



WARNING TO PURCHASERS

EVERY assignment of the right of a South African Volunteer to a land grant must be by way of appointment of a substitute and must be in the form provided by the Act. Special attention is called to Sub-section 3 of Section 5 of the Volunteer Bounty Act, 1908, which provides that no assignment of the right of a volunteer by the appointment of a substitute shall be accepted or recognized by the Department of the Interior which is not executed and dated after the date of the warrant for the land grant issued by the Minister of Militia and Defence in favor of the Volunteer.

J. W. GREENWAY,
Commissioner of Dominion
Lands, Ottawa.
28th September, 1908.

Dates on Coins.

The Swiss were the first to date their coinage. They introduced the dated coin 400 years ago, and the style was universally adopted within a very short time.

Javanese Women.

One of the employments of Javanese women is to pick worms from the leaves of growing tobacco. They are put in bottles, which have to be shown in proof that the picker has earned her wages.

Stammering.

Moonlight has a marked effect on stammerers. They stammer most when the moon is full.

A Big Bucket.

A bucket 743 miles deep and 743 miles from side to side would hold every drop of the ocean. The bucket could rest quite firmly on the British Isles. To fill the bucket one would need to work 10,000 steam pumps, each sucking up 1,000 tons of sea.

SHEFFIELD.

Rev. G. M. Campbell, secretary of the Canadian Auxiliary Bible Society occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church last Sabbath afternoon and gave a very interesting and instructive account of the last year's work, arguing a more liberal contribution to meet the demands of this year's work.

Although without a pastor, the usual thanksgiving service was held in the Congregational church and an offering of over \$30 contributed towards Foreign Missions.

In the evening a special service was held in the Methodist Church with a special offering.

Rev. J. W. Cox has accepted a call to the Congregational church and is expected to assume charge in a week or two.

Mr. William Powers and family are moving to Margerville this week.

Mrs. F. B. Jewett is visiting friends in St. John this week.

Mrs. David Burpee is visiting relatives in Fredericton.

Miss Marjorie White spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Percy Barker.

Mr. Starr Pepper is spending a few days with his parents, Rev. W. R. and Mrs. Pepper.

Miss Lina Babbitt spent Thanksgiving with her parents at Swan Creek.

DEATH AT KINGSCLEAR.

Mrs. Knight, widow of the late Rev. Peter R. Knight, in his day a well known clergyman of the Baptist denomination, died at her home in Kingsclear on Tuesday night. She was seventy-one years of age and is survived by a family of one son, Herbert Knight of Kingsclear, and two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Dunphy of Kingsclear, and Mrs. Harry Dunphy, now in Manitoba. The funeral will take place on Sunday morning at ten o'clock with undertaker Robt. B. Adams in charge.

PRESBYTERY MEETING.

Supper The St. John Presbytery will hold a meeting in St. Andrew's church on Friday afternoon next at 2.30 o'clock. A call has been extended by the Fredericton church to the Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith of Sydney, and this will come before the meeting. It is understood that Dr. Smith will accept. He is a graduate of Dalhousie, and is considered one of the ablest men in the denomination.

CASE DISMISSED.

A first offence of the Scott Act against a Regent Street hotel man, which has been pending for some time, was dismissed by Col. Marsh yesterday for want of evidence. Chief Winter spent four days last week trying to locate a man wanted as witness, and finally learned that he had gone to the Quebec lumber woods.

HUNTING BIG HORN.

Sportsman Tells Story of Death of Splendid Rocky Mountain Ram.

I was certainly anxious and excited, says a writer in Forest and Stream, describing a big horn hunt in the Canadian Rockies, especially when they halted three hundred and fifty yards distant, and I saw they were all rams. I counted twenty of them. They were led by a kingly old monster who sprang upon a large rock, sniffed the air uneasily and looked behind him.

