

He ran a mile,
and so would many a young lady, rather than take a bath without the "Albert"

Baby's Own Soap.

It leaves the skin wonderfully soft and fresh, and its faint fragrance is extremely pleasing.

Beware of imitations.

ALBERT TOILET SOAP CO., MONTREAL.

WINDSOR.

Colonel Charles Stewart and Mrs Stewart, of Halifax, are in town, guests at the Victoria hotel. Mr and Mrs Frank Burnett having spent the winter in the United States, will return to Gay's River this spring.

Mrs W E Ply, Truro, returned to Truro on Saturday last, having spent a week with her sister, Mrs Edmund Shaw.

Rev J H MacDonald, principal of Acadia Seminary, has resigned, having accepted a call to the pastorate of the Frederick Baptist church.

Miss Annie D Mosher, who has been the guest of Mrs J Wesley Smith, Halifax for the past week, is expected home on Wednesday evening.

The marriage of Miss Mary E Holmes, daughter of Hon S H Holmes, to Robert Bauld, of Halifax, is to take place in St Matthew's church, Halifax, on Tuesday, May 28th.

Mr A P Shand left last week for the United States, and will visit the Pan-American Exposition, at Buffalo, N Y. He will be absent about two weeks.

Mr Clarence Burnham left on Monday morning for Halifax, where he has secured a position with the firm of Gordon and Keith in that city.

Miss Brown, of St John, and Miss Lonsbury, of Newcastle, who are attending Acadia Seminary, were in town over Sunday, the guests of friends.

Mr and Mrs E B Marshall have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their bright little six year old daughter Vivian, whose death occurred after a very short illness of Monday morning.

ANNAPOLIS.

May 15.—An excellent concert will be given by the band on Victoria day, May 24th. Local talent will assist the young musicians.

Mr J. H. Lombard and son Jack left yesterday for Wolfville on a visit.

Miss Maggie Rosch, of the Sussex Record, who has been visiting her home here for a few days left on Wednesday for Boston, where she will spend the summer. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Lizzie Rosch.

Mr and Mrs H B Burnham left on Thursday for Digby, where they will reside.

Judge Ritchie of Halifax, is visiting his daughter Mrs F. C. Whitman.

Arthur H Whitman of Halifax, is visiting his father, Thos S. Whitman.

Mrs Unacke and three daughters, of Mt Unacke are guests of Miss Murphy.

Messrs J. L. and Colin Clarke arrived home yesterday from Sydney.

Harry Ward, the popular driver of the express, is spending a few pleasant days in town.

BRIDGETOWN.

May 16.—Miss George Bath returned on Saturday from New York.

Mrs Weare, Sr, left on Saturday for a visit in the United States.

Mr and Mrs Wm Miller of Clarence are visiting relatives in Boston.

Mrs Hugh Fowler of Halifax has been visiting in town for a few days.

Miss Minnie Pickles of Boston was the guest of Mrs J W Beckwith last week.

Dr R Miller of Dorchester spent last week here, the guest of his sister, Mrs R D Nelly.

Mrs Wm Legge leaves to day for New York where she will visit her son Mr Clayton Legge.

Mr N R Burrows manager of the Union Bank, returned on Monday from a short vacation.

Mrs John W Fisher left last week for Wood's Harbor Shelburne county, where she will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs Sears.

Mrs Freeman returned on Saturday from Newcastle, where she went to be present at her father's funeral. She was accompanied by her nephew, Master George Layte.

NEW GLASGOW.

MAY 14.—Miss Harriet Ballie has been very ill with typhoid fever.

Miss Georgie McQueen, who has been home the past two weeks on account of the illness of her mother, returned to Halifax Ladies College on Friday.

The Harkins Dramatic Co. played "The Little Minister" to a very large audience in McNeil's Hall on Monday evening.

Miss Sallie Benedict, violinist, went to Truro on Monday to assist at the concert given in the opera house for the benefit of the Truro conservatory of music.

Miss Emma MacDonald, who has been visiting in Canso the past three months, returned home last week.

Miss Flossie McKezlie of Moncton is here visiting her friend Miss Laura McNeil.

WOLFVILLE.

