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MEN'S GLOVES.

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The purpose for which you want the Gloves-- Dress, Street, Driving, Work, etc. We've Gloves for all uses. B. of L. E. Gauntlet Gloves, Lined and Unlined.

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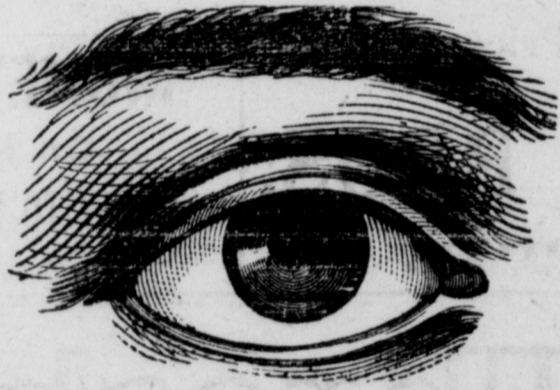
JOHN McLAUCHLAN,

The Leading Clothier, Hatter and Furnisher.

A Druggist's Welcome.

When you come again to visit our Fair, and to look with pride over the products of our noble county, you will naturally look about for familiar places and faces, and the one place that will attract your attention NOW as in the past is the **Big Drug Store** with its **Big Soda Fountain** and generous supply of **Pure Drugs and Chemicals**, opposite the Carlisle Hotel. The proprietor will be there to meet and welcome you. As you already know, his name is

I. EDWARD SHEASGREEN.



THINK OF US

When you wish to buy Spectacles and Eye Glasses. We will test your eyes free of charge and fit you with the latest and best styles of frames. Our lenses are first quality, and our prices are as low as such goods can be sold for. We are always glad to help failing eyesight, so give us a call when needing glasses.

Blue Front Jewellery Store.

H. V. DALLING, Prop.

INCREASING BY MILLIONS.

The record of The Manufacturers' Life places it amongst the BEST life companies in Canada.

The applications received for new insurances in each of the last four years amount to the following sums:

1900.	\$4,894,874
1901.	5,502,069
1902.	6,542,569
1903.	7,764,542

Such increases prove once more that "Nothing succeeds like Success." The Company has still good openings for energetic men. Apply to

The E. R. MACHUM, CO. Ltd.

T. A. LINDSAY, Mgrs. Maritime Provinces, St. John, N. B.
Inspector, Woodstock, N. B.

THE NEW ARMORY.

Plans and Specifications are now Ready and the Government asks for Tenders.

The plans and specifications for the Armory are now in Mr. Carvell's office and tenders will be received for construction up to the 10th day of October.

The Century Ice Rink which the government bought some time ago for the purpose of remodeling into an Armory, will, according to the plans and specifications, not be recognisable when the contractors are through with it. The Chapel street end of the building will be removed to a distance of 30 feet and replaced by a brick structure 30x100 feet, three stories high, with stone basement and foundation. The entrance on this street will be raised to a point about four feet above the street level. The present wings will be removed and replaced by brick wings 12 feet wide. A brick addition 24x30 feet will be built in the south east corner for an artillery harness room. The rear end of the building will be devoted to an artillery gun shed 30x60 feet. The main drill hall will be 60x100 feet with a gallery at each end. The floor of the drill hall and of the gun and wagon rooms will have concrete and block floors.

On the second floor the Artillery will have the rooms at the rear. There will be a room for the commanding officer, an orderly room, an armory and a recreation room.

On the second floor in the front of the building there will be a room for the commanding officer of the Engineers, an Engineers orderly room, a lecture room and four rooms for the 67th Regiment, and lavatories.

The third story will contain the caretaker's apartments. Underneath the west half of the new front part will be the heating apparatus.

All the heavy traffic will enter the building through the rear.

The Salvation Army has offered to sell and the government has agreed to buy the lot of land in the rear on which the Army intended to erect a hall. This will give access to the Armory in the rear by Emerald and Charles streets.

According to the plans and specifications it looks as if the new Armory would be a convenient, comfortable, substantial and presentable building.

MACLACHLAN CONCERT.

Miss MacLachlan's Former Great Concert in Woodstock.--Newspaper Comment.

Those who have not had the opportunity already of hearing this wonderful singer may be interested to know what the Woodstock Press of October 15th, 1902, had to say in their issue following her entertainment.

"The long looked for appearance of Jessie MacLachlan, the Queen of Scottish Song, took place on Friday night. The opera house was crowded with a very silent and enthusiastic audience, held spellbound by the matchless singing of the great artists.

Robert Buchanan, husband of Miss MacLachlan, played the accompaniments in a manner that would be hard to excel, and in his piano solo "Recollections of Scotland," displayed marvellous control of the instrument.

