your ammunition, and make the best terms possible with the general of the besieging armies, after giving me time to fortify myself on the Tugela." This message was at first taken by General Waite for a Boer forgery.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## RIVER DE CHUTE.

There was a pie sale and entertainment in the schoolhouse, Friday evening, May 23rd, when the sum of five dollars and fifteen cents was raised to get new blinds for the house. The following programme was given by the children:—Recitation, Ye Mariners of England; Archie Bishop; Time Enough, A. Flanagan; Ted's Letter, Wilfred Bishop; Why Hattie Didn't Laugh, Hattie Flanagan; Papa's Letter, Edna Brown; Nursery Memories, Laurie Bishop; Dialogue, The Rehearsal, by Edna Brown, Olla Graham, Lila Flanagan, Tressia Burns, George Bishop, Perry Miller, Walter Graham; Recitation, What to Drink, Raymond Bishop; An Obliging Little Sister, Tressia Burns; After the Battle, George Bishop; What is Public Warship, Lila Flanagan; O'Grady's Goat, Edna Brown; Little Orphan Annie, Florence Bishop; The Little Canadian, Eugene Phillips; Patriotic Exercise by Geo. Bishop, Lila Flanagan, Archie Bishop, Edna Brown, Tressia Burns, Walter Graham, Percy Miller.

At the close of the programme the children presented their teacher, Miss A. Maude Hartley, with a token of their regard, accompanied by the following address, which was read by Mr. Joseph Tweedie, by the request of the children:—

Dear Teacher,—I have been requested by the children of this school to offer you a slight token of our affection and regard. What we offer you is a poor symbol of our feelings, but we know you will receive it kindly, as a simple indication of the attachment which each one of us cherishes for you in our hearts. You have made our lessons very pleasant to us. May you always be as happy as you have endeavoured to make us, and may we be as faithful in our duties to others as you have been in your duties to us. Children of River de Chute School.

## MIDDLE SOUTHAMPTON.

The Lecture and Basket Social, held by the Ladies of the Free Baptist church in aid of the parsonage fund in the Orange hall was a grand success. Rev. F. A. Currier, M. A., of Woodstock, spoke on temperance. Music was furnished by the choir. The receipts of the evening were thirty dollars.

Rev. F. A. Currier and J. J. Barnes with G. A. Grant spent two days last week at Fox Lake fishing.

A large number of people from this place took advantage of the excursion to Fredericton on Friday.

Miss Ella Miller is very sick with congestion and Dr. Rankin is in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. MacFarlain and Mr. Dumphrey, of Fredericton, are visiting Mrs. F. R. Brooks.

Miss May Morrison, Jessie and Kenneth Morrison spent Sunday here guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tabor.

Alfred Schriver has gone to Bridgewater Centre to visit his brother, Dr. A. Schriver. The Mission Band of the Free Baptist church will give an entertainment on Sunday afternoon. They will be assisted by Rev. J. N. Barnes, home missionary.

## DEBEC.

Dr. T. W. Griffin and bride returned from their wedding trip last Thursday after visiting Boston, New York, Philadelphia and other points of interest.

The play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" visited our village last Thursday evening. It was well attended.

Burns Hemphill has gone on a visit to Lowell, Mass.

Chas. F. Stebbings has returned home from Mt. Allison College, Sackville, where he has just completed his second year's course.

A missionary concert was held in the Presbyterian church at McKenzie Corner last Friday evening. The recitations and exercises given by the children were much appreciated and enjoyed by all. The proceeds were in aid of the Missionary work.

Two or three of the Woodstock boys came down here on a fishing trip on Victoria Day. Dr. Griffin has been having extensive improvements made to his dwelling house and grounds.

Mr. McKelvie, agent for the British and Foreign Bible Society, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church in the morning, and that of the Presbyterian church in the evening at McKenzie Corner on Sunday last. He will also hold a Bible Society meeting here in the Foresters Hall next Tuesday evening.

## BRIGHT BABIES.

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A Kansas editor wrote this obituary notice: "He was born May 3, 1975, and therefore escaped this earth in time to celebrate his twenty-seventh birthday in the house of his eternal abode beyond the arching skies, leaving terrestrial land on Friday, March 21, 1902, at 9.30 p. m., central time."

