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EASTERN AGENT—Mr. J. W. Murdock is now Guardian Agent in Montague and will be pleased to receive news items, advertising, Job Printing, new and renewal subscriptions.—T.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT TO KENSINGTON BOY—News has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Higgins of Kensington that their son, George, who was working in a mill in St. John, N. B., had the misfortune to have his hand caught in a planer. His hand and wrist were so badly mangled that amputation was deemed necessary. He is at present in hospital in St. John. Neighbors and friends extend deep sympathy to the family.—K.

KENSINGTON CARNIVAL.—The first skating fancy dress carnival of the season took place at the new rink last week, and was attended by a large crowd. Many good masquerade costumes were in evidence. Quite a number of sleighing parties from Summerside and other places were present whose members gave clamor and mirth to the entertainment. The ladies prize was won by Miss Marion Kennedy who represented a "Hillside Lassie. William Gill of Summerside representing a Northwest Mountie" won the gentlemen's prize. The children's prize was won by Kenneth McFadyen who represented a highwayman of the day "John Kaitheigh was in flower." Mr. Sandy McGregor, manager of Summerside rink, who presented the prizes in his usual classy manner took the occasion to compliment the people of Kensington on their fine new rink, and gave each and every one present a cordial invitation to attend the big hockey match on Tuesday night in Summerside, between the Abegweits and Crystals. Mr. McGregor was much impressed with the carnival spirit of Kensington people. The judges of costumes were Mrs. Preston Kennedy, Tyndale Semple and Heath Downes.—K.

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SPINSTER'S PARADISE

New York city, with its headless spinster's paradise, a woman writer says, because in that big city no one cares how many years a woman can honestly count off. If there are so few her claim to spinsterhood proves she has her husband picked out, or so many she requires the aid of an adding machine no one is interested. Never is she called upon to smile while a graphophone plays a "joke piece about an old maid"; never does the dealer smile when she order for five cents' worth of provisions betokens a manless home. There is no one in her apartment in the block or in the whole city of New York who is saying of her: "I know how old she is to a day; she was born the same day as my Susie." Susie's mother may have lived next door when the spinster first opened her eyes on this disappointing existence, but in New York neighbors and friends are scattered by moving vans once a year and all knowledge of that creature is buried. If asked by her young friends to dig into her past for a reminiscence of her sweethearts days she may if she chooses, dig into her past for an acquaintance on whom she may hang a wreath of romance without hearing from some Susie's mother: "Why he was never so close with her, he scarcely knew her." Her past is all her own in New York city, to lay away in lavender and get out on suitable occasions; to laugh over it, to cry over it; to romance over it to make momentary occasions of sweet nothings. Her future is never so much her own in a small town as it is in a city like New York, owing to the criticisms and unpleasantly good memories of the mothers of Susies.

Pure Cream Stops Catarrh and Colds

Colds and catarrh yield like magic to soothing, healing antiseptic cream that penetrates through every air passage and relieves swollen, inflamed membranes of nose and throat. Your clogged nostrils right up and you can breathe freely. Hawking and snuffling stop. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist. Apply a little in the nostrils and get instant relief. Millions endorse this remedy known for more than fifty years.



Thank You! We want to express our appreciation of the patronage extended to us by our customers during the past year. We are unable to personally wish all our present and prospective clients the Season's Greetings so take this means of extending our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year. E. E. PARKMAN Optician and Optometrist Montague, P. E. I.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles E. Macdonald of Borden returned from a visit to Summerside on Friday evening.—K.

Mr. William Ready, traveler for DeBlois Bros., visited Kensington and his home in Earlington during the week-end.

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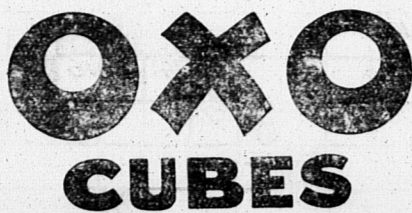
OXO The Great Beef Economy



Because OXO is good food—tastily seasoned. OXO Cubes are economical for they are full of the easily digested, body-building nutriment of the best lean beef.

Because they are not only good in themselves, but they make other foods yield more nourishment. They add variety to your cooking and enable you to convert left-overs into tasty dishes.

Because they are so convenient—ready in a moment.



Tins of 4 Cubes - 15c. 10 " - 30c.

