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**THE EASTERN GUARDIAN**

\*TWO CENTS PER WORD each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany order minimum charge twenty five cents.

\*AT HOME.—Mrs. Hector Vickerson, Montague, will be at home to her friends Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 p. m. January 7th, 1920. 6043-1-6MEZL.

\*SURVEYING.—The Dougherty property at Martvale, comprising 400 acres, was surveyed during the week, by Mr. Jno. Alfred McDonald, P. L. S. and a number of assistants.

**EASTERN PERSONALS**

\*Mr. J. J. McKenzie, St. Peter's, returned from Moncton, New Year's Day.

\*Mr. Jno. Alfred McDonald, Land Surveyor, was at Cardigan, New Year's Day.

\*Mr. P. McAnlay, Tracadie, was visiting friends at Cardigan, during the New Year.

\*Mr. P. Cullen, now of Millcove was visiting old friends at Cardigan during the New Year.

\*Mr. Gabriel McDonald, Hermitage, returned from a visit to the city New Year's Day.

\*Mr. Chester Webster, Marie, visited at J. Altken's, Bay Fortune, New Year's Day.

\*Mr. Leo S. McCormack, Big Pond, was a visitor to the city for a day or two at the New Year on business.

\*Mr. George Pantin, Wood Islands, is visiting his brother-in-law, Daniel Doherty, Martvale for New Year's holidays.

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What's the rustling noise we hear While the year is yet but brief, 'Tis naught but mankind every where Musing up the new turned leaf.

**SHATTERED RESOLUTION**

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**PROFESSIONAL CARDS**

**J. D. Stewart, K.C.**  
Barrister, Solicitor and Notary Public. Newsom Block, Ch'town. Branch Office - Georgetown. Money to Loan on Real Estate.

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Barrister, Solicitor, Notary Public. Money to Loan. Cameron Block, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

**McLean & McKinnon,**  
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law. Office, Royal Bank Building, Charlottetown. P. E. Island.

**DR. I. E. CROKEN**  
Veterinary Surgeon. Residence Revere Hotel.

**Morson & Duffy**  
Barristers and Attorneys. Solicitors, Royal Bank of Canada. MONEY TO LOAN.

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W. E. Bentley, K.C. Barrister and Attorney-at-Law. MONEY TO LOAN. Office - Bank of N. S. Chambers.

**Warburton & Shaw**  
Barristers, Attorneys. Notary Public, etc. Solicitors for Canada Bank Association, Bank of Montreal, Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation.

**\*IT PAYS to buy in this province.**

\*AT MT. HOPE.—The members of the Union School of Mt. Hope hold a Christmas Tree and Pice Social in the School House on Christmas Eve. A large crowd were present and all spoke highly of the evening's entertainment. Santa made his appearance and in his usual good humor each one was remembered from the gift-laden tree. The pies were then sold by Mr. Norman MacSwain. The proceeds of the evening amounted to \$22.35 which goes towards an organ purchased by the Sunday School. The following is the programme: Opening chorus, Ring Ring the Bells; Recitation by John A. MacKay; Reading by Mary Matheson; Chorus, Silent Night; Recitation by Garfield MacLeod; Recitation by Lillian Dockendorf; Chorus, A Shepherd's Kept Vigil; Recitation by Raymond MacDonald; Trio, Chime on Sweet Bells; Recitation by Sheldon MacSwain; Recitation by Hilda Dockendorf; Chorus, Hark! The Herald Angels Sing; Recitation by William MacDonaid; Dialogue, A Pantomime Fight; Recitation by Garfield MacLeod; Recitation by Colin MacKay; Closing chorus, Scatter Your Christmas Blessings.

**MAY SOON SOLVE MYSTERY OF DEATH**

LONDON, Jan. 6.—"I believe another generation will not have passed before the age-long mystery of death will have been solved and the existence and communion of the spirit people universally acknowledged and approved," said Sir A. Conan Doyle in a New Year's message.

