

Local and General News.

NURSES' HOME

It is expected that excavation for the basement and foundation of the Miramichi Nurses' Home will commence to-morrow.

PREPARING FOR DRIVING

Preparations for stream driving are being advanced. Already a number of men and supplies have been sent in and it is expected a start will soon be made on some of the brooks.

MORE SNOW

The weather keeps backward. Saturday night four or five inches snow fell but quickly disappeared during Sunday. On Sunday night and Monday morning five or six inches more snow fell making the roads into a sloppy condition.

RIVER ICE MELTING

Although the ice in the Miramichi River is still holding it is showing signs of breaking up or melting. The same is true of the tributaries. Near Doaktown and Boiestown there is much open water with the ice appearing very soft.

Nearly all people like their tea hot. But some like it cold or at least they drink it that way. The coal miners of Cape Breton consume enormous quantities of MORSE'S Tea while at work in the pit. And they drink it cold. Further they say it is the most thirst-quenching drink they can get. Also that it stimulates their energies.

PROVOCATION BEFORE EASTER

The Legislature is to prorogue before Easter; at least that was the expectation when the House adjourned about 1:40 Friday morning after a protracted session in supply. Premier Veniot outlined the program which included adjournment Thursday night next.

AWAITS FINAL ACTION

The Church Union Bill passed its third reading in the P.E.I. Legislature Friday morning but when it came before Lieut. Governor McKinnon for assent before prorogation on Friday afternoon His Honor withheld assent; it being understood that the Lieut. Governor plans to await final action by other Legislatures and the Federal Parliament.

SEWING CIRCLE GOSSIP

There was some discussion at the Sewing Circle this week about the best beverage to take on a fishing trip. The wife of the new Bank Manager said that her husband always took a large thermos bottle of LUXOR ORIENTAL COFFEE. She said he drank it without cream and that he found it the most invigorating as well as the most delicious of any beverage he could get for use in the woods.

LOOK AT THE DATE

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GAZETTED MAGISTRATE

George Barry of Blackville is gazetted stipendiary or police magistrate for the Parish of Blackville.

RECKLESS DRIVERS

The reckless auto drivers do not all live "somewhere else". Each community has some right at home and Newcastle is not an exception. We hope a curb will be put on this summer.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of the late Mrs. Matthew Kussell of Victoria; B.C. will be held from the residence of her son Mr. John Kussell on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock; interment in St. James Cemetery.

LOBSTER FISHING

Preparations for lobster fishing are now being made by the fishermen. At Escuminac between 300 and 400 men are busily engaged getting rigging ready for the opening of the season.

A NEW STORE TO OPEN

Mr. G.T. O'Brien of Chatham will open a gent's furnishing store in the Quigley Bldg. formerly occupied by Duricks Drug Store on Thursday April 17th. Mr. O'Brien conducts stores in Halifax; St. Stephen and Chatham. The Newcastle business will be managed by W.M. O'Brien of Fredericton.

CO-OPERATION

A spirit of co-operation can accomplish a great deal for Newcastle. To speak frankly—we have been making fools of ourselves in a good many ways—or letting others make fools of us. It is time we caught on to ourselves and co-operated in all things for the advancement of our town.

GREEN TEA POPULAR AGAIN

Many people gave up drinking Green Tea because of the difficulty of buying a uniform quality until Green Teas began to come here from Ceylon. The Ceylon leaf is prepared in such a clean manner and the flavor is so delicious that it has quickly gained popularity especially that packed by "SALADA" in the air-tight aluminum packet which preserves the original flavor so well.

DON'T BE GUILTY

An ass having put on a lion's skin roamed about frightening all the silly animals he met with. Seeing a fox he tried to alarm him also. But Reynard having heard his voice said "Well to be sure—and I should have been frightened too if I had not heard you bray." They who assume a character that does not belong to them generally betray themselves by overacting it.

POLICE COURT NEWS

In the police court yesterday the preliminary examination of David Goureau of Alnwick was commenced. Goureau with two companions is charged by Oliver Fassel of Legasville with endeavoring to break and enter his dwelling on March 17th. T.H. Whalen is prosecuting and J.A. Creaghan is for the defense.

CRITICIZES AND COMMENTS

Mr. Morrissey one of the independent members for Northumberland spoke on the budget in the Legislature Tuesday evening. While he indulged in some criticism concerning the Department of Lands and Mines in connection with settlement lots granted in his own county; he commended the work of other departments particularly that of the Department of Health. His speech is to be found elsewhere in this issue.

BASKET BALL

A Moncton Basketball Team was defeated in Moncton Friday night by the Chatham Y.M.C.C. team by a score of 38 to 28.

FIRE ALARM

The Fire Department were given a run last Tuesday evening an alarm having been sent in for a chimney fire in the residence of Mr. Simon Savoy.

WANTS NAME CHANGED

An M.P.P. thinks the name of the new church should be changed to "The Dis United Church of Canada."