I was in a quandary. I had a beautiful muzzle rest on a limb, was seated with an elbow resting upon each knee, and was pretty certain I could hit that ram, but if I missed a standing shot it was certain I could not make a running shot afterward at that distance. I decided to wait and was rewarded by seeing the leader spring down and come directly toward me at a trot, followed pell mell by the rest of the band. My heart fairly leaped into my throat as I shifted the rifle from the limb and waited for the time to fire. Nearer and nearer they came, gradually slackening their pace to a walk. Now was my time, and just as I shifted my rifle toward them a puff of wind wafted the scent of the Indians below to the leader, who sprang into the air as though shot and started off at a gallop. My first shot, fired hastily, kicked up the dust under him, and followed by the entire band he disappeared in the thick pines before I could even eject the empty shell. I sprang up and rushed around the pines to where the open slope stretched below me, just in time to see the band stop three hundred and fifty yards distant and look back before their plunge into the gulch below. My last chance had come. Steadying myself as best I could, I held the gold bead on the shoulder of the leader and pressed the trigger. Instantly the sheep disappeared as completely as if the earth had opened up and swallowed them. Half dazed by the suddenness of it all, I ran forward to the ledge half blinded by the wind in my face, and there lay the grand old leader on his side, his eyes already glazed with death, his magnificent horns, fourteen and one-half inches, and more than a full circle, making me realize my hunt for the finest trophy our country has to offer was over, and I was satisfied.

HONEST AMERICANS.

Incidents That Greatly Surprised a Visitor From Germany.

On his first visit to the United States a German manufacturer was the guest of a kinsman in New York. He expressed surprise when, a few days after his arrival, he saw a number of men help themselves to papers at an unattended newsstand, where some men laid down the exact price of their purchase, others made change for themselves and still others walked away without paying. He was told that the last named group were customers who paid only once a week, but that no one ever failed to pay.

To demonstrate his contention that "most people are honest in this country" the Americanized German took his visitor that day to a restaurant where both were unknown, and when they had finished their luncheon the host went to the cashier's desk with his check and said he had no money with him, but would pay the next day.

The cashier gave the couple a hasty glance and said, "All right; I'll take a chance," and the men started for the street. At the door a right about face movement was executed, the check was paid, a good cigar was handed to the cashier, to whom the plot was revealed, and the German exclaimed, "Grossartig!" (magnificent).

A CINGALESE DAINTY.

Ceylon White Ants and Their Numerous Natural Enemies.

It is estimated that two-thirds of the island of Ceylon is undermined by white ants. The number of these insects is certainly quite incalculable, but it is fortunate that their natural enemies are almost as numerous.

The workers are preyed upon by true ants and many other insects; by spiders, lizards and centipedes; by rats, mice and palm squirrels. But it is the adult winged insects that are especially victimized. It is probable that scarcely 1 per cent of the mature insects survive the dangers of the periodic flights.

They run the gamut of nearly every other animal. Birds, bats, squirrels, rats, toads and lizards all flock to the feast. Dogs and cats eat the winged ants with avidity.

"Even man himself does not disdain to participate," says E. E. Green. "The Tamil coolie looks upon a mess of fried termites as a great dainty, and I have several European acquaintances who consider that termites on toast form a dish worthy of more general inclusion in the menu. They are said to taste not unlike mushrooms."—Agricultural Journal of Ceylon Botanic Gardens.

Accounted For.

Patience—That organ is run by water.

Patrice—That accounts for the liquid notes, I suppose.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Garden of a Commuter.

Knicker—What's the matter with this seed catalogue?

Subbuss—It doesn't show the kind of chickens it raises.—New York Sun.

Vernal Salutation.

Again behold the joyous spring,
When budding verdure tints the trees,
Now some, enraptured, laugh and sing,
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"Australia could support a population of fifty millions, but she wants that population to be white," was the remark of Mr. William Watson, of Sydney, recently at Montreal. "Australia," said Mr. Watson, "was well called the paradise of the workingman—eight hours' work, eight hours' play, eight hours' sleep. That was the condition. Holidays at pleasure—everything stopped for a horse race—idyllic conditions, from the workingman's point of view."

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