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REXTON NOTES.

Capt. Wm. Malley took possession of the Kent Northern Hotel to-day.

Miss Lollie Jardine of Kouchibouguac is visiting her friend Miss Margaret Dickinson.

A large number of the young people of this town (perhaps I should say village) patronized the concert in Richibucto last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Warren Lanigan returned home from Rumford Fall on Saturday.

Mr. J. D. Palmer, representing G. L. Barbour & Co., of St. John, was in town last week. Mr. Palmer is one of the most successful commercial men on the road, and has worked up a large trade for his employers.

It is reported that Mr. A. J. Gorman, formerly proprietor of the Bay View Hotel, Buctouche, intends taking charge of the Royal Hotel here.

Mr. Robt. Little purposes moving into the house vacated by Capt. Malley.

Inspector Mespereau visited the schools here to-day. He expressed himself as pleased with the showing made by the pupils in the different departments and advised the Trustees to have the rooms renovated as they are very dirty and need cleaning very badly.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beattie of Harcourt, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Ferguson.

HARCOURT NOTES.

Mrs. M. F. Keith, who has been spending some time with her parents in Richibucto, returned home on Monday.

On Thursday of last week an old-fashioned "quilting bee" was given at the Rectory. A dainty lunch was served and the afternoon passed pleasantly with busy tongues and busy fingers.

Miss Kyle and Miss Humphrey spent part of last week in Canaan the guests of Mrs. J. F. K. McMichael.

On Saturday Miss Ward returned from a two weeks visit to friends in Moncton and Canaan.

Mr. A. E. Wellwood of Sydney spent a few days of last week visiting his mother and renewing old acquaintances here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beattie left to-day for a short visit to friends in Rexton.

Miss Nettie McKay spent Saturday and Sunday at her home.

On Wednesday last Mr. Thos. Smith met with a serious accident, cutting his foot very badly, two of his toes being almost severed.

Mr. Bulmer, of Moncton, spent a few days in Harcourt, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Chrystal.

The snow shoeing and tobogganing that the young people have been enjoying, have been brought to an end by the mild weather of the last few days.

KOUCHIBOUGUAC NOTES.

MARCH 1st.—Mr. Joseph Grogan went to Chatham this week.

Miss Flora McDonald has returned to her home in Richibucto.

Mrs. John M. Tweedie is visiting friends in Chatham.

Mr. Jack Hutchinson, of Buctouche, paid a visit to Kouchibouguac last week.

Mrs. Robt. Grogan went to Bay du Vin this week.

Miss Lollie Jardine is visiting in Rexton.

Mr. Robt. Patterson went to Chatham on Monday.

Mr. David Potter is visiting friends in Buctouche.

Misses Beattie, Murray and Leishman went to Richibucto on Wednesday evening to attend the concert.

Mrs. Henry Whalen and Mrs. Peter McDonald paid a visit to Richibucto on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Atkinson and Miss Tait went to Richibucto on Wednesday.

Joseph Wood brought his teams out of the woods, having finished his winter's operations. Mr. J. N. Wallace who has been working for him, says he has cut the two largest pine trees that have ever been cut on a beaver dam. They were measured by Mr. Grear Jardine, the largest one measures 1840 feet. Mr.

Wallace claims this tree to be one hundred and fifty years old. Jack has been a "Pinkie" in his day.

St. John Circuit Court.

The case of Katherine Allen, of Chatham, executrix of Joseph Allen, vs. Joseph Shehyn, doing business under the name and style of McCall, Shehyn & Co., Montreal, was before Chief Justice Tuck at St. John, Thursday afternoon and Friday morning.

The evidence of Robert Allen, Reuben Babineau, Mrs. Babineau, and Sheriff Legere, of Kent County, on behalf of the plaintiff, was taken Thursday afternoon, and Friday morning W. D. Carter, of Richibucto, and M. Loisel, agent for McCall, Shehyn & Co., were examined on behalf of the defendant.

The evidence of the different witnesses showed that Reuben Babineau was in 1900 in financial difficulties and was offering his creditors forty five cents on the dollar. Among other debts, he owed McCall, Shehyn & Co. \$3,998. It is alleged by the plaintiff that Babineau verbally agreed to suffer judgment to McCall, Shehyn & Co., through their agent, M. Loisel, for \$5,000 if they would undertake to pay two notes in favor of Joseph Allen for \$400 each. The defendant contends that the agreement was to pay the \$800 provided \$3,000 was realized from the sale of the real and personal property of Babineau.

