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Brown mare 6 years old, good farm worker, about 1150 pounds, good brood mare. Sorrel horse, about 1200 pounds, good for any work. These make a steady farm team. One extra Clyde gelding colt 2 years old in April, sired by "Barrister's Champion" and just his colour and action, unbroken. Double siven 1 1/2 inch axle with high axle and hay rack, double sled with brake, box and easy seat, farm harness, rake harness, horse rake, potato digger, harrows, plow, fanning mill, pulper, warp and fork, grapples, horse hoe, pump, reaper, and many articles used on a farm. All to be cleared off at once as I am leaving the place. NELSON TURNEY, Plymouth, N. B. Feb. 21, 4.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

The dwelling on Park Street at present occupied by Mr. C. H. McQuarrie, also barn attached. Possession given first of May. My Woodworking Factory on River Street. The factory is ready to run and there is a good chance for the right man to make money. If I cannot sell I will rent the Park Street dwelling also the factory. I have also two stores and two tenements that I wish to rent. Possession of the stores given first of May. Apply at once as I am anxious to close these matters up before I go west. J. N. W. WINSLOW. Feb. 5, 1905.

Your Carriage Or Waggon

Needs painting. It will tend to preserve it as well as to improve its appearance. Please bring it in early so that I can have plenty of time to do a good job and give the varnish plenty of time to harden before you take it out.

I have plenty of storage room.

F. L. MOOERS,

over Loane's Factory,
Connell street, Woodstock

For Sale at Florenceville.

Store and dwelling combined, substantial and roomy stable, and small shop furnished inside with wood and outside with steel, also one acre of land around the building. There is a slaughter house on the premises with a good refrigerator in connection.

This property is situated in one of the best localities in Carleton County for business, being at the junction of the highway passing through Florenceville and the road leading to East Florenceville. Convenient to churches and school and good neighbors. Terms cash or part at time of sale and remainder on mortgage.

VERNON NICHOLSON.

3 mo Feb. 7.

TIN SHOP FOR SALE

The subscriber offers for sale his tinsmith business on Main street. The stock consists of Tinware, Graniteware, Stoves, Tools, etc.

The purchaser can have the privilege of renting the store. The stock can be inspected at any time at

McAfee's Tinshop,
MAIN STREET.

TEACHER WANTED.

Teacher, 2nd Class, for School District No. 12, (Poor District, Special Aid) Peel and Aberdeen, Carleton County, N. B. Term April 2nd to October 12th. Applications stating salary expected to W. H. ARNAND, Esdraelon, N. B. Feb. 21.

Do You Want To Own An Ocean Island?

If anyone would like to be IT on a small dot in the North Pacific Ocean the opportunity offers. According to an advertisement in San Francisco papers. Great Britain would sell outright Fanning and Washington Islands, bids to be made to the Registrar of the British High Commissioner's Court for the Western Pacific. It is a chance to join the hieratic small legion of undisturbed kings of isolated isles. You may find these isles on the map between 1 degree and 7 degrees north latitude and 157 degrees and 163 degrees west longitude. As a group they consist of Washington, Christmas, Palmyra, Jarvis, and Fanning Islands. Canadian Pacific steamers up from the colonies now put in there, so they are not cut off from all touch with civilization.

Great Britain owning, many islands by right of discovery, has frequently allowed private ownership to succeed public ownership. One case in point is that of the Caroline Islands, Yap and St. David. Daniel J. O'Keefe, at last accounts, was the single controller of these two tight little South Sea isles in the Caroline group. Forty-five years ago he landed in New York and shipped from there on a trading vessel to Buenos Ayres, thence getting around to San Francisco, and later to the Carolines. He returned with money, went to Savannah, married a wife, and returned with her to St. David. He established a trading station at Yap; got Great Britain to give him the right to St. David; he would care for the natives. He built a fort and colonized the place from other isles. His wife died, and O'Keefe married the native queen who had ruled before his arrival. He developed his copra trade; gradually got control of most of the copra in the Carolines. His native wife died. Then he went to Hong Kong, bought two more schooners to take care of the copra trade, and spent a good deal of time in Chinese ports. He owns now a large part of the harbor front there, and has married a Hong Kong white woman. Occasionally he goes to St. David and Yap to look over his plants and his garrison, but does not stay there much any more.