**CAST OF HARD SHELL**

The church should "cast off its hard shell of doctrine" and investigate, or at least, keep an open mind toward discoveries of spiritualistic phenomena, Sir Oliver Lodge, famous British scientist, asserts in an article to be published in the next issue of Hibbert Journal, leading British philosophical quarterly.

Sir Oliver is soon to leave for the United States on a lecture tour. He criticizes vigorously the debate on spiritualism which features the Leicester church congress. The church, he says, already has discarded its old beliefs in the "fixity of eternal faith at death or in two extreme regions in the hereafter" but has not constituted for itself a new creed of equal strength.

**URGES INVESTIGATION**

The scientist recommends that the church investigate proofs of communication with spirits, adding that if "ministers really open their minds to the evidence, if they examine the proofs carefully and without prejudice, they surely will be guided in the direction of truth."

**SAYS NOT FAR AWAY**

"Our friends on the other side are not so far away from us," Sir Oliver continues. "They are removed from range of our animal sense organs, that is all. If the truth be—as it certainly is—that death makes no sudden change in personality or character, if existence is continuous and only surrounding conditions change, even that change not being so great as has been anticipated, then there is nothing especially holy or profoundly painful or even unduly solemn in the thought of communicating with the dead."

**DEFENDS OWN CASE**

Only the widespread misery of war bereavements induced him to submit to publicity in defence of

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**Give Nelson's**  
**THE CHOCOLATES THAT ARE DIFFERENT**

his belief in spiritualism, Sir Oliver says, but now every week or oftener he arranges to have bereaved persons visit anonymously a reliable medium, without giving any one the slightest information in advance.

"Invariably one communicates most by little traits," he says. "Special reminiscences give striking proof of identity of the spirits," the scientist adds, declaring his own son Raymond, who was killed in the war, maintains close touch with his family.

**'SWEARING OFF'**

The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak. Isn't it just fine that Jesus knows and appreciates the spirit of us is far superior to the "old man" of us? Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. How many of us have had big and glorious ideas of how we were going to make our lives count in this, that, and the other thing! And, behold, here we are sitting upon the cold ground with our failures rustling all about us like these dead autumn leaves. Remember that splendid resolution made last New Year's? Meant it, to every word of it. Well twelve months finds that new leaf turned over just about the same on the other side. Did you ever really try giving up something bad that had a grip on you? Rum, tobacco, or dope? When I tried to give up tobacco and "swear off" I chewed licorice root for a month, and after a while was back again, smoking harder than ever. I discovered that while I well knew the habit meant only harm to me and I wanted to quit it, the poor old flesh was too weak for the smell of a good havanna. Then I found something to put strength into the flesh, and today I rejoice in being a free man, no longer have to go out by the wagon house or barn and shiver in the cold to have my little smoke. My friends no longer say when I come in and my back is turned, "Phew, did you get a whiff of him?" As with Queen Nicotine so with King Alchy, and all the other autocrats of habit (2 Cor. 12:9; Phil. 4:13.)

**A LESSON IN CONNECTION WITH AUTOMOBILE FIRES.**

Some Motorists Don't Appreciate the Gasoline Hazard.

The following story of a motorist's carelessness with regard to using matches when handling gasoline is told in the Public Service Bulletin of Ontario.

Mr. Fred Strother was returning from Shelburne to his home at Horning's Mills after a garden party. About midway between the two places he met a man with a white car that had run out of gasoline. He very kindly offered to supply him, and as it was pitch dark he told the man he would require a light, but not to bring a match. The man, however, did not heed his warning, and the passenger with him also lighted a match with the result that Mr. Strother's tank exploded and burned his car completely up, and burned him so badly that his life was despaired of for some time. And even at this present writing, the muscles are all exposed on his right arm, the nails are burned off his hand, and he is lying in the hospital without any clothing on him on account of his serious condition all about the upper part of the body. These matches were used to give light, not to light cigarettes or cigars. You will understand that this was a rank case of thoughtlessness or carelessness on the part of these men, for they had been warned by Mr. Strother. The case is more distressing because he had just returned from overseas in May, where he had served for three years and more and had received wounds over there from which he had practically recovered.

