

# Local and General News.

## ISSUE LATE

Owing to the break in the Water Main which occurred on Tuesday we have been delayed with this week's issue on account of having no power.

## RIVER ICE WEAK

The ice in the river opposite Newcastle is beginning to look very weak, and will very soon be breaking up.

## CANDY SALE

The ladies of the Methodist Church held a Home Made Candy Sale last Saturday afternoon in the vestry of the church. The sale was most successful.

## FIRE ALARM

A Fire Alarm was sent in Monday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock for a small fire on the roof of Mr. John McCormack's residence, King's Highway. The blaze was soon extinguished on arrival of the Fire Department.

## TEMPERANCE MEETING

A meeting of temperance supporters was held last Sunday evening in the Baptist Church, Rev. W. D. Wilson, Chief Inspector, was in attendance and matters pertaining to temperance were fully discussed.

## BILLS AGREED TO

In the Legislature on Friday a bill to amend the Act to incorporate the Miramichi Hospital was agreed to, also a bill to authorize the Board of School Trustees of the Town of Chatham to issue debentures with an amendment.

## BACK TO SCHOOL

The town schools opened Wednesday after the Easter vacation and student pupils and teachers will now settle down to the long grind in preparation for June and exams. "Ah boy that grand and glorious feeling" that comes when one can slam the cover of the desk down with a bang and walk out into the sunshine, June breezes, a blue sky and the long Summer holidays.

## ANNIVERSARY OF VIMY RIDGE

Last Friday, April 9th was the third anniversary of the Vimy Ridge engagement in which the Canadian troops played such a prominent part and particularly the 28th, New Brunswick Battalion, which later on in the same week penetrated to the deepest point in the German lines attained by the British advance at that time. The casualties among the officers of the battalion in the Vimy "show", were—Lieut. Mullaney Killed; Capt. Shand and Lieut. Murray, Keswick and Frank Armstrong wounded.

## LITERARY NOTES

The Derby Literary Club held its usual session on Thursday April 1st at the Parsonage.

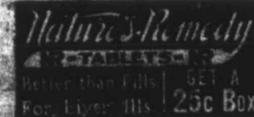
At a recent meeting it was decided that a more detailed study of some of the poets would be profitable, and in pursuance of this plan the study of "Longfellow" was further continued by a reading with explanatory notes from the "Tales of the Wayside Inn". The reader was Rev. E. Rowlands and all pronounced it very enjoyable. We intend to continue this study next week.

Among the different Queries produced from the Question Box were the following—What is the origin of April Fools Day? Why are dogs teeth always so white? What is the cause of the "Aurora Borealis" and what is the weight of the earth? These and many other similar questions keep our mental machinery active.

## Billious? Take NR Tonight

Nature's Remedy is Better and Safer Than Colman's. Cleans Out system Without Gripping. Stops Sick Headaches. Guaranteed.

Billious attacks, constipation, sick headaches, etc., are in the great majority of cases due to digestive trouble and no reasonable person can expect to obtain real or lasting benefits until the cause is corrected. Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is a vegetable compound that acts on the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys, the purpose being to bring about healthy and harmonious action of all the organs of digestion and elimination. It acts promptly and thoroughly, yet so mildly and gently that there is never the slightest gripping or discomfort. But that is not all. Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) have a beneficial effect upon the entire body. By improving the process of digestion and assimilation, the nourishment derived from food, the blood quality is enriched, vitality is increased and the whole system strengthened. Once you are your body in this splendid condition, you need not take medicine every day—just take an NR Tablet occasionally when indigestion, biliousness and constipation threaten, and you can always feel your best. Remember, however, that it is better to "keep than get well." Get a 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and try it. It is sold everywhere and recommended by your druggist.



## Safe And Efficient Home Treatment

Many Weak and Ailing People Who Have Been Helped Strongly Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

There is only one way to build up a run down system if the blood is pale and thin. Many diseases are caused by thin blood. Other diseases such as influenza and rheumatism cause the blood to become thin and the wasting effect of these disorders cannot be combated successfully until the blood is restored to its normal condition.

Pallor, nervousness, indigestion, sleeplessness, headaches, dizzy spells, shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, these are a few of the symptoms of an anaemic bloodless condition. Some of them are not naturally associated with thin blood, but the quickest way to overcome them is to make the blood rich and red.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do one thing and do it well. They build up the blood increasing the number of red corpuscles. As this is done the blood becomes a richer red and is able to carry more oxygen, the great supporter of human life. As the blood improves in quality the tissues of the body are better nourished and the functions of the body are better performed. The glands of the stomach are stimulated and the first sign of improvement is usually a better appetite and better digestion.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been used for years as a bloodmaking tonic and system builder with such good results that in every community there are many people who are recommending this remedy to their friends and to others who are afflicted.

Here is the statement of one person among thousands who have used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to their own great advantage. Mrs. A. Veniot, Hemford, N. S., says:—"For about two years I was a great sufferer from indigestion, which seemed to carry with it a complication of other troubles. Every meal I took brought with it misery, as it was followed by pain, and sometimes nausea and vomiting. At other times gas would form in the stomach to such an extent that my heart would palpitate at an alarming rate. These conditions and irritability and I found my general health so much affected, that the least exertion would tire me and I slept but poorly. I had been doctoring for several months with no result beyond slight temporary relief, when I was advised by a friend to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I decided to follow this advice and got a half a dozen boxes. Good results soon began to appear from this treatment and the further continued use of the pills have made me a well woman. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to similar sufferers.

The purpose of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is to build up the blood. They do this one thing and they do it well. They are an invaluable remedy in diseases arising from bad or deficient blood, as rheumatism, neuralgia, after effects of the grip and fever. The pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drug and cannot injure the most delicate system.