May 14.—The residence on the east side of the Campus lately occupied by Academy students, has been taken by Mr W S Gibbons, of Bridge-

water, while the students occupy the building on the east.

The Browning Club met on Monday evening last in Mr Robson's studio. Dr Laurence was leader, and Mr Robson made an admirable host, his contribution to the enjoyment of the evening being very highly appreciated.

Prof Sears left last week in company with Mr B W Chipman, Secretary of Agriculture, for a visit to the Western Counties, where he will hold meetings in the interests of horticulture.

Mrs C R Burgess and Miss Lina have returned from New York.

Capt Halliburton and bride have removed to their residence at Hamilton's Corner, Canard.

On Friday evening last the young ladies of Acadia Seminary entertained very pleasantly in their parlors the Junior and Senior Classes of the University. This was less formal, but decidedly more enjoyable than the large receptions in College hall, as games could be indulged in and refreshments served.

KENTVILLE.

May 15.—Mrs. Simpson and Miss Anna Leontine Chipman are expected to arrive in Halifax this week. They left England about a week ago and will spend the entire summer with friends at Halifax and Kentville.

Mrs E P Baker, who has been seriously ill, is now recovering.

Miss May Tully left last week for Halifax, where she intends visiting for some time.

Rev. Dr. Brock left on Saturday enroute for Montreal. He will take charge of a church at a summer resort not far from the city.

Mrs J C Starr has returned from a pleasant visit in Halifax.

Mrs J L Wickwire and Miss Wickwire, of Canning, were in town recently, the guests of Mrs H H Wickwire.

Mr and Mrs Caulder are visiting in Halifax.

Dame rumor hath it that there will be no less than five weddings during the month of June. Two of the couples will go to the Pan-American at Buffalo.

An Evening Prayer.

Life's opening voyage, Lord, Thou didst safely keep
O'er childhood's sheltered bays;
As now the tides of age around me creep,
Protect my shortening days,
Thou didst defend my youth when sped my bark
Out toward the open sea;
As I approached the shore, unknown and dark,
Still guard and care for me.

Recalled by idle winds on placid seas,
Thy vigil did not cease;
Now Tempests beat, and when I shrink from these,
Impart uplifting peace.

When Joy, bright-winged, poised lightly on the prow
Thou gently didst restrain
Though Sorrow often voyaged with me now,
My troubled soul sustain.

When many ships were nigh and skies were bright,
I knew Thy presence sweet;
As one by one they vanish in the night,
Draw near me, I entreat.

Lord, Thou hast been companion, friend and guide
O'er life's unresting sea;
When Death, the gentle Pilot, stands beside,
Oh, make the port with me!

THINGS OF VALUE.

Stubbs—I hear that Falcon is going to stop writing poetry.

Fenn—Yes, the position in which the paper brought out his sonnet discouraged him.

Stubb—Did they run it on the children's page?

Fenn—Worse than that. It appeared in the puzzle department.

There never was, and never will be, a universal panacea, in one remedy for all ills to which flesh is heir—the very nature of many curatives being such that were the serum of other and differently seated diseases rooted in the system of the patient—what would relieve one ill, in turn would aggravate the other. We have, however, in Quinine Wine, which is obtainable in a sound unadulterated state, a remedy for many and grievous ills. By its gradual and judicious use, the frailtest systems are led into convalescence and strength, by the influence which Quinine exerts on Nature's own restorative. It relieves the drooping spirits of those with whom a chronic state of morbid despondency and lack of interest in life is a disease, and, by tranquillizing the nerves, disposes to sound and refreshing sleep—imparts vigor to the action of the blood, which, being stimulated, courses throughout the veins, strengthening the healthy animal functions of the system, thereby making activity a necessary result, strengthening the frame, and giving life to the digestive organs, which naturally demand increased substance—result, improved appetite. Northrop & Lyman of Toronto, have given to the public their superior Quinine Wine at the usual rate, and, gauged by the opinion of scientists, this wine approaches nearest perfection of any in the market. All druggists sell it.

Peckham's wife doesn't chatter as much as she used to do.

No; Peckham cured her. He told her that when her lips were close together they formed a perfect cupid's bow.