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## PERSONAL.

R. F. Harrison, Montreal, was at the Aberdeen last week.

Miss Perley, of Andover, is the guest of Mrs. J. T. Garden.

S. E. Crawford, St. John, was at the Aberdeen Wednesday.

Williamson Fisher and Dr. Kilburn spent the 24th at Skiff Lake.

J. H. Scribner, St. John, was a guest at the Aberdeen over Sunday.

Miss Katie Bruce, of Houlton, is the guest of her grandfather, Hugh Hay.

Percy J. Trafton of the firm of Noble & Trafton, is ill and confined to his house.

Douglas Baird, Post Master at Perth, was in Woodstock last week on business.

Miss A. Marian Rankin returned on Saturday from a visit to St. John and Truro.

D. Perry Fitzgerald and Geo. Gilmore, Glassville, were at the Aberdeen Wednesday.

Mrs. Cupples, of the Teaching Staff at the college building, is so ill as to be confined to her bed.

Dr. T. W. and Mrs. Griffin, of Debec, have returned from their wedding trip to the United States.

R. V. Dimock, Manager of the Royal Bank, and J. T. Garden were at Riley Brook on a fishing trip last week.

Harry G. Noble received the news on Sunday that his brother's wife, Mrs. J. W. Noble, of Boston, was dead.

Mrs. E. A. Robertson, of Belfast, Me., and Mrs. A. W. Phillips, of Bristol, are guests of Mrs. H. G. Noble.

Archie Scott, of Glassville, was in Woodstock on Thursday. He drove the thirty-two miles in three hours easily.

Frank Dickinson, son of J. Fred Dickinson, returned from Boston last week to spend the summer with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wiggins, Florenceville, spent Sunday with Mr. Wiggins' daughter, Mrs. McBride, at Jackson Falls.

Miss Hester Hume returned on Monday from Florenceville, where she had been visiting her brother, who is very ill with heart trouble.

A. D. Holyoke spent Sunday in St. John. He returned on Monday accompanied by Mrs. Holyoke who had been visiting friends there.

## Horse Sale at Fredericton.

The sale of the government importation of horses took place at Fredericton on Friday afternoon last, was largely attended and was regarded as a success. The sale yielded \$6250, and the horses had already earned \$300 for service, making a total of \$6550 or about 75% of their whole cost.

Among those who attended the sale were Robert Brown, Woodstock; J. Fletcher Tweeddale, Arthurette; Norman Thompson, Upper Kent; J. Jensen, New Denmark; W. F. Glidden, Woodstock; C. L. Smith, Woodstock, N. B.; W. L. McCain, Florenceville; Frank Bradley, Hartland; James Gallagher, Woodstock; Chas. H. Perkins, Woodstock; Thos. Lawson, M. P. P., Andover; Col. David Currie, Tobique River and James and Andrew McAskill, Riley Brook, and H. H. McCain, M. P. P., Florenceville.

James Gallagher, of Woodstock, bought for the sum of \$695, Lavater, a French coach horse. Lavater was foaled 21st May, 1894. Bred by J. S. Sanborn, of Lewiston Junction, (Me.) Sixteen hands, weighs 1,245 pounds. Sire Lothaire. Imported from France. Dam, Clementine, by Follet. This horse is proud in action, possessing unbounded courage, great road powers, exceptional style and a beautiful conformation. He not only bears evidence of royal breeding, but of power to reproduce just the type of road horses for which there is to-day so great a demand.

J. Fletcher Tweeddale, of Arthurette, purchased Copyright for \$705, for the agricultural societies of Arthurette, Grand Falls, New Denmark and Drummond. Copyright was foaled 6th May, 1898. Brown, face and hind legs white, stands 16 hands high, weighs 1,800 pounds. Bred by Andrew Mitchell, of Barcheskie, Kirkcudbright, Scotland, and was imported in 1900 by Robert Neas, of Howick (Que.). Sire, Baron's Pride; dam Trilby.

## Lord Pauncefote Dead.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador, died at 5.30 o'clock this morning. About two o'clock he suddenly developed a very weakened heart condition and a consultation of his physicians was called. They were unable to rally him and he died peacefully, not having regained consciousness from the sleep he fell into during the night.

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