

Local and General News.

ARBOR DAY

Friday, May 12th, has been appointed Arbor Day for the public schools of this section of the province by Inspector P. G. McFarlane.

FLOCK OF GEESE

A large flock of geese passed over Newcastle last Wednesday afternoon headed north from the south. This is the first seen this season.

RUMMAGE SALE

The Catholic Ladies' Club held a most successful Rummage Sale last Thursday, at which many useful articles were disposed of at reasonable prices. The proceeds amounted to \$75.

NEW BUILDINGS

Mr. Burton Somers has completed the erection of a store for Mr. E. E. Benson in the upper section of the town, and is now engaged building a residence for Mr. A. Beaumont Williston above the C. N. R. track.

OPERA HOUSE

Exceptionally good pictures are being shown at the Opera House every night and they are only to be seen to be appreciated. A schedule of master plays have been booked for the month of May and patrons are assured the best in pictures that it is possible to procure.

SWIM TO HANG ON JULY 15

Woodstock, N. B., April 28—Chief Justice McKeown at 12.45 today sentenced Bennie Swim to be hanged on July 15th between the hours of 5 in the morning and 5 in the evening, for the murder of Olive Trenholm on March 27th. In pronouncing sentence the Judge was very much affected. Swim maintained the same calm demeanor that has characterized him all through the trial.

OLD TIME LEGISLATORS

The death of Senator Thompson reduces the number of surviving members elected to the House of Assembly in the year 1878 to two. The only ones now remaining are Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Police Magistrate of St. John and Mr. A. E. Kellala of Moncton. Of the members returned in 1882 seven are still in the land of the living. They are Mr. W. L. Tibbits of Fredericton, Hon. R. J. Ritchie of St. John, Hon. J. P. Burchill and W. A. Park of Northumberland, Mr. George Hibbard of Charlotte and Hon. C. H. LaBilliois of Dalhousie.

REMOVALS

Mr. H. W. Sharpe, service manager of automobile branch of The Lounsbury Co. Ltd., Newcastle, has been promoted to service manager of the Lounsbury Motor and Supply Co., Moncton and leaves this week for Moncton to take up his new duties. Newcastle friends of Mr. Sharpe especially automobile owners will be sorry to hear of his removal, but will be pleased to know that it is in the line of promotion.

Mr. J. R. Wood of the head office staff, of the Lounsbury Co. Ltd. has been transferred to Moncton and will take up his duties as Treasurer of the Lounsbury Motor and Supply Co. this week. Mr. Wood will also be missed among the younger people of the town, but while regretting his removal will be pleased to hear of his promotion.

SPARKLE!
A good tea sparkles as it pours, creams as it cools. That's typical of the youngest tea on the market.
Blue Bird
TEA
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STR. "MAX AITKEN"

The Str. "Max Aitken" commenced running between Newcastle and Red bank on Thursday of last week.

CLEAN UP DAY

Thursday, May 10th is Clean Up Day in Newcastle and all persons are requested to have their premises cleaned up on or before that day.

BASKET BALL

The Newcastle C. G. I. T. Basketball team will play the Girls of the Campbellton High School in the Temperance Hall, Newcastle on Friday, May 5th.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bryenton of Quarryville wish to thank their friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown during their recent sad bereavement.

NICK CARTER A SUICIDE

New York, April 27—Frederick Van Rensselaer Dey, said to have been the creator of Nick Carter, the American Sherlock Holmes, committed suicide by shooting himself in his hotel room.

AFTERNOON TEA

Remember the date Friday, May 5th, A sale of Plain Sewing of children's rompers, dresses, boys blouses, Ladies lingerie. In the basement of the Methodist Church. Doors open at 3 o'clock. Afternoon tea will be served at 4 o'clock 25cts. 18-0-pd.

RECOMMENDS MONCTON

The Secretary of the Fredericton Board of Trade has received a communication to effect that the St. John Board of Trade has placed itself on record as recommending that Moncton remain headquarters of the Maritime division of the C. N. R. The St. John Board of Trade also approves decentralization of management.

PROTEST

Ald. Cripps of Chatham has filed a protest against Ald. Sproul's election in the recent civic contest. He bases his protest on the ground that Ald. Sproul's taxes were not paid at the time nominations closed and also because he is a part owner and manager of the steam ferry, whose rates and time table are made up by the Town Council and which receives a subsidy from the town.

HISTORIC HOUSE BURNED

One of the oldest houses on the Miramichi was burned Tuesday night at Nordin. It was owned by Larry Doyle and occupied by two families, Allen and John Ryan. The fire originated from an overheated stove. The house was entirely destroyed with all its contents. This house survived the Miramichi fire of 1825. It was built by Rev. Mr. Urquhart, an Episcopal clergyman. The family residing in the house at the time of the Miramichi fire are said to have taken refuge on a raft in the river and were drowned.

RADIO COMPANY INCORPORATED

Letters patent have been granted to Col. J. L. McAvity, Col. A. E. Massie, Ronald A. Massie, Kenneth L. White and Philip S. Moore, of St. John, incorporating them as the Maritime Radio Corporation, Ltd. The company is authorized under the charter to manufacture and sell radio parts, equipment and appliances. It may also operate under license a radio and wireless station in this province, both receiving and sending. Other powers permit it to engage in the radio business in all its branches. The capital stock is \$24,000. It is understood that the plant for the manufacture of radio parts is now ready for business in Col. McAvity's foundry and machine shop, Albion street. Col. McAvity and Donald A. Massie are at present in New York in connection with the business.

