

**Local and Other Items.**

**TEA AT LOT 65.**—Next Monday, Aug. 15th, is the date of the Lot 65 Tea. The committee are doing everything in their power to make the day an enjoyable one for all who attend. All of the customary amusements will be provided and anyone wishing to spend a day in the country should endeavour to attend.

**FARM LABORERS WANTED IN THE CANADIAN NORTH WEST.**—Arrangements have been made for the sale of one way second class tickets, on Tuesday August 16th, only, to points in Manitoba or Assinaboia to and including Moosejaw, Estevan, Binscarth and Winnipegosis at rate of \$14.00 each. With each ticket will be given a certificate which when filled out by a farmer to show that holder has worked with him at least one month, will entitle him to purchase a return ticket on or before November 16th at rate of \$14.00 each. Tickets are sold via St. John, N B and the Canadian Pacific all-rail line only.

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**AFTER SMUGGLER'S.**—A Port Hawksbury de-patch says: Inspector Jones of the cruiser Stanley was at White Haven on Saturday with an armed boat crew to search the village for a large quantity of liquor landed there a few days before, but without success. He subsequently seized the schooner Minnie J owned by the Monroe family, for having brought the contraband goods, and towed her to Canso for safe keeping. White Haven has the reputation of being the smugglers' paradise. Although a strong guard was placed on the seized schooner an effort was made by parties from the shore to recapture her during the night.

Tent pins are mostly made of white oak. They must be of tough wood to stand the hard knocks to which they are subjected. They are made in lengths of 16 and 24 inches. Made of hard wood as they are they are yet liable to be broken, and they are also lost. Even in peace the consumption of tent pins is considerable. A manufacturer of tents might carry in stock 5,000 or 10,000 tent pins. In war times the demand is of course far greater. Like many other manufactured articles of wood, tent pins are made in the west, in factories in proximity to the forests whence the supplies of wood are drawn.—New York Sun.

**Piles Cured without the Knife** by Dr A.W. Chase's Ointment.

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**MERCURY AND VENUS.**

Astronomers generally now admit that the more recent studies of the planets Mercury and Venus tend to confirm Schiaparelli's opinion, advanced some years ago, that both of them turn on their axes once while revolving about the sun. This, however, is a very difficult point to settle with certainty, the reason given for this being, and very plausibly, that the evidence rests upon observation of the exceedingly faint markings upon the disks of the planets, the fact being that very few astronomers have ever seen them at all with distinctness, and only those who have made a most persistent study of them and are favored with vision especially sensitive to such details are competent to express an opinion as to their correct interpretation.

It is argued that if, as held by some, the rotation and revolution periods are the same be a correct opinion, then the climatic conditions of the two planets must be most remarkable. Furthermore, our moon always shows the same face to the earth and no knowledge exists of the hidden part, nor have the supposed inhabitants of that concealed hemisphere ever seen the earth. This, however, is of no importance to them, as the earth is not the source of light, heat and life on the moon. All parts of the moon are brought under the sun's influence just as all parts of the earth, though the day and night are 14 times as long as on the earth. But how it must be on a planet which has one side only exposed to the sun, astronomers can give no answer.—Exchange.

That popular institution the Charlottetown Business College and Writing Academy, of which Mr. L. B. Miller is the Principal, re-opens for the fall session on the 15th inst., with the prospect of a large attendance of pupils. We can confidently recommend this College to those of our young people who wish to acquire a thorough and practical knowledge of bookkeeping and all other branches of a complete business course, as the instruction imparted by Mr. Miller and his staff is of the highest character, and the graduates have been wonderfully successful wherever they have gone. They are sought after by business men as bookkeepers, stenographers and typewriters, and to fill various other positions in mercantile offices. Out of the seventy-eight students in the College last term, for instance, only five are at present unemployed, the rest are going to Messrs. N. & B. Kattenbury, in the person of Mr. Bollum, of Lot 48. Of the five above referred to, three do not desire employment, although they took the commercial course. This shows that graduates from the Charlottetown Business College experience no difficulty in securing situations. Messrs. Rattenbury, above named, advertised for a man, and had a great many applications, but none of them proved satisfactory, and they afterwards went to Principal Miller and asked him for a man. Mr. Miller sent them Mr. Bollum, who gives great satisfaction, his training having fitted him for the work required of him. If you want your sons or daughters to receive a thorough business education, send them to the Charlottetown Business College, where they will secure it in good shape.—S'side Journal.

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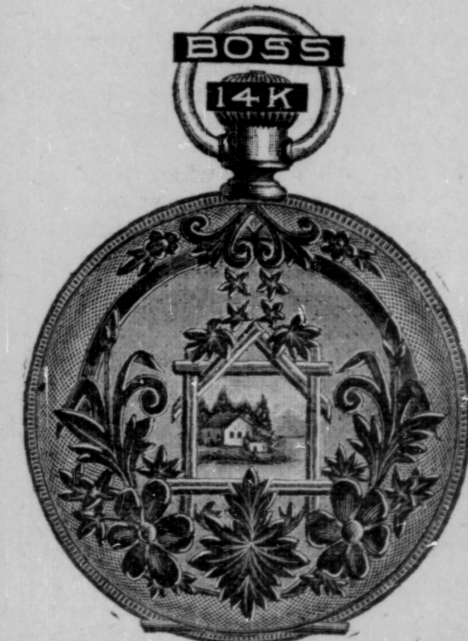
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