Miss MacLachlan was of course the centre of attraction, and completely captivated her hearers before she had finished her first song. Her rendition of the dramatic song "Angus Macdonald," was a masterpiece and fairly carried away the audience in their enthusiasm. One of her choicest selections was "The Bonnie Banks O' Loch Lomond." She first recited the legend in a manner that left nothing to be desired. She was encored after each appearance and in response to one recall she gave the simple but ever popular song "Coming Through the Rye," with bewitching expression.

It was while singing "Rule Britannia," that the greatest enthusiasm was aroused. Her powerful voice rang through the house and thrilled the audience with the patriotic air as it had never done before.

Her beautiful clear soprano voice filled the hall without apparently the slightest effort, indeed the space was too small to give adequate opportunity for her to display her remarkable talent.

Don't forget the date. Next Monday night, October 3rd, in Graham's Opera House. Plan of seats now open at Graham's.

Dr. Edward Waldo Emerson of Concord is fond of telling of an old servant whose heart was exceedingly kind, and to whom the qualities of pity and compassion were developed nearly to perfection. He was once driving his master and Emerson through the country. As they approached a new house that the master was building, they saw an old woman sneaking away with a bundle of wood. "Jabez, Jabez," cried the master, "do you see that old woman taking my wood?" Jabez looked with pity at the old woman, then with scorn at his master. "No, sir," he said, stoutly, "I don't see her; and what's more, I didn't think that you would see her either."

A Popular Pastor.

Rev. J. D. Wetmore, who has been pastor of the Hartland-Coldstream group of churches for the past five years, has accepted a call to the Baptist church at Summerside, P. E. I., and expects to leave for his new field before the end of the present month. Since announcing his decision to accept the call, both he and Mrs. Wetmore have received many tangible proofs of the good-will of the people of the pastorate, and of general regret at their departure.

A few weeks ago a large number of the Wakefield congregation presented Mrs. Wetmore with a handsome silver water pitcher and a purse of money, as has already been noticed in the columns of THE DISPATCH. On September 13th over thirty members of the Rockland church and congregation called at the parsonage, and after spending a pleasant evening the following address was read by Rev. H. A. Bonnell, Free Baptist.

REV. J. D. AND MRS. WETMORE:—
Those of us who so informally intrude upon the quiet of your home this evening, do so for the purpose of giving expression to the pleasure we have realized during the years of your residence among us, and also to express our feelings of deep regret that you are so soon to sever your intimacy with us to establish your home in Prince Edward Island.

In the church where you, dear sir, have so long and profitably labored your voice will be silent, the musical portion of our services will be sadly deficient, having so long benefited by the musical talent of your entire family. Socially we shall miss you, your friendly greeting we shall no longer receive, something we shall feel has gone from our lives as well as from our village.

We bow in humble submission to the loss we shall sustain and pray that the change may prove of great blessing to you all and that the God who has so long sustained you will neither leave nor forsake you, but become more and more precious as your years glide on. Now we request that the presentation of the accompanying amount to Mrs. Wetmore by her lady friends and sisters in Christ will be regarded as but a very small token of our friendship and love, hoping and praying that when the separation occurs you will carry with you at least a lingering thought of your friends here until we meet again, if not here upon the other shore.

Accompanying the above address was a purse for Mrs. Wetmore containing a nice sum of money.

Mrs. Wetmore responded in appropriate terms, after which refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

On September 14th a reception was held for Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore at the residence of Mrs. McMullen, Hartland. About fifty were present and the following address was read:—

DEAR BROTHER AND SISTER WETMORE:—
It having come to our knowledge that you are soon to leave us we feel that we could not let the opportunity pass without making known to you our deepest regret. It has been our happy privilege to have been on intimate terms with you during the past five years and we all unite in bearing testimony to your earnest Christian lives, your devotedness to the church through your unfailing attendance, believing the object of your lives is for the uplifting of the fallen, the general betterment of humanity, fulfilling His divine commission "Preach my Word." The example you have lived with us has been an incentive to many and will doubtless bear fruit in many lives when you have passed and gone, this coupled with your untiring zeal and devotion for all that appertains to the advancement of good and the development of Christian character must be to you in after years a source of profound thankfulness.

On behalf of the Hartland Baptist church and congregation over which you have so faithfully labored during the past five years, please accept this gift, not for its intrinsic value, but as a small token of our great love and friendship, and we trust that in years to come you may look on it with pleasant recollections of the friends whose prayers and best wishes follow you and your family to your new field of labor.

Again in presenting you with this address we express a hope that you may both be long spared to enjoy each others society until the day comes, when in obedience to the call of your Master, you go forth to meet him amid the golden splendors of the palace of the king.

Accompanying this address was a silver scallop dish for Mrs. Wetmore and a purse of money for Mr. Wetmore who responded in feeling terms.

Evils of Early Rising.

A physician writing in the London Chronicle, says: "To be forced to get up early grinds the soul, curdles the blood, swells the spleen, destroys all good attention and disturbs all day the mental activities." This denunciation, it is said, applies only to rising at an unaccustomed hour, but it really applies also to rising at any unnatural hour.