**COST FOR FAMILY OF FIVE ESTIMATED**

BOSTON, Jan. 4th.—Lawrence, Massachusetts, is taken by the National Industrial Conference Board

**Uses of Antimony**

In Manufactured Articles

In connection with the development of the Antimony Mines at Lake George, New Brunswick, it may be interesting to our readers to know some of the uses of Antimony and its products. Few people, perhaps, are aware of the enormous quantities of this metal used in the composition and preparation of things in every day use.

Here are some of the articles:—Babbit Metals: With lead and tin. Hard Lead: Mixed with lead. Solder: and other soft metal alloys. Type Metal: 12 per cent Antimony. Rubber: Sulphur: of Antimony are indispensable to the rubber trade. 56 million pounds used yearly in United States. Collapsible Tubes as "Tinfoil" for tooth paste, shaving soaps, etc. Paints, Pigments and Enamels: White Oxide of Antimony paints are in great demand for ships bottoms, etc., being non-poisonous, impervious to action of salt or fresh water.

Silverware: Britannia Metal known as "White Metal". Glass: As a clarifier or purgative. Medicine: In Tartar Emetic, etc. Jewels: In "Antimony Glass," etc. Cloth and Paper: As coloring matter.

Matches: Without phosphorus. Lamp Shades: Yellow, opaque glass. Wool: As a macerating agent. Antiseptics: Antimony salts with Fibrocol.

Thermo Electric Couples. Antimony Next to Aluminum: Comes second in the list of most serviceable metals and fills a niche of its own, there being no substitute. 6072-1-6M41.

In estimating the annual cost of maintaining a minimum but reasonable American standard of living for a family of five persons. This is placed at \$1,385.79, or an increase since 1914 of 84 per cent. A somewhat more liberal standard for a similar family places the cost at \$1,658.04 annually. This is an increase of 80 per cent since 1914.

The total of \$1385.79 for the maintenance of a minimum standard of living in Lawrence at prices prevailing in November, 1919, was made up as follows: food, \$600.00; shelter, \$182; clothing, \$285.61; fuel, heat and light \$71.34; sundries, \$266.24. This would require a steady income of \$28.65 per week.

The more comfortable standard of living requiring \$1658.04 per year includes expenditures as follows: food, \$652.60; shelter, \$234; clothing \$340.26; fuel, heat, and light, \$37.98; sundries, \$333.20.

**SETTLEMENT OF BRITISH SERVICE MEN IN CANADA**

OTTAWA, Jan. 6.—An order in council has been passed, making provision for the settlement in Canada of former service men in Canada.

In order to ascertain the adaptability of the applicant to fit into Canadian life and make a success of farming, the soldier settlement board will establish a careful system of selection of candidates in the old country. Selection committees composed of persons especially familiar with farming conditions will hold sittings in various parts of England and Scotland. These committees will receive assistance and co-operation from the Canadian emigration office at London. They may enquire into the physical, moral, financial and other qualifications of prospective settlers and may issue certificates entitling settlers to proceed to Canada to receive training in Canadian methods of agriculture under the direction of the board. Selected candidates may receive his training by taking a course at training centre or by working with experienced farmers approved by the board, or by both methods. The length of training in Canada or candidates with little or no previous experience shall be two years more or less as may be determined; and in the case of candidates who have had considerable farming experience in Great Britain, at least one full summer must be spent on a farm in Canada. After training, candidates must appear for examination before a final qualification committee. Qualified candidates will be entitled to receive the financial benefits of the act, but shall be required to make an initial cash-down payment of twenty per cent of the purchase price of the property selected. All expenditures incurred by candidates, including the cost of migrating to Canada, and the cost of subsistence while receiving training, shall be borne by the candidate. The board gives free tuition at training centres.

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Wealth and happiness are not always on the best of terms. If a man is just as good as another he doesn't have to insist that he is.

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That great strength of mind and body, that exhaustless energy, that IRON WILL that make a famous merchant out of a humble clerk, a millionaire out of a penniless immigrant, a Lincoln out of a woodchopper—often come from red blood—rich in iron.

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