

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM OUR STAFF REPORTERS

TILLEY
David Boutier of Sheridan, Me., has been visiting his cousin, Mr. R. Swazey.

Our much needed ice bridge has come at last.

We are glad to hear of 6 Charlie Gerow's recovery from his serious illness.

Mrs. John Hanscomb, Sr., is sick with lagrippe.

Herman Beaumaster was calling on friends in this place recently.

John McDonald has opened a cheap cash store.

Mrs. Roy Swazey accompanied by Miss Mae Swazey were visiting Mrs. John Morrell of Costigan a short time ago.

Mrs. Willie Brayall has returned from a very pleasant visit with friends in Woodstock, N. B.

Our teacher that taught here last term is teaching school at California, N. B.

John McGillen of Lake Edward is hauling wood for our school-house.

Mrs. Ruben Swazey and daughter Mae have returned from a very pleasant visit of one week with Mrs. George Hitchcock and Mrs. Evangeline McGillen of Lake Edward.

John Hanscomb was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sessie Grant, of Arcetoo, N.B., recently.

Mrs. William Hanscomb, Sr., was calling on Mrs. John Hanscomb, Sr., a short time ago.

Mrs. Roy Swazey is visiting her many friends in Cliffordvale.

David Goodine has a fine assortment of Easter Post Cards.

KIRKLAND.
Misses Olive Carr and Laura Sullivan of Houlton are visiting friends in this section.

Mrs. Hannah Bell who has been very sick of lagrippe is recovering.

There was a party at the residence of John Graham, Maxwell, recently. Games were indulged in and a splendid lunch was served.

The farmers are hauling hay and potatoes.

Mrs. John W. Crawford of Maxwell, visited her sister, Mrs. Wade, in Houlton, for a week.

Irene the little daughter of Mrs. J. A. Slater is quite ill.

Mrs. G. DeMerchant of the mills has been very poorly.

Mrs. Albert Dickson has been very ill of lagrippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDougall who were summoned from the vicinity of Portland to see her mother, Mrs. Bell, have returned home.

Mrs. Dykeman is much better of the lagrippe.

HOW TO OBTAIN GOOD DIGESTION

The Stomach Must be Toned and Strengthened Through the Blood

The victim of indigestion who wants to eat a good meal, and he will suffer if he eats one, finds poor consolation in picking and choosing a diet. As a matter of fact you cannot get relief by cutting down your diet to a starvation basis. The stomach must be strengthened until you can eat good nourishing food. The only way to strengthen the stomach is to enrich the blood and thus tone up the nerves that control it. The only way to enrich the blood, and tone up the nerves, and give strength to the stomach—strength that will enable it to properly digest any kind of food—is through a fair use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The one mission of these Pills is to make rich, red blood, that reaches every part and every organ of the body, bringing renewed health and activity. The following case illustrates the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in indigestion.

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Walter Johnson, the speedy mound artist of the Washington club, always insists that his contracts calls for a certain number of games. If he works in more than agreed upon it is by special agreement. Johnson allowed his terms to go to thunder last summer when he helped out in the box whenever needed.

ROYALTON.

Mrs. Boardman Burk has been very sick with pneumonia, but is improving under the treatment of Dr. R. B. Field.

Mr. Herbert Buchanan is very busy hauling lumber. He intends building a new house in the spring.

Very little potatoes and hay are being hauled to market from this place lately.

Miss Edith Weade, one of our popular teachers, is teaching at Knoxford this term.

Miss Belle Peterson has a big class in music, but she has been sick with gripple and not able to give lessons this last week.

Death has again visited our community and taken away a respected resident, Mr. Howard Cronkite. Funeral services at Tracy Mills, conducted by Rev. Mr. Hurlow.

The services in the Reformed Baptist church are not very well attended as the roads have been bad and lots of cold weather.

Mr. Harry Cronkite and family are moving down to Lower Royalton on the old Cronkite homestead.

Miss Blanche Peterson is attending the Normal School at Fredericton.

I would advise you to shoot or poison all run away dogs you see, then we will not have so many sheep killed and wounded.

EAST NEWBRIDGE.

The recent snow storms have made our road quite bad for hauling.

Miss Annie McDade spent Sunday at her home here.

James and Edward McDade of Tapley Mills spent Sunday with relatives in this place.

Misses Carrie Burke and Katie Cunningham of Newburgh spent Saturday and Sunday with Misses Eliza McDade and Clara McCarty in this place.

Miss Hazel Montague of Newburg is spending a few days with friends in this vicinity.

Joseph Cunningham of Newburg was the guest of Edward McDade on Sunday.

FLOATING "EMERGENCY" INTO DRY DOCK REQUIRES A LOT OF FLUID

Ottawa, Feb. 15th, 1913.
The Borden Emergency is being towed into dry dock where it will probably remain until the end of March. Then when the snow is melting and navigation on Sparks Street may be said to have opened and the gondoliers are calling to one another on the Rideau Canal it will be towed out and the battle will be fought all over again.

