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AMHERST.

APRIL 3-Rev Dr Steel gave the third reading o the season at the residence of Mr and Mrs W D Main, Holm Cottage, Victoria street last week. Dr Wheeler, formerly of St John but now returned from taking a post graduate course in Germany, spent a few days in town.

Mrs James Mcflatt gave a family party on Mon day evening of last week in honor of Dr Wheeler. Mrs N B Steel has returned from her long visit to Boston.

Mrs J J Bain, superintendent of the Quebec and and Lake St John Railway, Quebec, and little son were guests of Dr J & and Mrs McDougall, Church street for a few days recently.

Mrs D R Pridham gave an At Home' on Tuesday afternoon from 5 until 7 o'clock at her residence, Albion street.

Mrs Wm DeBlois, proprietress of the Strathcona Lending Library has returned from Annapolis.

After a long visit with her friend, Miss Dickey, Grove Cottage, Miss Violet Bullock has returned to her home in the city.

Mr and Mrs RTH Weir gave a reception for Mr and Mrs T H Cochran.

Mrs Cochran gave a whist party on Wednesday evening last comprised principally of young people. There were four tables and after supper dancing was indulged in.

### BRIDGETOWN.

Apr. 4.-Miss Berry of Annapolis was the guest of Mrs Beeler last week.

Miss Annie Evans left last Wednesday for Halifax, where she will remain for an indefinite period. Mr and Mrs L F Doring of Clarence left on Saturday for a visit to Boston.

Mrs J N Rice and Master Victor, returned on Saturday from a visit in Yarmouth.

where she is visiting her daughter Mrs. E N Case. Mr and Mrs Hugh F Murray spent Sunday in Woodstock guests of Mrs. Murray's mother, Mrs. Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Murray are preparing to depart for Winnipeg, where Mr. Murray's company, the Yarmouth boot and shoe company have made him manager of a branch they are establishing there. He will have two or three travellers under him.

PROGRESS. SATURDAY

NEWCASTLE.

APRIL 4 .- Miss Budd and Miss Swetman were guests of Mrs. Rushton last week,

Mr W J Miller of Chatham was here last week. Miss May E Stothart of Boston arrived on Monday night. She is visiting her home at Douglastown.

Mrs E A Beaton who has been away attending the millinery openings in Boston and New York, returned home.

Miss Addie Bockler left last Saturday for Lawrence, Mass., to visit her sister, Mrs F Belknap. Miss Minnie Bockler accompanied by her sister Mrs C & DeMill, returned from Moncton last week. Rev Mr Pickles fell and ivjured himself last Wednesday, but we are pleased to state that he is again able to attend to his duties.

Rev Mr Bailie occupied the pulpit of the methodist church at both services on Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Kingston left on Monday night's express for Wisconsin.

Miss Maggie Eastey of Millerton was in town on Monday.

## CAMPBELLTON.

APRIL 4-M rs J E Mill of Maria, is visiting her sister Mrs H McIntyre.

Mrs Theodore LeBlance of Carleton, has been the guest of Mrs George St Onge.

Miss Josehine Comes returned last Friday after spending sometime at her home in Petit Rocher. Miss Ida Gerrard who has been spending the winter with friends in town, left Thursday morning accompanied by her niece Miss Mamie Young. Miss May Scott of Dalhousie is visiting friends in

town. Rev Mr Drapeau of Nouvelle was in town on

Monday. Miss Laura Audet of Amqui is visiting friends in town.

### THINGS OF VALUE.

The first half of life the old house is too small for the large family; the last half of life the old family is too small for the large house.

There never was, and never will be, a universal panaces, in one remedy for all ills to which flesh is heir-the very nature of many curatives being such that were the germs of other and differently seated diseases rooted in the system of the patient-

COUGHS OF CHILDREN. CROUPY The tendency to croup is a foe that all parents have to fight. Croup comes in the night, when help must be right at hand if it is to be help at all. Adam. son's Botanic Cough Balsam is a blessing to all families where there are children subject to attacks of croup or any mean cough. It has a wonderful reputation for its efficiency and fully deserves it.

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Y ou cannot tell what night your child may wake up choking to death with croup. In such a case what do you do? Send for a doctor and wait an hour or perhaps two hours, while the child is gasping for breath? How much simpler where the true specific for croupy coughs and all throat troubles is right at hand. Indeed, no other way is safe with young children in the house.

Adamson's Cough Balsam is a most delicate medicine for children, relieving the little throats at once. Its action is scothing and certain. It clears out the phlegm, which produces the croupy condition, and is a safeguard which no mother who knows about it will dispense with. All coughs and it flammation of the throat or bronchial tubes are cured by the Bal sam with promptness that surprises. All dr uggists sell it, 25 cents. The genuine has "F. W. Kinsman & Co." blown in the bottle.