OXO Rice Soup. A little stock made from any kind of bones. Two or three kinds of vegetables. Chopped Parsley. About a teaspoon of whole Rice. Salt and Pepper. OXO Cubes. Strain the stock and the rice, and boil it for about 30 minutes. Dissolve the OXO Cubes in a little hot water and add with the chopped parsley; simmer for a few minutes, and serve.

Send four OXO Cube wrappers to Oxo Limited, 222 Lemoine Street, Montreal, for Tommy Tomkins Painting Book for your children.

Christie's Soda Wafers. Purerst of all Pure Foods. Only the purest materials are used in Christie's Biscuits. Cleanliness is the inflexible rule throughout every department of the factory. The very best!

THE LIFE OF A "SLEEPER" Everything connected with railways is interesting. Even those ordinary-looking pieces of timber which support the rails and which fall to attract more than a casual glance from the average traveller hide beneath their rigid, unimpaired appearance an interesting life-story, writes A. Kinsley Ball, C. E. in a London paper. From Norwegian forests the tree trunks are transported to timber yards in England, where they are stacked and seasoned. Then they are taken to the saw-mills to be cut into suitable dimensions, approximately nine-feet long, ten inches broad, and five inches thick. From there the sawn pieces are carried in wagons to the railway company's "sleeper depot," where they are unloaded by means of a chute, down which they slide by their own gravity to what is known as the "adzing and boring" machine. In this machine, they are, first, "rough dressed"; then a triangular-shaped strip of small section is planned off their two upper edges; and finally, four round holes, forming a rectangle, are bored into their surface at an average distance of, approximately, two feet from their extremities. Into these holes the spikes which hold the chairs, which in turn, grip to rails, will eventually be driven. Now, the timbers are ready to undergo the process called "creosoting," and for this purpose they are lifted onto a revolving endless chain, which runs in a trough and which by means of spike projections catching their ends, carries them to the creosoting cylinder. This is made of steel and varies in capacity, a common size being 45 feet long by 60 feet in diameter, which is sufficient to hold three hundred pieces. In such a cylinder the dressed and bored pieces are laid lengthwise, one on top of another, until it is full. Then the door being shut and the cylinder thus rendered airtight, the air remaining in it is sucked out by a pumping engine and as a vacuum is formed, creosote—an oily tar liquid—contained in an adjacent tank, automatically flows into the cylinder, filling up the spaces intervening between the timbers. The creosote is then put under heavy pressure, which is continually applied until a gauge on the outside of the cylinder indicates that each piece has absorbed approximately two and a half gallons. Thus treated the original raw timbers are now serviceable as sleepers.

BLOOMFIELD CORNER SCHOOL Bloomfield Corner school class standing for the month of December: Grade VIII—Delphine Pineau; Mae Peters, Laura Horne. Grade VII—Rose Pineau, Robert LeClair, Katie Saunders. Grade V—Henry Pinan, Kenneth Horne, Albert Saunders. Grade IV—Agnes LeClair, Raymond Peters, Alfred Peters. Grade III—Laura Saunders, Martin Peters, Bert Arsenault. Grade II—Emma Peters, Grade I (a) Ethel Hunter, Celina Pineau, Joseph Peters, Grade I (b) Isidore Peters, Francis Peters, Emma Petitions. Domitien Gallant, teacher.

Tired and Worried Nervous and Despondent Mrs. M. Chevalier, Belle River, Ont., writes: "For eight years I suffered from despondency and nervousness. Sometimes I could not sleep at night for worrying and the next day I would be so tired that my work was a burden to me. I began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and can say I am now entirely relieved of the nervousness from which I used to suffer, and things do not worry me as they used to. "Dr. Chase's Ointment also relieved me of eczema on my arms, which had bothered me for three years. My house is never without Dr. Chase's Medicines." Dr. Chase's Nerve Food 60 cts. a box of 60 pills, Edmansson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto

THE TAILORED FROCK IS MADE OF NAVY REP Cloth frocks with all the charm of youthful simplicity will be in the foreground of Spring fashions. The model above chooses rep for its material, because rep lends itself admirably to the circular treatment. It is extremely light weight, and supple in texture. The back of this dress is perfectly straight of line. The front achieves the smart fullness by adding two circular cut flounces. The jabot repeats the circular treatment. The buttons are of bright

Remarkable January Sale Values Only 5 More Days of our Big Clean Sweep Sale

COMPARISON PROVES OUR VALUES ABSOLUTELY UNEQUALLED

This January we decided that all winter goods must be cleaned out regardless of cost. We therefore instituted our Big Clean Sweep Sale before stock taking, which has been going with a Bang this past week. Only this week left. Next Saturday is the last day of this Big Sale. Act now. Buy now and you save anywhere from

25 PER CENT. TO 33-1-3 OFF OUR ALREADY LOW PRICES

Compare. The More You Compare the Greater Your Satisfaction

Ladies' Dresses Less 25 Per Cent.

