

## Local and General News

**ANNUAL TRAINING**  
The annual militia camp will be held at Sussex from June 26th to July 4th. The artillery will organize at local depots and go to Petewawa for eight days.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Mr. and Mrs. George M. Lake and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness and sympathy shown during their recent sad bereavement.

**CORRECTION**  
The announcement last week to the effect that Mr. Jack McKeen of Montreal was visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. John McKeen was erroneous. We regret the information received was incorrect.

**SPRING RESISTED**  
The forces of spring were resisted last week, owing to a heavy fall of snow. As a result the travelling and walking was disagreeable but it has now disappeared and conditions are much better. Some damage during the storm was done to the telephone lines, but have since been repaired.

**HARD AND EASY**  
It is hard to believe that \$50,000,000 were spent for chewing gum last year, but it is easy to believe that \$75,000,000 went into cosmetics, and with the memory of some of the faces we have seen, it may be said that it was not entirely wasted.

**CONFIRMATION SERVICE**  
Bishop Richardson of Fredericton, conducted Confirmation Service in St. Andrew's Church, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Seven adults were confirmed, 5 men and 2 women. The Bishop was met at the station by Mr. Church Warden Teed and Mr. David Ritchie. The Bishop left here for Campbellton on the Ocean Limited to spend Sunday.

**TENTH ANNIVERSARY**  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Uncles were ten years married on April 23rd, and in the evening a few of their friends gave them a surprise party and "Tin Shower." A very pleasant time was spent in music and cards and about 11 o'clock a dainty lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Uncles were married on St. George's Day in St. Andrew's church by Rev. W.J. Bate, and the reverend gentleman was among the guests assembled on Monday evening.

The Trout fishing season in New Brunswick is now in full swing. Wherever there are rivers and lakes, there can these mornings be seen young men and old men casting a line in the hope of hooking the nimble and elusive trout. Let us hope that all these good sportsmen may have the best of luck, so that when they sit by the lake side having their cup or two or three cups of MORSE'S SELECTED ORANGE PEKOE tea, they will feel disposed to say to themselves: "Yes, this is a good country to live in. None better, for where else could you find as good fishing, and where could you find a tea like MORSE'S SELECTED ORANGE PEKOE?"

**NEW INDUSTRY**  
The C.P.R. is desirous of the establishment of a hardwood industry in New Brunswick, according to an announcement made by J. M. Woodman, district superintendent, at the annual Board of Trade dinner at Fredericton on Thursday evening. Mr. Woodman said a conference took place recently at Montreal which was attended by Angus McLean, Archibald Fraser, Donald Fraser, W. B. Snowball and several prominent lumbermen from Quebec, Ontario and Maine. All of them approved of the idea and he believed that something would come of it. The dinner took place in the Queen Hotel and was attended by eighty guests. J. A. Mrs. Fred S. Groves of Milltown, a date provided.

**BASKET BALL GAME**  
The C.G.I.T. Basket Ball team will play the Junior Girls of the Catholic League in the Temperance Hall, Friday May 4th at 8.15 o'clock. Admission 20 cents.

**FILED APPLICATION**  
H. H. Stuart of Sunny Brae has filed an application for a position on the Fredericton teaching staff. Three teachers have resigned and seven applications have been received for the vacancies.

**THE INCOME TAX**  
The date for individuals making their returns for the Dominion Income Tax returns expired yesterday. Heads of families who have dependent children were exempt \$300 each this year as compared with \$200 each last year.

**LOST A HORSE**  
A horse belonging to Edward Dalton and driven from Chatham on Wednesday evening took flight and ran away. The animal broke clear of the wagon and started to cross the river near Sullivan's mill and was drowned.

**BRIDGE TENDER**  
The New Brunswick Department of Public Works is calling for tenders for Molasses Hill Concrete Arch Culvert and Roadway embankment, Parish of Blissfield, County of Northumberland.

**RUMMAGE SALE**  
The I.O.D.E. Rummage Sale will be held in the Town Hall at 2 o'clock on Saturday, May 5th. Any one having articles to send will please notify the Secretary, Mrs. H. I. Ritchie, who will have same called for.

**RIVER OPENING UP**  
The ice in the river broke up opposite Newcastle on Saturday afternoon. It is now running freely and it will only be a short time before the river will be open to navigation. The break up is much later this year than last.

**DIED IN WISCONSIN**  
Word was received last Thursday of the death of Mrs. Robt. Ritchie in Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. The late Mrs. Ritchie is well known on the Miramichi, where she resided previous to her going west some years ago. The remains of the late Mrs. Ritchie will be brought here in June for burial.

**NEWCASTLE STUDENTS**  
Among names in the Class Lists at Mount Allison Convocation were: H. Ashford, Class 2 in New Testament History, Homiletics 1 and Class 3 in Systematic Theology, Religious Education and Public Speaking. H. Ashford Class 2 in New Testament Exegesis (Synoptics), Homiletics 2, and Class 3 in New Testament Exegesis (Romans), Systematic Theology, Religious Education and Public Speaking 2.

**THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE J. L. STEWART**  
The funeral of James L. Stewart took place at Chatham on Friday and the procession was one of the largest and most impressive seen here for years. Representatives of the North Shore Press Association attended in a body, as did many former chief magistrates and aldermen. A very large number of citizens also attended. About 100 members of the local I.O.O.F. and sister lodges of Loggieville, Douglastown and Newcastle, with a band, led the procession. The services at the graveside were conducted by Rev. F. H. Littlejohns, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson and Rev. Mr. Harrison, the Oddfellows' service being conducted by the chaplain, Col. J.D.B.F. MacKenzie. Isaac Stewart of Carleton County, brother of the late Mr. Stewart, and tented by eighty guests. J. A. Mrs. Fred S. Groves of Milltown, a date provided.

## Woodstock Will Buy Fast Trotter

Woodstock, April 24—A meeting of the Woodstock Driving Club was held last night and it was decided that the club would purchase a horse to place in the 2.14 class. College Swift, a former favorite and a good performer will probably be the choice, although it was not finally decided. Henry Dewitt was unanimously elected president of the club in place of James Gibson, resigned. The club's horse, Dan Hedgewood, who has been in Dr. McAllister's stable at Sussex during the winter, is expected here in a few days in charge of Frederick Cameron, who will drive him during the season. A few days' sun will put the track in condition for working out purposes.

## Says Leprosy Can Be Cured

London, April 4—That leprosy can be effectually cured by the injection of certain oils, including cod liver and soya bean oil, was claimed by Sir Leonard Rogers in a paper read before a recent meeting of the Royal Society of Arts. Sir Leonard declared that experiments made in various parts of the world had led physicians to the belief that the disease could be cured within the space of a few years through the use of these oils. There would appear to be numerous cases of leprosy in London, particularly among army men who have returned from Eastern countries, which are unrecognized.

## Prosperity About Due

Old Man Hard Times is in the hands of the undertaker. None mourns him except the crafty few who always make money during hard times by applying the screws to the unfortunates who get caught during such times.

All signs point to a steady return of general prosperity throughout Canada. Money rates are down, encouraging business activity. Failures are decreasing. New building construction started in April and a fast pace will be maintained during May. Farmers are getting a fair price for what potatoes they have on hand. So it goes in nearly every industry. Prosperity returns. So far it is mostly in the form of business gain, but money prosperity will follow.

**THE WOODS PERMIT LAW**  
While there is every sympathy with the efforts being made to prevent forest fires it is doubtful if the new law requiring persons who desire to enter the woods to secure permits will be anything more than vexatious. Such a regulation is all right in the case of camping parties, but for the citizen who desires only a few hours' outing for the purpose of shooting or fishing it means a lot of trouble for nothing. Besides, the law will never be observed and the only result will be to add to the already long list of law breakers. A rigorous prosecution of those who set fires endangering the forests would have better results, probably, than a multiplication of laws that are neither observed nor enforced.

**DIED**  
Sunday, April 29th, 1923, Emily Murray Lake. Aged 7 years and 3 months.

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**MANNA IS SORE**  
A business man says that he walked up town yesterday behind two married ladies and they were discussing prices. "Have you noticed how things are going up again? I should say so. Awful isn't it? Do you know there is tea for instance, I am paying 75 cents a pound for what I usually get at 50 cents a pound. Why it was not so high in war times. And gar—goodness!"

**WILD CAT BOUNTY**  
The bounty on wildcats which was restored at the recent session of the legislature, will go into effect on May 1st, Tuesday next. This bounty was in effect up to 1919 when the animals were reported very scarce and it was removed. During the past year they have become very destructive to deer and are numerous except in the extreme north. The bounty will be \$3

each. Forms to be filled in for the claiming of the bounty are being distributed by Chief Game Warden Gagnon. The law provides that the skin of the wildcat on which the bounty is claimed must be shown to a magistrate who will cut off the tip of the tail and give certificate.

## CRUISER PATRIOT TO VISIT MIRAMICHI

The summer programme for H.M.C.S. Patriot has been arranged so that this vessel may be in Montreal on June 7th where the ship's company will take part in the naval and military tournament. While in Montreal the ship will also carry out training of naval volunteers. On the return voyage the Patriot will call at Sorel, Three Rivers,

Quebec, Murray Bay, Tadoussac and Rimouski.

At Quebec training will be given to the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve officers and men of that city. The ship will also call at Gaspé, Campbellton and Miramichi.

Badkok, Sydney and Pictou are also included in the list of ports to be visited. The Patriot will be present at Pictou on the 16th of Sept. to take part in the celebration being held there after which she will return to her base at Halifax.

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# SEED POTATOES

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Flour, Sugar, Tea and Molasses have all advanced, we have a large stock bought and are offering at low prices.

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