## A Reputation for Himself.

Herbert Gladstone seems to be unwilling to be known to fame merely as a son of his father, and has started out to make a reputption for himselt. His letter to his constituents make such a bold attack on the present government and such a fierce demand for reforms that it has created as much of a sensation as one of his distinguished father's eloquent speeches

Mr. Gladstone is not content with showing how many popular demands have been refused and how many measures of national importance ignored, but he insists on saddling the whole responsibility for this disobedience to the popular will on the conservative party fand the ministry now in power. He is even understood to suggest again, though not in plain terms, the abolition of the house of lords.

It is some time now since we have heard anything about the once famous popular dictum that the house of lords must be amended or ended,' and this particular time, when the nation is in the throes of war, seems inauspicious for renewing it; but Mr. Gladstone may be shrewd enough to see that this is a good time for effort in that direction. The British people are growing very restive under the burdens of the war; they are beginning to grumble loudly and to cast about them for a scape goat to bear the responsibility of the mismanagement of which we on this side of the Atlantic have heard so much. What if Mr. Gladstone shall succeed in persuading them that the house of lords is the real scapegoat? They seem almost ready to listen to this kind of talk now.

# The Mutual Life **Insurance** Company

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# 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,		251,711,988	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.



Mr and Mrs Fred J Reed leave for Boston today and will spend two weeks in that city before returning.

Mr Harry Harvey leaves to day for Boston where he will take up a course in manual training with his brother.

The ladies of St James' church will hold an Apron Sale, Wednesday 17 th inst, in the Council Chamber, Ruggles building. In the evening a Birth day Party will be held. A very interesting program is in preparation for the evening entertainment, consisting of musical selections by local talent.

## ANNAPOLIS.

APR. 4.-Miss Locke of St Andrew's school has been visiting in Windsor.

Miss Bertha Ruggles was called home last week by the serious illness of her brother, who died on Saturday.

Miss Mary Brittain was in St John taking in the spring millinery openings. She has accepted a position in Digby as head of a millinery business.

Mr and Mrs E K Spinney of Yarmouth, spent a day in town last week, the guests of Mr and Mrs J M Owen.

Dr Black of Halifax was in town twice last week, the second time remaining several days on account of the serious illness of Miss Cecile Ritchie. She is slowly improving and it is hoped all cause for anxiety will soon be removed.

Mrs Wm deBlois of Amherst is with her brother, Mr J J Ritchie.

DIGBY.

Apr. 3.-Mrs Ernest Lewis of Freeport, is the guest of Capt and Mrs C F Lewis, King street.

Capt L Haliburton and bride are the guests of Mr and Mrs Aubrey Brown at the Myrtle house. Mr Percy Turnbull who has been at Bridgetown

for several weeks has returned home. Rev A M Hill pastor of the Digby Presbyterian

church, left yesterday afternoon for Boston via St John.

MrLH Snyder who has spent the winter at Marshalltown was a passenger to Boston Wednes day sfternoon.

Miss Chisholm and Miss Banks of J F Saunders' millinery establishment have returned from a trip to St John.

Coporal Fred W Coembs of St John who has re cently returned from South A frica is the guest of his sister, Mrs George Whightman.

Latest styles of Wedding invitations and announcements printed in any quantities and at moderate prices. Will be sent to any addrses.

Progress Job Print.

WOODSTOCK.

APRIL 4 .- Miss Page of Centreville is here visiting her friend Miss Clark.

Hon James and Mrs. Holly of St. John were here recently as guests of Mr. David Tapley.

Miss Kathleen and Annie McIntyre of Richmond were in town for a few days last week.

Miss Lizzie McLaughlin who has been visiting her sunt Mrs. P Hayden for some months has returned to her home at Grand Falls.

Mr. and Mrs Pidgeon of St. John spent a few days of last week here. They were guests at the

would relieve one ill, in turn would aggravate the other. We have, nowever, in Quinine Wine, when obtainable in a sound unadulterated state, a remedy for many and grievous ills. By its gradual and judicious use, the trailest systems are led into convalescense and strength, by the influence which Quinine exerts on Nature's own restoratives. 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 tranquilizing 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. Wite (after a tiff)-'Just see that dog and cat there; how peacefully they get on together. Husband—'Tie them together and see how they'l act.

A TONIC FOR'THE DEBILIATED. - Parmelee's Vegetable Pills by acting mildly but thoroughly on the secretions of the body are a valuable tonic, stimu-lating the lagging organs to healthful action and restoring them to full vigor. They can be taken in graduated doses and so used that they can be discontinued at any time without return of ailments which they were used to allay.

Mrs Clubleigh-But Henry dear, in that photograph you have but one button on your cost. Mr Clubleigh-Thank heaven, you've noticed it at last! That's why I had the photograph taken.