The Borden Emergency is not a Super Dreadnought. It is a life raft but whenever it is in deep water it has to behave like a battleship and get its torpedo nets out of Billy McLean or some other destroyer may send a shot home that will scuttle the whole outfit. To lay the thing up for five or six weeks is not to be taken as retreating. It's just luring the Grits on. Tactics is the word. When you don't know what to do, do nothing and do it first.

CONFUSION OF IDEAS
So far the debate on the navy does not seem to have touched the average man to the same extent as it has the Members of Parliament. Upstairs in the restaurant where the service is largely British Born there is a strange confusion of ideas as to what it is all about. A gentleman who was up there early Thursday morning supporting British institutions by taking a nip of Bass heard this talk between Bill and Jymes who have been waiting on thirty legislators and listening to their luminous conversation for the last three months.

"A Collings in hevery horder. Three bottles o' limon juice gone already and another 'ard night of it tonight! They tell me that the Loryer nively bill won't go through till two o'clock in the mornin'."

"Nivey bill!" Jymes exclaimed, "Nivey bill! I sye Bill, don't you ever read the noospypers? It's reciprocity they're votin' on. I'm spris-

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ed at your blinkin' ignorance." **MISSING FINE POINTS.**

All of which seems to show that a great many people are missing the fine points of a discussion in which the Conservative Party is willing to spend thirty-five million dollars of our money for a back seat on the Imperial Defence Committee while the Liberal Party is willing to spend that much or more in being as loyal to Canada and the best interests of the British Empire as three Dreadnoughts built, manned, maintained and managed by Canadians can make us. One of the outstanding differences is that the Conservatives believe in spending the thirty-five million dollars in England instead of in Canada. Another is that they are willing to do anything but the fighting. **THE DEADLY "SUBMERSIBLES."**

It has taken a lot of fluid of one kind and another to float the Borden Emergency into dry dock. You mustn't imagine that the navy debate consists entirely of broadsides between Dreadnoughts. The submersibles do good work. They are seldom in sight where the big guns are speaking, but down, down, down among the dead men on the sea-floor they scurry about like a flock of dolphins. Their submerged speed and their surface speed are equally wonderful. Every once in a while they come up to the top to breathe. A flotilla of submersibles, every thirsty conning-tower wide open, moaning and surging at the bar, waving the flag that for a thousand years has braved the BOTTLE and the breeze, is a spectacle that must thrill every true Canadian from main-trunk to Keelson. Believe me the submersibles are no small part of the Borden navy. They can make the roughest weather and they turn their backs on a no sort of danger. To see them manœuvring in a thick Scotch and soda mist is a lesson in real seamanship. Occasionally one will run on a rock and get badly bilged but those are chances that have to be taken in the course of duty and no patriot will shirk them.

ONE OR TWO DISABLEMENTS
The combatants draw most of their ammunition from those two magazines of naval lore, Hurd's Command of the Sea and Burgoyne's Naval Annual. Each takes what he wants and leaves the rest. Librarian Griffin is keeper of the stores and hands out shot and shell to Government and Opposition alike, in this matter following the practice of the battle-

ship builders who will build for both sides or either. The rhetoric has been of the best wire-wound construction, fifty calibre, twelve point six. The muzzle energy has been terrific. The fire, whether ahead, astern or broadside on, has been well directed and the guns well laid. The arc of fire has been very wide taking in the Battle of Salamis, the Spanish Armada, Trafalgar Bay, and everything between, right down to the present day. The Germans have been chased right back to Tacitus. We know everything about from the time they learned to swim to the time they took to flying, being driven there by the British navy. Although the weight of metal delivered on both sides has been prodigious only one or two disablements have been reported. The Jam Atkins went wrong in the control station, the Pelletier acted light in the fighting top, and the J. Douglass Hazen

though formidable enough outwardly in the matter of triple turrets and superimposed barbettes, developed serious weakness in the armor belt. On the other hand the rapid fire of the R. B. Bennett, which belongs to the cruiser class and is well provided with secondary armament was considered effective.

HOLDING HIS BREATH.

The exchange of fire was brisk enough until a week ago when the Borden navy sheered off to a safe distance and remained silent awaiting reinforcements from the London Times and the Daily Telegraph, which last was at the moment engaged with the W. S. Fielding, said to have letters of marque from Opposition headquarters. During this painful interval while the Borden navy was holding its breath, so to speak, a slight accident happened to

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Wonderful Cures Reported in Germany.

The use of simple herbs as remedies instead of the more concentrated and usually more dangerous inorganic substances, has been revived very widely of late. In Germany a new school of physicians has arisen which throws out almost a whole of the pharmacopeia and relies on an adaptation of the method of wild animals in curing themselves.

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