The curious thing is that the injunction to get up early is always given to the young, who require more sleep than their elders. The old rise early not from a sense of duty, but because they cannot sleep.

There must be reason in all things, and those whose work begins at 7 or 8 in the morning must be up betimes. In this case the necessary sleep must be taken by beginning early, and it is a great mistake to spend in dancing and other social pleasures the time that ought to be given to rest. Nature is the best guide as to the amount of sleep required. It does not matter whether one rises at 6, 8 or 10 o'clock, so long as the mind and body are re-ted and refreshed.

On the edge of a small river in the county of Cavan, in Ireland, there is—or used to be—a stone with the following inscription cut upon it, no doubt intended for the information of strangers travelling that way: "N. B.—Where this stone is out of sight it is not safe to ford the river."—Ram's Horn.

THE CARLETON COUNTY EXHIBITION

Opened Yesterday with fine Weather.— Largest Number of Exhibits and best Quality yet.

The Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition is now in full swing. It was opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, though the formal opening did not take place till two o'clock in the afternoon when addresses were made by President Judson Briggs, Mayor Lindsay and the Hon. L. P. Farris.

It was a delightful morning and things about the fair grounds never looked better.

The number of exhibits exceeds that of any previous year. As early as seven o'clock Monday evening all the horse stalls were full and accommodation had to be sought outside.

The exhibits of pure bred stock, vegetables and fruit are all finer than anything ever seen at Woodstock before.

In the department of manufactured goods the accommodation early ran short and much of the machinery is holding an overflow meeting in the grounds outside.

The Carleton County Fair is an annual institution growing in size and importance with each year. It is more purely Agricultural and Industrial than any rural fair of its size and quality and variety in the Maritime Provinces. It is the duty of the management and of the citizens of the town to see that increased accommodation is afforded exhibitors. It should be a pleasure to the town to materially assist this annual enterprise. It is our duty and it certainly would be to our profit.

There will be a half holiday in the schools this afternoon to give the scholars an opportunity to take in the fair.

The races will be called at 2 o'clock this afternoon. This afternoon the 2-21 and 2-28 class will be trotted and tomorrow afternoon the 2-19 and 2-24.

Wedded at Grand View.

Grand View, Sept. 20.—One of Grand View's popular young ladies, Miss Mabel A. Patterson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Patterson, was united in marriage today to Richard L. Cronkrite, youngest son of the late A. B. Cronkrite of Southampton. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, at high noon, in the presence of one hundred and thirty-five invited guests, Rev. J. J. Barnes of the F. C. B. Church being the officiating clergyman. The veranda was prettily decorated for the occasion.

The bride who was charmingly gowned in white organdie and bridal veil with wreath, carried a bouquet of white asters. She was given away by her father. Little Mrs. Ingham, niece of the groom, was first girl and wore a dress of white. She carried a white basket of pink flowers.

After the ceremony and congratulations, A. B. Cronkrite and W. B. Cronkrite, ushered the guests to the dining-room, where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served. The tables were tastefully decorated in pink and white, and yellow and white. Messrs. Hedley Patterson, Chipman Grant, Baron Whitehead, Eunice Schriver, Cora Hillman, and Jennie P. Cronkrite wearing knots of the colors corresponding to the table decorations served the guests.

The esteem in which the bride was held was evidenced by the many and costly remembrances received. The groom's present to the bride was a silver butter stand.

The young couple left on the five o'clock train for a wedding tour to Bangor. On their return they will reside at Southampton.

Crying Babies.

Babies do not cry unless there is some good reason for it. The cry of a baby is nature's warning signal that there is something wrong. If the fretfulness and crying are not caused by exterior sources, it is conclusive evidence that the crying baby is ill. The only safe and judicious thing to do is to give Baby's Own Tablets without delay. For indigestion, colic, teething troubles, constipation, diarrhoea, worms and simple fevers, these marvellous little Tablets have given relief in thousands of cases and saved many precious lives. They are guaranteed to contain no harmful drug. Mrs. John Dobie, St. Andrew's East, Que., says: "Baby's Own Tablets are a splendid medicine for the cure of constipation and other ills that effect children. I consider it my duty to recommend them to all who have little ones." The Tablets are sold at 25 cents a box by all druggists, or may be had by mail by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Leave for Havana.

Mr. Mark Tapley, of the Royal Bank of Canada staff in St. John left this morning for New York. He and Mr. Fred Dever, formerly of the Royal Bank staff in this city, and lately accountant at Summerside, P. E. I., will leave on Saturday evening for Havana to which place the two young men have been transferred.—Cleaner, Sept. 22nd.

It's a wise barber who never illustrates his stories with cuts.

For Good Pickling Vinegar and Pickling Spices go to H. G. NOBLE'S.