OPER HOUSE RE-OPENED

The Opera House re-opened its moving picture business last Thursday evening under the management of Mr. Wm. Stymiest.

ABOUT 90 MEMBERS

It is estimated that Newcastle will give about 90 members to the N.B. Tourist and Resources Assn. as a result of the baby draft campaign which was recently launched here.

GOOD FRIDAY

Next Friday 18th inst is Good Friday and will be observed as a general public holiday by merchants banks and offices. Easter Monday will also be observed as a holiday by Government offices and Banks.

HOLY WEEK

Last Sunday was Palm Sunday the beginning of Holy Week commemorating the entry of the Saviour into Jerusalem the Holy City. Next Friday is "Good Friday" and Sunday next is Easter.

EXHIBITION

The Charlottetown exhibition will be held September 30; Oct. 1st 2nd and 3rd. It will follow Chatham which latter follows Fredericton thus completing the circuit.

SOME DON'T BELIEVE

Some people don't believe in advertising because they say "nobody reads the paper." But let them get into a scrap and you will find them running around to the newspaper office with the request: "please don't mention that little affair"

MEETING TO BE HELD

The Hon. J. A. Edwards D. G. Master B.A. will address a meeting in the Orange Lodge Room on Tuesday evening April 22nd at 8 o'clock in the interests of the Centennial Fund. The Rev. J.A. McFarlane will also be present and address the meeting. All are cordially invited.

INFORMAL DANCE

The Newcastle Tennis Club purpose holding an informal dance in the Town Hall on Monday evening 21st inst. The chaperones are: Mesdames Chas. Sargeant; E.H. Sinclair; J.A. Creaghan R.W. Crocker; C. D. Manny and W.A. Park. Mr. W.H. Davidson is Secretary.

Cause of Early Old Age

The celebrated Dr. Michelson, an authority on early old age, says that it is "caused by poisons generated in the intestine." When your stomach digests food properly it is absorbed without forming poisonous matter. Poisons bring on early old age and premature death. 15 to 30 drops of "Seigel's Syrup" after meals makes your digestion sound.

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LIEUT. GOV. SIGNS BILLS

Lieut. Gov. Todd visited the Provincial Legislature Wednesday afternoon accompanied by his staff and gave assent to 31 bills. Among the number was "An Act in reference to the Miramichi Hospital."

ENTERTAINED

Ottawa Journal: Mrs. A.B. Copp entertained Friday afternoon at the tea hour and was assisted in receiving by her guest Mrs. A.E.G. Mackenzie of Newcastle; N.B. The rooms were prettily decorated with quantities of cut flowers and the tea table was centered with a large basket of pink and white roses. Mrs. G.W. Kyte assisted Mrs. Copp in the drawing room and pouring tea and coffee were Mrs. G.P. Graham Mrs. John McDougall; Mrs. Robert Laurier and Mrs. F.B. Carvell. Ices were cut by Mrs. F. Pelletier of Metane; Que. and Mrs. S. MacDougall assisted by Miss Bradley Miss Simmone Parent; Miss May Dillon; Miss Wood Sackville; N.B. and Miss Nell of British Columbia.

When Opportunity Comes

HOW much money have you "put by" at the present time?



Enough to pay a doctor in case of sudden illness in your family? Enough to make a payment on a home should you be offered a bargain? Enough to take advantage of a sudden business opportunity? Ordinary opportunities, ordinary happenings, these, yet how many are ready for tomorrow's big chance—tomorrow's emergency? The man with a good bank balance is always ready for the unexpected.

Keep ever before you the importance to yourself of saving money regularly and persistently.

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We have just unloaded a car of Hard Wheat Flour, Bran, Middlings, Shorts Oats, Cracked Corn, Gornmeal and Oatmeal in 20-40 and 90 lb bags, Scratch Feed Chick Feed and Pig Feed.

We carry a nice line of Groceries always in stock. Wines—Apples and Seedless Oranges by the dozen or box, Jams in tumblers 15c, 6 oz. Jams pure 35c 4 lb. tins 75c, 4 lb. glass Jars pure \$1.25

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Anchor Brand Hams per lb.	30c	Lean Roll Bacon per lb.	23c
Picnic Ham per lb.	20c	Boiling Pork per lb.	23c
Anchor Brand Bacon per lb.	30c	Clean Fat Pork per lb.	20c
Rose Brand Bacon per lb.	40c	Rose Brand Corn Beef per lb.	15c
Bologna by the roll per lb.	15c	Spare Ribs per lb.	15c

Davis & Frasers. Sausages, Kraft Cheese, Fresh Eggs.

Ontario Creamery Butter per lb.	45c
Moncton Creamery Butter per lb.	50c
Sussex Creamery Butter per lb.	50c

Celery, Lettuce, Ripe Tomatoes, New Cabbage, Oranges, Bananas, Grape Fruit, California Apples, Pure Maple Sugar, Pure Maple Cream Hot Cross Buns for Good Friday

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