

Local and General News.

A BUSY WEEK

The committee on "rumors" had a busy week.

SUCCESSFUL SALE

The Rummage Sale held last Saturday in the Brander Bldg. by the Miramichi Hospital Aid was most successful in every particular.

HAS BOUGHT "WORLD"

Announcement is made that R. W. Ferguson has purchased "The World" newspaper formerly owned and published by the late J.L. Stewart of Chatham.

SPEEDING

Some of our motorists exceed the speed limit too frequently at the intersection of streets. Last week a serious collision was narrowly averted and had these cars come together at the speed they were travelling it would have been a serious matter for occupants of both cars.

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BAD STATE OF AFFAIRS

It is a bad state of affairs when men shrink from holding local office. It is such a thankless task that to fill a public office is to make a distinct sacrifice. There must be a new view-point on the part of the electorate.

CHARGE INTEREST

Some eager citizens pay taxes not overdue and get a rebate. At the other end of the line are people who are not keen to pay tax bills that have been piling up in arrears. As a measure of justice to those who pay promptly delinquents should be charged interest.

TEAM WORK

Team work is the one great thing of which Newcastle cannot boast at the present time. We do not work as a unit. A pulling mule can't kick and a kicking mule can't pull. If we would all "get together" and pull our weight in the boat things would soon be on the upgrade here in Newcastle and it surely is time we changed our direction.

TOURIST CAMPS

The necessity for providing camping grounds for tourists is being recognized more generally, for many motorists prefer this kind of accommodation to that of hotels or boarding houses.

North Vancouver, B.C. is to have quite an extensive one ready this season, which will occupy about seven acres; have water service and accommodation for seventy-five cars.

THE AUTO MENACE

Parents—else some of you keep a more watchful eye over your two to four some careless motorist is almost certain to run down these children. It is not always for the need of a proper play ground that the little ones are to be found rolling hoops; playing ball etc. on the streets. It is unreasonable to expect the police to wholly correct this error—the parents must assist to a worthwhile degree.

Thousands of School Children need NATURE'S RARE GIFT From Norway's Seas SCOTT'S EMULSION This Strength-maker.

CLEAN UP DAY

Wednesday May 14th has been appointed "Clean Up" Day for Newcastle. See. advt. elsewhere in this issue

NURSES' HOME

Messrs. Duffy and McCarthy a Moncton firm of plumbers and steam fitters have been awarded the contract for the plumbing in the new Nurses' Home in connection with the Miramichi Hospital.

FIRE ALARM

The Fire Company was given a run last Wednesday afternoon for a fire in a barn belonging to Mr Isaac Mitchell in the rear of his Meat and Grocery Store. The building was an old one and was a complete mass of flames when the Fire Company arrived but was soon extinguished.

There are teas and teas; there are even other Orange Pekoe teas than MORSE'S but do not forget that MORSE'S SELECTED ORANGE PEKOE is the original Orange Pekoe and that there is no substitute for it which equals it either in flavor or the number of cups to the pound.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

A local merchant is quoted as saying—"When a duck lays an egg she just waddles off as if nothing had happened. When a hen lays an egg there's a whale of a noise hence the demand for hen's eggs." Moral—It pays to advertise.

AFTERNOON TEA

The teaching staff of Harkins' Academy gave another of their delightful afternoon teas in the Assembly Hall last Thursday afternoon. Despite the disagreeable weather the attendance was large and those present enjoyed a delicious repast.

IN MEMORIAM

In sad and loving memory of Mrs. E.S. Vye wife of E.S. Vye who died April 23 1919, also Mrs. A. Johnson wife of Allan Johnson, a daughter of E.S. Vye who died May 8th 1916. Not dead to those who loved them; Not lost, but gone before; They live with us in memory still And will for ever more. The Family, Blackville; N.B. 20—0—Pd.

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The Stepping Stones

Community pride leads to community progress. Community spirit leads to an intelligent tackling of the problems of the district; and out of the present discouraging conditions no appreciable degree of success can be builded without recognition of the fact that the law of self-preservation applies with greatest force to the individual and his family next to the community and then only to the industry as a whole.