Then there is Jimmy Millar, a Scot, who rules over Prince of Wales Island three miles off British Columbia. It is a third the size of Cuba. His subjects—outside his own family—are mostly Hydah Indians, who came up from the Queen Charlotte Islands ago and annihilated the native tribe. Now they are salmon fishers for Millar's canneries. Technically he is not a king. He is a supreme boss—a boss who has no factions under him, and no rivals or parties against him. He has no ministry, no friend in finance to give power to him. In his little country there are neither court houses or jails. Life and property are secure, and the Indians settle disputes in aboriginal ways.

Pitcairn Island and its hereditary oligarchy is more familiar. Bo'sun McCoy, one of the mutineers of the Bounty, settled there many years ago. McCoy's descendant is president of the colony, assisted by a council of six. It is a colony chiefly of white, and comprised at last accounts some 135 people, including two imported school teachers.

Encourage The Wood Lot.

Ontario is awakening to the great mistake that has been made in indiscriminately clearing away the timber and an effort is on foot to restore the damage as far as possible and prevent further denudation. The effect of timber on the rainfall, the retention of snow in spring, and the general climatic conditions are so marked that a certain amount of public encouragement is desirable. Mr. Downey has re-introduced his bill of last session giving municipalities power to exempt from taxation a wood lot to the extent of one-tenth of the area of any farm. Last year this bill was referred to a special committee, which did not take any effective action. It provides against the speculative holding of land ostensibly as wood lots, by making the aggregate exemptions a charge immediately payable at any time if the land is devoted to other uses. This would insure proper care and management, with a view to the production of a permanent supply. The bill also requires that the exempted wood lot be kept up to a certain standard in regard to the number of trees, the excluding of cattle, and other essentials of scientific forestry.

The principle of the bill has been strongly recommended by Dr. Judson F. Clark, Provincial Forester, who has urged on many occasions the need of holding out practical inducements to farmers in a position to devote a part of their land to forestry. It is not a matter of sentiment, but of profit and loss, and as such it will be regarded by all practical farmers. A policy of exemption adopted by rural municipalities may often throw the balance of advantage in favor of the preservation and restoration of small areas of forest land. With the growing scarcity of coal and timber the possibility of profitable forestry will increase, and the optional measure of exemption is a move in the right direction.—Toronto Globe.

Significance of the Salute.

The officers salute with the sword has a double meaning. The first position, with the hilt opposite the lips, is a repetition of the Crusader's action in kissing the cross-hilt of his sword in token of faith and fealty, while lowering the point afterwards implies either submission or friend, meaning in each case that it is no longer necessary to stand on guard.

Butter paper for sale at this office,

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA.

36TH ANNUAL REPORT,

December 30th, 1905.

GENERAL AND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

LIABILITIES.

TO THE PUBLIC:

	31ST DEC., 1904.	30TH DEC., 1905.
Deposits bearing interest.....	\$12,898,712.13	\$14,822,644.82
Deposits not bearing interest.....	8,932,435.98	11,509,895.39
Interest accrued on deposits.....	113,996.31	103,118.56

Notes of the Bank in circulation.....	\$21,945,144.42	\$26,435,658.77
Balances due to other Banks in Canada.....	2,534,944.15	2,820,791.15
Balances due to Agencies of the Bank and other Banks in foreign countries.....	125,436.38	4,898.61
Balances due to Agents in Great Britain.....	117,522.98	542,323.26
	37,809.27	

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS:

Capital paid-up.....	3,000,000.00	3,000,000.00
Reserve Fund.....	3,000,000.00	3,400,000.00
Dividend No. 70 (half-yearly, at 8%).....	120,000.00	
Dividend No. 73 (quarterly, at 9%) payable 2nd January, 1906.....		67,500.00
Former dividends unclaimed.....	52.00	242.00
Rebate on Bills Discounted.....	60,000.00	65,000.00
Balance of profits carried forward.....	302,743.72	37,162.22

\$31,243,652.92 \$36,373,576.01

ASSETS.

