

Local and General News

ECLIPSE OF THE SUN

IN JANUARY
An eclipse of the sun which will be ninety-five per cent. visible in Montreal will take place between 9.08 a.m. and 10.37 a.m. January 4th next.

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FREE SCHOOL BOOKS
Speaking at a political meeting last week in Moncton, Premier Venot said that he hoped to have school books provided free for pupils in the primary grades with in a year.

SALE OF CAMP SITE
At the Department of Lands and Mines last Thursday morning a camp site in the Parish of Blissfield, Northumberland County, north side of Cain's River near the road to Doaktown, was sold to Wm. M. Murray, at the upset price of \$11. The site comprises two acres.

NAVIGATION ABOUT OVER
The Steamer "Max Aitken" was obliged to discontinue her trips to Redbank last week, owing to ice in the river. Navigation for this season is about to an end and preparations are now being made to have the steamers hauled out and laid up for the winter months.

Watch Out For Fire! See "The Ninety and nine at Opera House, December 8th and 9th."

FIVE APPLICATIONS RECEIVED
The time for receiving applications for the position of assistant inspector of customs and excise for District No. 3A, New Brunswick closed on Monday. Five applications were received from Bathurst, Newcastle and St. John, and they were forwarded by the Inspector John McDonald Jr., to the Civil Service Commission, Ottawa on Tuesday.

SHIPPED LIVE FOXES
On Monday two carloads of live silver foxes were shipped by express from Summerside by Mr. B. Graham Roger, of Summerside, and Messrs. Milligan & Morrison, of Northern, to replenish the breeding stock in various U.S. and Canadian ranches. This was the largest shipment yet made from the Island at one time.

BATTERY CAR ON SERVICE
The Battery Car, which the C.N.R. have contemplated for some time placing in service between Newcastle and Chatham, made its first trip between the two towns yesterday. It is a little early yet to ascertain whether or not the passengers are satisfied with the service, but time will tell and we will probably hear more about this mode of transportation later on.

CHARGED WITH VAGRANCY
Two young women who left St. Stephen some time ago, were arrested here on Tuesday evening and were brought before Magistrate Demers Wednesday morning, charged with vagrancy and with having no viable means of support. They were remanded for a week, pending investigation, and are lodged in the county jail here.

BOARD OF TRADE
Each month we read the following notice in the Chatham newspapers: "The Board of Trade monthly meeting will be held in the Town Hall on _____ evening, _____ at 8 o'clock." You never read such a notice in the Newcastle papers. Naturally you ask the question WHY? That's what many others in this town would like to know.

INSPECTED ARTILLERY
The 90th Field Battery, C.F.A. Major H.H. Ritchie, O.C., was inspected last week by Captain Bishop. The inspection was satisfactory, in all respects, but the results will not be known until later.

RECEPTION
Mrs. E. LeBaron Stears and Mrs. C. Wallace Smallwood, (nee Sadie Smallwood and Christine MacLeod) were at home to their friends Friday afternoon from 4 to 6, at the former's home, 83 Steadman Street, Moncton.

A.W. COVEY RESIGNS
A.W. Covey for five years president of the M.P.B.A.A.U. of C. has announced his retirement from Maritime athletic service. He has been succeeded by A.C. Millie of Halifax former vice president who defeated S.F. Doyle of Charlottetown in the vote.

Xmas Cards, Seals, Tags and Calendars now on display, shop early WELDON & CO.

CHRISTMAS MAILS FOR OVERSEAS
Parcels and other mail matter for delivery in European countries, before Christmas should be mailed at as early a date as possible, preferably within the next two weeks and at the very latest to connect with the steamer "Minnedosa" sailing from St. John on December 10th.

ENJOYABLE BRIDGE
The Lord Beaverbrook Chapter of the I.O.D.E held a bridge last Tuesday evening in the Court House. A number of tables was filled by Chatham devotees of the game as well as many from Newcastle and other points. The prize winners for the evening were Mr. A.L. Barry, Mr. Clark, Mrs. J.P. King and Mrs. P.R. Giberson.