For Nine Years.—Mr. Samuel Bryan, Thedford, writes: "For nine years I suffered with ulcerated sores on my legs, expended over \$100 to physicians, and tried every preparation I heard of or saw recommended for such disease, but could get no relief. I at last was recommended to give Dr. F. C. Calvert's Carbolic Soap a trial, which has resulted, after using eight bottles (using it internally and externally), in a complete cure. I believe it is the best medicine in the world, and I write this to let others know what it has done for me."

Father, said the little boy, "what does 'credulous dupe' mean?"

My son, it means a man who leaves his umbrella at home because the weather prediction is 'fair'.

So rapidly does lung irritation spread and deepen, that often in a few weeks a simple cough/cold/influenza in tubercular consumption. Give heed to a cough, there is always danger in delay, get a bottle of Bickie's Anti-Consumptive Syrup, and cure yourself. It is a medicinal preparation for all throat and lung troubles. It is compounded from several herbs, each one of which stands at the head of the list as exerting a wonderful influence in curing consumption and all lung diseases.

Stubber—Come into this restaurant with me, old man. I've got the best waiter you ever saw.

Dashaway—What are his special qualifications?

Stubber—Well, I give him \$1 a week for putting the check on my friend's plates.

A Cure for Rheumatism.—The intrusion of uric acid into the blood vessels is a fruitful cause of rheumatic pains. This irregularity is owing to a deranged and unhealthy condition of the liver. Any one subject to this painful affection will find a remedy in Farnelle's Vegetable Pills. Their action upon the kidneys is pronounced and most beneficial and by restoring healthy action, they correct impurities in the blood.

Visitor (from beyond the suburbs)—What's one of them automobiles with?

Salesman—I can sell you this one at a bargain. It's only \$975.

Visitor the fire in his eye dying out—Show me some of your wheelbarrows.

Impurities in the Blood.—When the action of the kidneys becomes impaired impurities in the blood are almost sure to follow, and general derangement of the system ensues. Farnelle's Vegetable Pills will regulate the kidneys, so that they will maintain healthy action and prevent the complications which certainly come where there is derangement of the delicate organs. As a restorative these Pills are in the first rank.

Well, Jimmy, did you have a good time at the party?

You bet I did, Pop. Why, there wasn't a girl there I didn't make cry.

COUGHING ALL NIGHT.

It's this night coughing that breaks us down, keeping us awake most of the time, and annoying everybody in the house. Lots of people don't begin to cough until they go to bed. It gets to be so that retiring for the night is an empty form, for they cannot rest.

Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam makes life worth living to such people by its soothing effect on the throat. The "ticking sensation" promptly disappears when the use of the Balsam is begun, and the irritation goes with it. This medicine for cough hasn't a disagreeable thing about it, and it does efficient service in breaking up coughs of long-standing. It is prepared from barks and roots and gums of trees, and is a true specific for throat troubles.

Handling coughs is a science that every one should learn. Not knowing how to treat them has cost many fortunes and many lives. In Adamson's Balsam there are the elements which not only heal inflammation, but which protect the inflamed parts from further irritation. The result of this is that the tendency to cough does not manifest itself, and you are surprised at it. Afterward you would not be without Adamson's Balsam at hand. This remedy can be tested. 25 cents at any druggist's.

Scaring the Lions.

Monsieur Foa, the French explorer, says that lions have a wholesome fear of African wolves, which hunt in packs, and do not scruple to attack even the lion. There are terrible battles in which the lion succumbs to numbers, and dies fighting. In connection with the lion's fear of wolves Monsieur Foa tells a story from his own experience.

It was a very dark night, so dark that trees could not be distinguished until the travellers were close upon them roaring from a point so close as to have an alarming effect on the nerves. The animals could not be seen, but they could be heard on all sides.

Reaching a tree, the men found one of their comrades with rifle cocked, peering into the darkness, trying to discover the whereabouts of the animals, which could be plainly heard walking among the leaves. A second man was trying to relight a half-extinguished torch. Still the lions could be heard coming and going in the darkness.

At this point the native servant whispered the advice to intimate the cry of wolves in the distance. The party at once began barking and crying, 'Hu! hu! hu!' in an undertone, as if the pack were still at a distance, while the man at the camp made the same well imitated cry.