TO PREVENT IS BETTER THAN TO REPENT. - A little medicine in the shape of the wonderful pellets which are known as Parmelee's Vegetable Pills administered at the proper time and with the directions adhered to often prevent a serious attack of sickness and save money which would go to the doctor. In all irregularities of the digestive organs they are an invaluable corrective and by cleansing the blood they clear the skin of imperfections.

Voice of the Lookout-Mr Binglebunger, seven women are coming down the road with axes!

The proprietor-What, ho, there! Drop the drawbridge, flood the sidewalk, clew up the iron shutters, stretch the barb wire, fetch up the fire hose, light the sulphur pans, and stand ready to let loose the mice! Now let 'em come!

There is danger in neglecting a cold. Many who have died of consumption dated their troubles from exposure, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a short time they were beyond the skill of the best physician. Had they used Bickle's Anti Consumptive Syrup, before it was too late, their lives would have been spared, This medicine has no equal for curing coughs, colds and all affec-tions of the throat and lungs.

'Don't you think this all night business of the Montreal carters is demoralizing ?' asked Weirdly, as he dodged a plunging burlow and caught the last car that took tickets.

'Yes.' said Gimlet. 'it leads to many a man being driven to drink.'

Totally Deaf .- Mr. S. E Crandell, Port Perry, writes: "I contracted a severe cold last winter, which resulted in my becoming totally deaf in one ear and partially so in the other. After trying various remedies, and consulting several doctors, with out obtaining any relief. I was advised to try DR THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL. I warmed the Oil and poured a little of it into my ear, and before one-half the bottle was used my hearing was completely re-stored. I have heard of other cases of deamess being cured by the use of this medicine.

The Dyspeptic Cannibal.

A Cannibal was seated on a green Pacific isle, With the temperature at ninety-nine degrees; His dress was rather scanty, in a truly savage style Just a pair of Boston garters round his knees,

But he didn't seem quite happy, for now and then a

Carlisle hotel. Mrs Dr Lawson and Miss Lawson of St Stephen are here for a few days. They are staying at the Mrs Dr Lawson and Miss Lawson of St Stephen are here for a few days. They are staying at the Mrs Dr Lawson and Miss Lawson of St Stephen And he chanted in a melancholy, meditative tone The ditty that I now repeat to you.

Kind pedestrain-Here's half a dollar, my poor man. Instead of living this way why don't you learn a trade? Panhandler -I would, sir, if I knew of a better one than this.



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ROYAL

	Aberdeen. Mrs. M Pelleter and Mrs Matthews of Edmund- ston were here on Friday and Saturday of last week. Mrs Matthew Hutchinson, Upper Wicklow is visiting in New York. Miss Elizabeth Bull left for Boston Saturday last. She was accompanied by Master Gordon Carr.	'I've eaten hostile tribesmen without a single question, I've feasted on the yellow, black and brown; But I never have encountered such a fit of indiges- tion As accompanied the minister from town.	A REMEDY FOR IRREGULARITIES. Superseding Bitter Apple, Pil Cochis, Pennyroyal, &c. Order of all Chemists, or post free for \$1.50 from EVANS & SONS, LTD., Montreal and Toronto, Canada. Victoria, B. C. or Martin' Pharmaceutical Chemist, Southampton Eng.	BANK OF MONTREAL BUILDING, 56 Prince Wm. St., St. John, N. B WM. CLARK, Proprietor Retail dealer in CHOIC WINES, ALES and LIQUORS.	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 accomodation. Electric cars, from all parts of the town, pass the house every three minutes. E. LEBOI WILLIS, Proprietor.
		But for all the after symptoms from the dishes I have tried	CONDENSED ADVBRTISBMENTS.	OYSTERS FISH and GAMB always on hand. In season	
	Clarke.	But I caught the missionary calmiv strolling on the	Announcements underthis heading not exceeding five lines (about 35 words) cost 35 cents each insertion. Five centsextra for every additional line	MEALS AT ALL HOURS. DINNER A SPECIALTY.	Victoria Hotel,
		But a feeling deep within me, makes it disagreeably	WANTED SALESMEN to travel with most complete line of Paints, Colors and Varnishes on the market. Jewel Refining Co.,	FREDERICTON,IN. B.	81 to 87 King Street, St. John, N B.
4		'I have eaten hostile tribesmen with the greatest of urbanity; I have feasted on the yellow, black and brown, But to eat a missionary was the acme of insanity. You can't keep a good man down."	Paint Department, Cleveland, Ohio. 3-16-61. HUSTLING YOUNG MAN can make \$60,0 per month and expenses, perm anent position, experience unnecessary. Write	and a state of the con-	Electric Passenger Elevator
	daughter, Miss Edith Holmes has gone to Chicago	-"'Yale Record."	guick for particulars, Clark & Co., 4th & Locust streets, Phila., Pa.	Fine sample rooms in connection. First clas. Livery Stable. Coaches at trains and boats.	D. W. McCORMACK, Proprietor