MUST NOT OPEN COFFINS
Notices have been sent out to all undertakers and sub-district Boards of Health forbidding the opening of coffins brought from Los Angeles, irrespective of the cause of death. This order has been issued to guard against the possibility of pneumonic plague being introduced here.

THE CHILDREN'S DELIGHT
The storm of last week filled the children with delight. Enough snow fell to permit them to use sleds and they took full advantage of the opportunity to coast. We are pleased to see the children enjoy themselves but at the same time we must of necessity warn them of the danger to themselves and others.

A GAY TOWN
New York has nothing on Newcastle, (excepting size) in the way of amusement in the evening. One night last week there was a dance in the town hall, a public card party in the Court House, a special picture attraction at the Empress Theatre, a company playing at the Opera House and a meeting of the North Shore Hockey League. Can you beat that for a small town? This week there will be benefit nights for the Memorial Hospital in the Opera House with a special picture and during four nights the Mae Edwards Players will be engaged at the Empress Theatre. This kind of thing, certainly does not appear as if there were any hard times in this section, but there is a long hard winter before us and it is just possible that we will be obliged to pay up for all the present gaiety.

"The Ninety and Nine" at Opera House, Dec. 8th and 9th.

NORTH SHORE BONSPILL
The North Shore Bonspiel will be held at Campbellton in February.

MILK LICENSES
All milk vendors whether owning cows or not must now take out a license to do business, and to get this license application must be made to the Secretary of the Board of Health, H.D. Morris. Cattle owners in order to get a license to sell milk must show a clean bill of health for the milk producers. In other words a certificate that their cows have been examined and are free from tuberculosis.

MILITARY EXAMINATIONS
Col W.B. Anderson, C.M.G., D.S.O. and Lt-Col. Sparling, D.S.O. of St. John, inspected the 90th Battery, 12th Brigade, C.F.A. here in the armory on Wednesday night and Thursday, after six weeks of local training; classes being held three nights each week.

The examination was in gun-firing with tests also for officers. Captain Bishop, R.C.A. of the permanent staff, Halifax, conducted the examinations for signallers. H.H. Ritchie is the O.C. of the Battery.

ELECTION OF RECTOR
At a meeting of the parishioners of the Anglican parish of Hardwick and Bay du Vin for the purpose of electing a rector as a successor to the Rev. Craig Nichols who has recently moved to the United States, a call was, unanimously extended to the Rev. P.J.E. Haslam of Petticoat. Mr. Haslam who has been at Petticoat for two years, and who was formerly curate under the Rev. R. Taylor McKim at St. Mary's church, St. John has accepted the call and enters upon his new duties December 5th.

N. B. MILITIA CHANGES
Militia orders gazetted recently contain the following, affecting the New Brunswick District, Canadian Field Artillery, 12th Brigade, 90th Newcastle Battery: The name of Major J. L. Lawlor is removed from the list of officers of the Active Militia. 24 Sept. 1924. Prov. Lt. (supp) J. C. Webster is permitted to retire. To be Prov. Lt. (supp) Geo. Gordon MacKay; 10 Sept. 1924. Lieut. (supp) J. Reginald Henry; Prov. Lts. (supp) S. Joseph Campbell and Charles D. Dickison are absorbed into the establishment.



This Lizzie Has Her Colds "Rubbed Away"
The mother of this attractive little girl, Mrs. E. E. Emmans, of 215 Seventh Ave., N. E., Portage La Prairie, Man., is one of the many Canadian mothers who are enthusiastic about the vaporizing salve, Vicks VapoRub, for treating children's colds. Mrs. Emmans writes: "My little girl had croup at night pretty badly and Vicks did her a lot of good. I have also used it with very satisfactory results for head and chest colds."
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