The effect was instantaneous. There was the sound of a rapid stampede across the dry leaves. The lions decamped in a panic, driven off by the supposed approach of wolves. For the rest of the night the party was undisturbed.

How He Did It.

A series of petty thefts from the commissary tents of the Kandahar field force had baffled the officers so completely that it was deemed advisable to substitute Gookas for the English sentries.

Almost immediately one Gooka sentry caught a Pathan thief red handed, and was brought before an officer and commanded to tell how it was done.

'I walk about my post,' said the Gooka. 'I see Pathan badmash approach. I walk about my post. Pathan badmash go near commissary tent. I walk about my post. Pathan badmash put his head and shoulders inside the tent. I run him through with my bayonet and shout:

'Halt! Who come dar?'

An excellent illustration of tactics original with an Irishman: A word and a blow; the blow to come first.

CALVERT'S 20 per cent. CARBOLIC SOAP

Cures and prevents Insect and Mosquito bites. The strongest Carbolic Toilet Soap. F. C. CALVERT & Co., Manchester, Eng.

BRANDIES!

Landing ex "Corean."

100 Cc. Vireland XXX Quarts
100 " Tobitt & Co. or Pints
100 " Morse, Frezes.
10 " Octaves "

For sale low in bond or duty paid. THOS. L. BOURKE 25 WATER STREET.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Announcements under this heading not exceeding five lines (about 35 words) cost 25 cents each insertion. Five cents extra for every additional line.

WANTED SALESMEN to travel with most complete line of Paints, Colors and Varnishes on the market. Jewel Refining Co., Paint Department, Cleveland, Ohio. 2-16-01.

HUSTLING YOUNG MAN can make \$60.00 per month and expenses, learn quick position, experience unnecessary. Write agent for particulars, Clark & Co., 4th & Locust streets, Phila., Pa. 3-17-01.

The Mutual Life Insurance Company

OF NEW YORK

RICHARD A. McCURDY, President.

STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING AUGUST 11, 1900.

Income,	\$ 58,890,077 21
Disbursements,	38,597,480 68
Assets,	304,844,537 52
Policy Reserves,	261,711,988 61
Guarantee Fund or Surplus,	50,132,548 91
Insurance and Annuities in Force,	1,052,665,211 64
Loans on Policies During the Year,	4,374,636 86

J. A. JOHNSON, General Agent for the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland

ROBERT MARSHALL, Cashier and Agent, St. John, N. B.
M. McDADE, Agent, St. John, N. B.
C. E. SCAMMELL, Agent, St. John, N. B.

Job... Printing.

Are your Letter Heads, Bill Heads, Statements, or Envelopes running short? Do you consider that you could effect a saving in this part of your business? Why not secure quotations your work before placing an order?

Consult Us for Prices.

And you will find that you can get Printing of all kinds done in a manner and style that is bound to please you. We have lately added new type to our already well-equipped plant, and are prepared to furnish estimates on all classes of work at short notice.

Progress Job Printing Department.

29 to 31 Canterbury Street.

HOTELS.

CAFE ROYAL

BANK OF MONTREAL BUILDING, 56 Prince Wm. St., - - St. John, N. B.

WM. CLARK, Proprietor

Retail dealer in... CHOIC WINES, ALES and LIQUORS.

OYSTERS always on hand. FISH and GAME in season

MEALS AT ALL HOURS. DINNER A SPECIALTY.

QUEEN HOTEL, FREDERICTON, N. B. A. EDWARDS, Proprietor.

Fine sample rooms in connection. First class Livery Stable. Coaches at trains and boats.

THE DUFFERIN

This popular Hotel is now open for the reception of guests. The situation of the House, facing as it does on the beautiful King Square, makes it a most desirable place for Visitors and Business Men. It is within a short distance of all parts of the city. Has every accommodation. Electric cars, from all parts of the town, pass the house every three minutes. E. LAROI WILLIS, Proprietor.

Victoria Hotel,

81 to 87 King Street, St. John, N. B.

Electric Passenger Elevator

and all Modern Improvements.

D. W. McCORMACK, Proprietor