The property was sold under an execution, and realized, according to the evidence of Mr. Loisel, about \$1,200 in cash, without making any deduction for expenses. McCall, Shehyn & Co., still hold the real estate which M. Loisel values at \$500.

Argument will be heard at Fredericton during term. Hon. L. J. Tweedie, K. C., and A. I. Trueman, K. C., appeared for the plaintiff; J. D. Phinney, K. C., and W. D. Carter for defendant.—Globe.

HEART "STARTS"

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C. O. F.

At the regular monthly meeting of Court Richibucto, No. 894, C. O. F., the following officers were elected for the year:

- David I. Mundle, C. R.
- J. Harry Stevenson, V. C. R.
- Bliss Stewart, R. S.
- W. H. Hogan, F. S. and Treas.
- W. H. McLeod, S. B.
- Allan Hains, Jr., J. B.
- Geo. McKinnon, S. W.
- Abel Dixon, J. W.
- J. Barnard, Con.
- T. J. Bourque, M. D., Phys.
- W. E. Forbes, P. C. R.

A very curious bi-literal cipher which has been discovered by Mrs. Gallup running through the first editions of Bacon's works, has excited wide interest in the literary world. This cipher consists of the use of two wrong font letters at intervals, combinations of these two letters in groups of five constituting an alphabet. These repetitions of a wrong font letter cannot have been matters of chance. Whether placed there by Lord Bacon or by the printer, remains in doubt. If by the printer, they relate a wonderful romance—the story of Queen Elizabeth's marriage to the Earl of Leicester when both were confined in the Tower prior to the Queen's accession; the birth of two sons, of whom Lord Bacon was the elder, the Earl of Essex the other. Lord Bacon considered himself the heir to the throne of England. The bi-literal cipher further tells that Queen Elizabeth condemned her own son, the Earl of Essex, to death. The Cosmopolitan for March contains an article by Prof. Garrett P. Stevens fully reviewing this remarkable romance—if it is concluded to have been inserted by the printer—or tragedy if inserted by Lord Bacon.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

PECULIARITIES OF SOUND.

The Kind of Note Best Suited For Long Range Signals.

Signals made by sounds of explosion are not the most reliable. Their penetration is obviously often uncertain, while, their duration being brief, they may be missed by momentary inattention. The reed horn was the more efficient instrument as compared with gun-cotton cartridges over London. The siren would probably have been yet more efficient as also doubtless a horn capable of producing two notes differing, say, by the interval of a third or a fifth, a conclusion arrived at many years ago by experiments which have been unhappily too much lost sight of. Professor Piazzi Smith found by trial that a high note was generally more penetrating as a signal, but advised that such a note should not be used alone, assigning as one reason that individuals possess note deafness similar to color blindness, so that no one note could be trusted. Experiments went to prove that a sound varying between a high and a low note best arrested attention at long range.

And the same result has been arrived at in another way. The peculiar cry of the Alpine guide, which is, in fact, of that nature which Professor Smith advocates, has doubtless been taught by the exigencies of his situation, where his voice is required to carry across broad and deep ravines. Nature has taught the same lesson in the Australian wilds, where the characteristic "Coo, coo!" appears essential to penetrate the deep woods.

Nor indeed need we look farther for an example of the same kind than our own village lanes. The high pitched voices of children are very far-reaching. Their shouting can be heard farther away in the sky than that of man, and in calling to their fellows they always employ a trick of the voice taught doubtless by experience. The child will summon her playmate from far away with a well practiced "Sally," the first syllable, high pitched and prolonged, giving place to the second syllable uttered abruptly in a yet higher note. And this mode of calling is universal.

THE TURQUOISE.

The turquoise, the birthstone for December, signifies prosperity.

The turquoise was a familiar and favorite gem among the ancient Mexicans and Indians of the west.

The turquoise fades when its owner is ill, and dies when the wearer is attacked by an incurable malady—so they say.

The Germans claim that by its varying shades the turquoise turns telltale on the caprices and moods of its wearer.

Shakespeare gives these words to Shylock: "He would not have lost his turquoise ring for a whole wilderness of monkeys."