	31ST DEC., 1904.	30TH DEC., 1905.
Gold and Silver Coin.....	\$ 1,743,737.41	\$2,129,767.22
Dominion Government Notes.....	1,367,431.25	1,547,778.25
Deposit with Dominion Government for security of note circulation.....	120,000.00	130,000.00
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks.....	1,703,218.61	2,341,416.38
Balances due from other Banks in Canada.....	93,702.77	188,694.45
Balances due from Agents in Great Britain.....		38,043.13
Balances due from Agencies of the Bank and other Banks in Foreign Countries.....	1,472,919.33	698,925.27
British Consols. (Present Holding £300,000 at 85).....	861,162.45	1,241,000.00
Other Government and Municipal Securities.....	1,988,276.83	2,295,607.86
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks.....	3,192,736.57	2,810,245.77
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds.....	2,649,814.09	4,977,434.82

Assets immediately available.....	\$15,192,999.31	\$18,398,913.15
Loans to Provincial Governments.....	181,719.20	
Current Loans and Discounts.....	15,418,166.33	17,511,571.61
Overdue Debts (Loss provided for).....	8,582.50	8,361.49
Bank Premises Account.....	432,185.58	444,729.76
Safes and Office Furniture.....	10,000.00	10,000.00

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The Royal Bank of Canada has sixty three branches, and correspondents all over the world.

Savings Bank Department.

Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received, and interest allowed thereon at the highest current rate, compounded half-yearly.

Money Order Department.

Canadian Bankers' Association money orders issued, payable at par at any chartered bank in Canada, Yukon Territory excepted.

Rates.

\$5 and under.....	3 cents,
over \$5 to \$10.....	6 cents,
over \$10 to \$30.....	10 cents,
over \$30 to \$50.....	15 cents,

EDSON L. PEASE,
General Manager.

W. DICKINSON,
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Woodstock, N. B.

Book Poison.

Some one asked the late Dwight L. Moody if he had read a certain book. He replied, "No, I believe there is poison in it at least I have heard so on good authority." The friend said, "But wouldn't it be well to read it for yourself?" "No," said Mr. Moody; "if I take poison in my stomach, the doctor has to come with a stomach-pump to take it out. Why should I take poison in my mind? I might never be able to get it out."—The Ladies' Home Journal.

How Alcohol Works

A patient was arguing with the doctor on the necessity of his taking a stimulant. He urged that he was weak and needed it. Said he.

"But, doctor, I must have some kind of a stimulant. I am cold and it warms me."

"Precisely," came the doctor's crusty answer. "See here. This stick is cold," taking up a stick of wood from the box beside the hearth and tossing it into the fire. "Now, it is warm, but is the stick benefited?"

The sick man watched the wood first send out little puffs of smoke and then burst into a flame, and replied:

"Of course not. It is burning itself." "And so are you when you warm yourself with alcohol—you are literally burning up the delicate tissues of your stomach and brain."

A Startling Exhibit.

U. S. STATISTICS.

The money we spend and for what.	
Missions.....	\$ 11,000,000
Church Expenses.....	150,000,000
Public Education.....	194,000,000
Books and Shoes.....	335,000,000
Cotton Goods.....	380,000,000
Bread.....	600,000,000
Tobacco.....	625,000,000
Meat.....	915,000,000
Liquor, direct cost.....	1,200,000,000
Indirect cost fully.....	1,000,000,000

The above exhibit should be an argument sufficient in itself to cause every thinking man in the country to vote for Prohibition. —Sel.

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