TRANSFERRED TO MONTREAL

Mr. E.A. Ryder, the popular C.N.R. Freight Clerk has received notice of his transfer to Montreal Que. He leaves in two week's time to take up his new duties which are in the way of promotion. While Mr. Ryder's many friends in Newcastle will regret to hear of his leaving town they will be pleased to hear of his well merited promotion and success and wish both Mr. and Mrs. Ryder much happiness and prosperity in their new home.

OUR FIRST DUTY

One weakness in farmers' organizations is their ambition to correct things provincially or nationally before the spirit of the community or district is right. If we had sufficient "District Builders" we would have strong provincial and national organizations. In the end we have to fall back on the old admonition to first put our own house in order.

MIRAMICHI BALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE

A meeting of the Miramichi Baseball League was held in the town hall Chatham Friday evening. C.J. Morrissy, M.L.A.; of Newcastle; acted as chairman. Delegates were present from Newcastle; Nelson; Loggieville and Chatham. Douglas-town is not plying a team in the league this season.

A request from Richibucto asking representation in the league was refused because of the distance from the other towns. It was decided that all teams must send the names of players to the secretary before May 15th. The meeting adjourned until Tuesday; May 20th; when further business will be transacted. The opening games of the league will be played on May 26 when Loggieville plays in Newcastle and Nelson in Chatham.

The full schedule is as follows:

- May 26—Loggieville at Newcastle
- May 26—Nelson at Chatham
- May 29—Chatham at Loggieville
- May 29—Newcastle at Nelson
- June 2—Newcastle at Chatham
- June 2—Loggieville at Nelson
- June 5—Chatham at Newcastle
- June 5—Nelson at Loggieville
- June 9—Newcastle at Loggieville
- June 9—Chatham at Nelson
- June 12—Loggieville at Chatham
- June 12—Nelson at Newcastle
- June 16—Loggieville at Newcastle
- June 16—Nelson at Chatham
- June 19—Chatham at Loggieville
- June 19—Newcastle at Nelson
- June 23—Newcastle at Chatham
- June 23—Loggieville at Nelson
- June 26—Chatham at Newcastle
- June 26—Nelson at Loggieville
- June 30—Newcastle at Loggieville
- June 30—Chatham at Nelson
- July 3—Loggieville at Chatham
- July 3—Nelson at Newcastle
- July 7—Loggieville at Newcastle
- July 7—Nelson at Chatham
- July 10—Chatham at Loggieville
- July 10—Newcastle at Nelson
- July 14—Loggieville at Chatham
- July 17—Chatham at Newcastle
- July 17—Nelson at Loggieville
- July 21—Newcastle at Loggieville
- July 21—Chatham at Nelson
- July 24—Loggieville at Chatham
- July 24—Nelson at Newcastle

Clean-Up Day

Clean Up Day for Newcastle will be held on **Wednesday May 14th.**

All residents and citizens are kindly requested to take notice of the above date and do all in their power to have their premises cleaned up on or before May 14. Refuse placed in the ditch or on the side of the road piled up or in receptacles fronting premises, will be taken care of by the Public Works Department. All are requested to give a helping hand.

John Russell
Chairman Public Works Committee

MASS MEETING HELD IN OPERA HOUSE

A mass meeting was held last Sunday evening after the regular church services, in the Opera House in the interests of the Halifax Blind School. His Worship Mayor D.S. Creaghan opened the meeting and with him on the platform were Rev. L.H. MacLean and Rev. A. W. Brown. The Opera House was filled to its capacity and the large audience was greatly interested in the address and films through which was depicted the great work done among those who have been so unfortunate to be afflicted with blindness. The meeting was opened by the singing of "O Canada" accompanied by the Methodist Church Orchestra.

Mr. J.F. Down gave an excellent address on the needs of educating the blind; after which 1000 feet of film was shown describing the methods used in this great work. Mr. John Peterson, a former graduate of the school; delighted the large audience with music and singing which was much appreciated and commented on. A silver collection was taken up to defray expenses and later on a drive for funds will be inaugurated for the very pressing needs of the institution.

How to Prevent Biliousness

Doctors warn against remedies containing powerful drugs and alcohol. "The Extract of Roots, long known as Mother Siga's Curative Syrup, has no dope or strong ingredients; it chases away indigestion, biliousness and constipation. Can be had at any drug store." Get the genuine.



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