The turquoise derives its name from a word meaning Turkish and is so called because the first turquoises were found in Turkey.

If your birthday comes in December and you wear a turquoise, you need never be afraid of falling off a high place. One of the powers of the azure hued gem is to preserve its wearer from this catastrophe.

It is also said that it has the power of protecting its wearer against contagion. A turquoise would certainly be an ornamental substitute for vaccination. Its efficiency would probably depend upon the "faith" of the wearer.

Rabbits at Play.

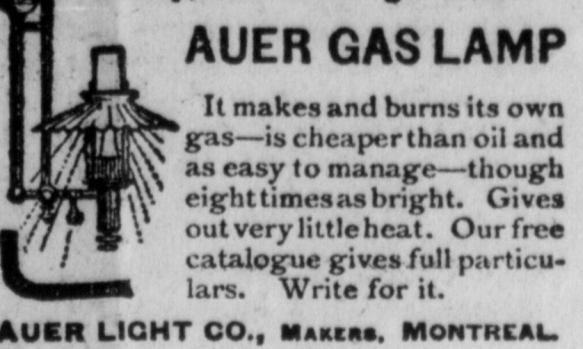
Rabbits play in this way: Two of them—I have not seen it played with more—run quickly toward each other, and when on the point of contact each leaps into the air, but one higher than the other, clearing him completely. They come down with their tails toward each other, but instantly, with an, as it were, "Excuse my tail!" both turn and run and leap again, and this they will do from two or three to half a dozen times, always leaping up at the exact moment when they would otherwise come into collision and one always taking the higher leap—sometimes an astonishingly high one—right over his companion. They never meet in the air, nor can I see how this can be avoided except by a plan or figure being mutually followed by them, as with ourselves in a game or dance. I believe that each clears the other alternately, but I have not yet convinced myself of this.

The Quick Craze.

The quick craze is by no means new, but seems just now to be more intrusive than ever before. Here is a young woman practicing fourteen hours a day to cultivate her voice. Result, lost voice. Nearly all the pugilists, active and retired, are writing volumes on "How to Get Strong Quick," and the readers are exercising two or three hours a day, when ten minutes are quite enough. Result, lost health. The get rich quick fellows, in jail and out, are hiring able lawyers to help them devise schemes that will defy the law and enable them to fleece lambs regardless of the code.

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Salvation Army.

Capt. Geo. Hudson, of St. John, will conduct special phonograph services in Kent Co., beginning at St. Nicholas River Hall on Tuesday night, March 11th, following with Rexton Wednesday, March 12th and Richibucto Thursday, March 13th.

Capt. Hudson visited those places last year conducting some very successful meetings, and appreciated the kindness of the Richibucto people very much. He also believes the meetings above mentioned shall be alike successful. His phonograph is an excellent machine, with a selection of fine records. He believes everyone will enjoy the services. Watch the dates mentioned, and watch for the Salvation Army man, be sure and attend meetings at 7:30, admission 10cts, children 5 cts.

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A Buctouche Fire Case.

In the case of Elzear J. LeBlanc, plaintiff, and the Commercial Union Assurance Co., Limited, defendant, arising out of the Buctouche fire of first September last, on Wednesday, 26th inst., before Judge McLeod at St. John the defendants made a motion to postpone the trial from the March to the September term of the Kent Circuit Court. An affidavit of the plaintiff, LeBlanc, was read to the effect that he had subpoenaed A. C. Fairweather, agent of the company, to appear and give evidence for plaintiff, that he believed the application was for the purpose of delaying the plaintiff in collecting his insurance money and that a great injury and damage would be done if the motion was allowed. H. L. Fairweather argued for the defendants and in favor of the motion to postpone, and H. H. James against the motion. The motion to postpone was refused with costs.

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Raisins,	5 lbs. for 25c.
Barley,	10 " " 25c.
Baking Soda,	10 lbs. for 25c
Corn and Peas,	3 lbs for 25c.
Cream Tartar,	25c per pound
Lobsters,	2 cans for 25c.
Tomatoes,	3 pound tin for 10c.
Beans,	3 " " 10c.
Pickles,	2 bottles for 25c.
Soda Biscuit,	7 cts. per lb.
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" Overcoats,	\$8.00, now \$5.50
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