NOTICE

The regular monthly meeting of the Newcastle Board of Trade will be held in the Police Magistrate's Office on Monday, May 8th, at 8 o'clock p. m. H. H. RITCHIE, Sec'y.

FEDERAL INCOME TAX

The period for the payment of the Federal income tax expired on Sunday, April 30th. The Inspector of Taxation at St. John had extra staffs put on to handle the payments.

COMING

Commissioner Sowton, head of the Salvation Army in Canada, accompanied by Colonel Adby, the famous soloist are to be in Newcastle on June 8th, and Captain Goodwin of the local corps is busy making the necessary arrangements for the visit.

26TH BATTALION COLORS

The colors of the 26th N. B. Batt. C. E. F. will be laid to rest in Trinity Church, St. John, next Sunday morning. Every ex-member of the battalion is requested to be present for the ceremony and will parade at the Armories at 9.30 o'clock that morning.

SELF-DENIAL

Captain and Mrs. J. A. Goodwin started this morning on their energetic canvass for the Self-Denial Appeal in Newcastle. The Captain has been most successful in other parts of the county and expects Newcastle to give him his desired quota.

PARIS TRIAL

The Paris trial is likely to continue until Thursday of this week. The Truro witnesses have testified that the accused was in Truro on the day the murder was committed. The Cross-examination of the prisoner has been ended and the defence, it is stated, has about nine more witnesses to put on the stand.

NO QUORUM

The special meeting of the Chatham Town Council to be held on Saturday evening, to consider Ald. Cripps protest against Ald. Sproul's election, failed to materialize, on account of there being no quorum. The Mayor was sick and three aldermen were also absent. It is understood, however, that the charges have largely petered out after being subjected to careful consideration.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad and loving memory of Mrs. E. S. Yye, who fell asleep in Jesus, on April 23rd, 1919, also her daughter, Mrs. Allan Johnson, who died May 8, 1916.

"When the weary ones we love
Enter on their rest above,
When their words of love and cheer,
Fall no longer on our ear,
Hush! be every murmur dumb
It is only "Till He come."

THE FAMILY

Blackville.

GOT MONEY BY RADIO

New York, April 26—The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company today announced that arrangements had been made with the London Joint City and Midland-Bank Ltd., so that wireless payments may be made at any time to passengers en route on board the Cunard liners Mauretania, Aquitania and Berengaria. Through the branch banks on board, passengers may also order payments made to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company to persons in this country.

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SOLD PULPWOOD

Peter Archer sold some pulpwood at auction on Saturday, in front of the Chatham Post Office and received \$4.30 per cord. The buyer was Wm Whalen.

GIVEN IMPORTANT POST

R. G. Muirhead, lately acting manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Paris, has been appointed manager of the Trust Company of Cuba, which is controlled by interests closely allied to the Royal Bank. Mr. Muirhead is a Miramichi man and well known in St. John. He entered the Royal Bank here and was in their employ in St. John for about three years, after which he went west and was in their employ for some time. During the war he went overseas and saw much service. Just prior to going overseas he was associated with F. B. McCurdy & Co. and G. W. Farrell & Co.

TO SEVER CONNECTION

Chief of Police W. H. Finley of Fredericton, formerly of Newcastle, will soon sever his connection with the Fredericton Department. Sergeant N. Jones will immediately take charge of the police force, and no chief will be appointed at present.

CARIBOU COMING BACK

Mr. Henry Braithwaite, the veteran game warden, who returned on Saturday from the Miramichi woods, says that there is every reason for believing that caribou are making their way back to the province. He says that one of his men while out trapping on the North branch of the Little South west Miramichi late in March came on to the tracks of quite a few large herd of the animals. It is several years since any sign of caribou were last seen in that section of the country but they were very plentiful there in the old days.

USED DRAG

The Public Works Committee did some good work on the roads last week with the drag. The roads were in excellent shape for this class of work.

SALVATION ARMY

Tuesday, May 9th

AT
The Salvation Army Hall,
Young People's Demonstration,
Musical Drills,
Recitations,
Dialogues, etc.

(Hear the Junior Boys Glee Band)

Admission, Adults..... 15c

Children..... 10c

Spring Specials

Special Prices for the Builder or Contractor.

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Nails, Cement, Hardware, Plaster, Lime, Tarred and Dry Sheathing Paper, Roofing Paper, Asphalt Shingles, Beaver Board, White Lead, Paint Oil, Ready Mixed Paints, Glass, Putty, Zinc, Bar Iron, Pipe, Rope, Etc.

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Jelly Powder all flavors per pkg..... 10c	3 Cans Pears..... 1.00
Extra Fine Prunes per lb..... 15, 20, 30c	Cooking Butter per lb..... 30c
Seeded Raisins 15 oz. pkg..... 25c	Choice Dairy Butter per lb..... 40c
Seedless Raisins 11 oz. pkg..... 25c	Creamery Butter per lb..... 50c
Choice Cooking Figs per lb..... 20c	Moca & Java Coffee per lb..... 50c
14 lb. Granulated Sugar..... 1.00	Pure Cocoa in Bulk per lb..... 20c
14 Cakes Surprise Soap..... 1.00	Blue Nose Tea in Bulk per lb..... 50c

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