This includes all our stock of Fall and Winter Dresses, all the newest styles.

Ladies' Skirts Less 25 Per Cent.

All colors, plain blue, grey stripe, etc.

Ladies' Fur Collared Coats Less 33-1-3 Off

All balance of our Ladies' Fur Collared Coats must be cleaned out. They are going fast. Get one now while our Big Sale is on.

A line of Ladies' Soiled Blouses Half Price.

A line of Ladies' Dresses Half Price. A special line of Ladies' Wool Gloves \$1.00, 75c and 50c.

Ladies' Dress Goods, Silks, Flannels

We are putting in at the sale all the above new goods which we are selling at a big reduction of 25 per cent. off our already low prices.

All ladies' and children's winter Hose must be cleaned out. Our prices will do it. All less 25 per cent. discount.

All ladies' and children's Underwear offered at this sale less 25 per cent. discount.

This Winter's Most Important Clothing Announcement

Every Man's Overcoat we have must be cleaned out at a reduction of 25 per cent. off our already low prices which means that you get an Overcoat at a price that cannot be equalled let alone beaten.

Overcoats \$18.00 to \$35.00 all less 25 per cent. discount.

Suits, \$16.00 to \$38.00. All less 25 per cent. discount.

Men's Wool Underwear, worth \$1.75 per garment for \$1.00 per garment. Other lines of Wool Underwear, heavy weight, worth \$2.75 per garment for \$1.75.

Men's fleece lined Underwear, (Penman's) extra special 75c per garment.

See our special table of Men's Work Shirts for \$1.00.

Men's Grey Flannel Shirts, worth \$2.50 for \$1.50.

Other lines of Grey Flannel Shirts clearing for \$1.25.

Balance of our Men's Fall and Winter Felt Hats clearing at 20 per cent. discount.

See our special baskets of Men's Winter Caps from 75c up.

Balance of all Wool Blankets, clearing at 25 per cent. discount this week.

All lines of goods not advertised at Wholesale Prices this Week.

Bargains in Every Department Not Advertised. Wonderful Values in Ladies' and Men's Fur Coats

No Goods on Approbation. This Sale for Cash Only. Prowse Bros Ltd. The Big Bargain Centre. This Sale for Cash Only. No Goods on Approbation.

GOLD FOUND IN GLENGARRY OTTAWA, Ont. Jan. 12.—Reports of a gold strike on the 100-acre farm of Michele Boudreau, about five miles from Alexandria, in the County of Glengarry, have reached here. The farm is reported to consist of little else than great masses of rock, and it is stated that Mr. Boudreau has been working in and off for some time in sinking a mining shaft, which has now reached a depth of 45 feet. An exceptionally rich sample was forwarded to Toronto for assay, the provincial analyst's report showing the run to be about \$10.85 to the ton, but the impression is abroad that the richness of the sample would indicate that it was found in a "pocket." Other assay reports from Montreal and New York are said to have proved at around \$15 and \$20 to the ton. WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Fresh lubricating oil and refined kerosene may be salvaged from the used oil in crank cases. By agitating the used oil with a solution of sodium silicate and then distilling with steam, an oil may be recovered which compares favorably with new lubricant, F. H. Rhodes and H. J. Haon, Jr., of Cornell University announce in the coming issue of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry. Because the salvaged oil has been heated to such a high temperature it is even better for use than fresh oil for automobiles as it is not so early cracked. The residue could then be blended with naphtha or casinghead gasoline and be used either as a motor fuel or as kerosene. Wet the ashes you put on ice on sidewalks so they will not blow away. Have a bunch of chives and they growing in pots in the window during the winter. They are a delicious addition to potato or lettuce salad, and fine for spring soup or hash. They may be chopped fine. A teaspoonful enough for a salad. THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY THE RAPID THERAPION FOR SKIN DISEASES. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.