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## MIRAMICHI HYDRO BILL IS CONSIDERED

The Corporation Committee of the New Brunswick Legislature Friday morning considered the bill relating to the Miramichi Light Heat and Power Company which is desirous of developing electrical energy at White Rapids near Blackville on the Southwest Miramichi. After hearing E. P. Williston the committee decided to consider the bill further on a day to be named next week and of which notice will be given to those interested in the bill.

In Support of Bill Mr. Williston explained that Andrew Wheaton of Halifax formerly of Westmorland County, was one of the men behind the scheme of hydro electric development at White Rapids and Tracey Gould was the engineer. It was estimated that 6,000 horse power could be developed on the White Rapids. The proposed location was four miles from Blackville and twenty from Newcastle. Chatham was six miles further away than Newcastle. All were within easy reach. The promoters did not object to the government attempting development at this place. All the people of Northumberland County were in support of the project and the driving of lumber would be safe guarded.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said that the river was not navigable and a section which extended the time for preliminary engineering building development of 1919 was merely holding the project up. He was, however, satisfied that the Federal authorities might classify the river as navigable.

**BISHOP BARRY'S EXECUTORS**  
Rt. Rev. Louis J. O'Leary, Auxiliary Bishop of Chatham, and Rt. Rev. Mgr. Michael A. Keefe, D. P., announce that they have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of the late Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Barry, Bishop of Chatham.

**COMMITTEE APPOINTED**  
Commandant Colin Campbell has been successful in securing a good hustling local organization for the Salvation Army Jubilee Self Denial Campaign, which takes place between May 15th—22nd. The following gentlemen of our town have kindly consented to act on the Local Committee.  
Thos. M. Matthy, Chairman  
A. G. Putnam, Treasurer  
Ald. Perley Russell, R. C. Clark, E. F. Makby, Rev. L. H. MacLean, G. P. Burchill, A. H. Cole, James Stables, F. E. Locke.

**BLACKVILLE PROHIBITION ORGANIZATION**  
At a recent meeting held in Blackville, and addressed by the Rev. F. E. Boothroyd, Secretary of the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance, it was decided to organize the parish for the coming referendum. The following were elected as an Executive: Mr. A. Alcorn, President; Mr. Albert Donald, Vice Pres.; Miss Lillian Dunn, Sec'y. Together with the six clergymen of the Parish, Mr. J. E. Mitton of Bonas, and Mr. Bert Underhill, Blackville.

**MACKENZIE-PIRIE**  
At St. Andrew's Manse, Chatham March 31, Dr. Wylie married F. Arthur MacKenzie, and Miss Margaret M., daughter of the late John Pirie and his wife, formerly Jennie Johnston. The happy couple left for a short visit, and on returning they will take up their residence in Chatham. The groom's present to the bride was \$300 in gold and a string of beautiful pearls.

**NARROW ESCAPE**  
On Sunday morning while Mr. Wm L. Hogan, representative of Baird & Peters accompanied by another traveller were crossing the river at Gordons opposite Chatham, they broke through the ice and had considerable difficulty in getting out. Mr. Hogan's friend did not have as close a call as Mr. Hogan, who was rescued by an Indian who saw them from the shore. After their rescue they returned to Gordons and later on in the day drove up to Newcastle and crossed the bridge, on their way to Chatham.

**PRESENTATION TO MISS BLANCHE PARKER**  
A number of the young people of the Methodist church gave Miss Blanche Parker a very pleasant surprise on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Atkinson when she was presented with a cameo ring and a couple of pieces of ivory.

The presentation was made by the Rev. F. T. Bertram in behalf of the Newcastle Methodist choir and Bible Class of which she was a member.  
Miss Parker who has been employed with Moody & Co. for the past nine years has accepted a position with R. N. Wyse & Co., Moncton and left on the limited Saturday to take up her duties there.



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FOR  
**COUGED UDDERS**

**EGYPTIAN LINIMENT**  
"I have used your Egyptian Liniment for 2 years, and find it gives me the satisfaction for man and beast. I used the liniment on a cow which the vet had been to, and a couple of bottles cured it in 48 hours. I can't thank you too much for the liniment. It is a great relief."  
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New Hamburg, Ont.  
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**35c A BOTTLE**  
SOLD BY ALL DEALERS  
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**Notice**  
A full attendance of the members of Northumberland County Royal Scarle Chapter will be held in the Lodge Room on Wednesday evening April 14th, 1920.

# NOVA SCOTIA FERTILIZERS

We have just received a car of Fertilizer, from The Nova Scotia Fertilizer Co.; containing five different formulas as follows:

Special Grain And Vegetable	in 125 lb. bags
General Crop Grower	" " " "
Dissolved Bone	" " " "
Fish and Potash	" 250 lb. bbls.
Potato with Potash	" " " "

Use more Fertilizer and Produce Bigger Crops

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A most beautiful tint in all colors, will not harm the daintiest silk  
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Robinson's celebrated Home Made Bread, Marven's Pound, Sultana and Fruit Cakes and Fancy Cookies.

Just opened up a large assortment of Christie, Brown & Cox Fancy Biscuits, Armour Veribert Ham, and Windsor Bacon, Davis & Fisher and Hopkin's Sausages, Finnan Haddie, Kippers and Bloaters.

Cape Cod Cranberries, Prunes, Figs, Apricots, Peaches, and Evaporated Apples, Pury Jams and Marmalade. Our 60c Tea is a wonder, Morose's Orange Pekoe is bulk at 70c. Sugar and Flour are again on the move, How is your Flour Bbl.? Chain Creamery and Dairy Butter. Oleomargarine is selling great, looks and tastes just like Butter.

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