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## The Week's Happenings

**SERVICES IN ST JAMES**  
The Presbyterian pulpit here on Sunday last was very acceptably filled by Rev W McN Matthews of Bathurst

**ANGLICAN PULPIT EXCHANGE**  
Rev W J Wilkinson of Springhill, Kingsclear, York Co will officiate in St Andrew's church, Newcastle and St Mark's, Nelson next Sunday Rev W J Bate filling Rev W Wilkinson's appointments

**HOME FROM MIRA-**  
**MICHI HOSPITAL**  
Earl T O'Donnell son of Councillor and Mrs Arthur O'Donnell of Carroll's Crossing, has returned home convalescent from an operation for appendicitis at the Miramichi Hospital

**TILL NEXT TUESDAY**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Newcastle Town Improvement League will be held in the Police Court Room next Tuesday evening, Jan 22nd instant, at 8:00 o'clock All members are requested to attend, as important matters will come up for discussion

**SERGT GEORGE MILLER WOUNDED**  
Word was received this week that Sergt George W Miller, Artillery, had been admitted to the hospital on Jan 5th suffering from two bullet wounds in the left leg Sergt Miller who went overseas with a Nova Scotia Battery was one of the best known military men on the North Shore and as an artilleryman was a crack shot. He was a member of the Prize Winning Canadian Artillery Team which was sent to England in 1911. His many friends trust that his wounds are not serious



**MARY PICKFORD**  
Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm  
An Astoria Picture

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The greatest achievement of the Photoplay in the characterization of that famous type of American childhood  
A Pickford subject of heart appeal to young and old

**HAPPY HOUR**  
Friday & Saturday

**MATINEE**  
Saturday at 4 o'clock  
Children 5c Adults 15c

### COMING

**VICTOR HUGO'S**  
**"Les Miserables"**

Fourteen thousand pairs of eyes saw the masterpiece every day for twenty one days when it was presented in Chicago. They were wild with excitement, wet with tears, merry with laughter as the thrilling, pathetic and humorous adventures of the most famous hero of literature unfolded before them

Watch for Date

Mary Pickford will be at the Happy Hour Friday and Saturday Don't fail to see her

**BANQUET FOR RETURN ED SOLDIERS**  
The returned soldiers of Newcastle and vicinity are being banquetted tonight by the Newcastle Women's Institute in St James Hall

**INSPECTOR OF MUNITIONS HERE**  
Mr E O McLean of Montreal, Assistant Inspector of Munitions for the Imperial Government has opened an office in the Lounsbury Block here He has charge of the shell factories in Northern and Central New Brunswick

**HIS SEVENTIETH BIRTHDAY**  
On Monday evening last a large number of friends of Mr George Barron gathered at his home at Derby to do honor to his 70th birthday Music and dancing were the features of the evening and the gathering were loud in the praise of their host

**NEW SMALLPOX CASES**  
There are several new cases of smallpox. The Royal Hotel here was quarantined yesterday, a young man named William McKinnon having the disease

Neville Whitney and two daughters in Strathadam have smallpox, and Strathadam school is closed

The Nelson and Chatham Head schools have been closed for some time

Mrs Frank Paulin of Chatham Head, who had smallpox for some time, died yesterday not directly from that disease, but three days after confinement. She leaves her husband and several small children

**KNITTING SOCKS FOR THE SOLDIER BOYS**  
Twenty one pairs of socks have been knitted for the Red Cross Society in Blackville. The knitting was done by the following ladies:—Mrs John MacKinnon The Forks, 1 pair; Mrs Martin Vickers, The Forks, 1 pair; Mrs Wm S Hennessy, 1 pair; Mary T Hennessy, 1 pair; Mrs Wm T Hennessy, 1 pair; Mrs George Hennessy, 1 pair; Mrs Wm Burke, 1 pair; Maggie Burke, 1 pair; Lizzie Burke, 1 pair; Mary H Keenan, 1 pair; Bridget Mahoney, 1 pair; Mrs T H Curtis, 3 pairs; Eva E Curtis, 3 pairs; Marguerite Curtis, 1 pair; Lillian M Curtis, 3 pairs. Total 21 pairs

**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE, NELSON**  
The Women's Institute of Nelson held their monthly meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs C E Brown. There were thirteen members present The meeting opened with a patriotic song followed by roll call which was answered by a New Year quotation. The president Mrs Geo Flett gave a short talk on "Care of House Plants during winter months" Discussion for evening "New Year Resolutions" was led by Mrs Edgar Vye. There were two new members It was decided to buy more yarn from Chatham Soldier's Comfort Club

Next monthly meeting will be held at the home of the president Mrs Geo Flett. Program as follows:—Roll Call—Favorite verse and address of some  
Discussion—Hot supper dishes Handkerchief contest  
The meeting closed with God Save Our Splendid men, after which refreshments were served by Mrs Brown

**A SUPER PRODUCTION**  
It has become known that the Pathe company has a new version of Victor Hugo's masterpiece "Les Miserables" for release as a super feature shortly

The feature, directed by Albert Capellani is in eight parts and stars Henry Kraus, France's leading dramatic actor, in the world famous character of Jean Valjean  
He is supported in "Les Miserables" by a splendid cast including Miss Mistinguett as Eponine and Maria Fromet as Cosette  
When "Les Miserables" was first shown in the United States it scored a triumph, running at Carnegie Lyceum, New York for several months. Manager Richards of the Happy Hope Theatre, in keeping with the progressive policy, is negotiating with Pathe for a booking and expects to present "Les Miserables" at an early date

## Corporal Thos. J. Carrigan Honored

Nelson and Newcastle Friends Present Him With a Gold Watch

Nearly one hundred of the Nelson and Newcastle friends of the returned hero, Corporal Thomas J Carrigan of the 26th Battalion, recently returned from France, called upon him at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Alex Carrigan, South Nelson, at 7:30 Thursday night and presented him with an address and a gold watch. The address was read by Councillor G P Burchill and the presentation made by Dr Hayes. Corporal Carrigan was taken by surprise but made a very feeling reply. The rest of the evening was very pleasantly spent with music, games and dancing, and supper was served. The happy gathering, among whom were two veteran pals of Corporal Carrigan—Sgt Arthur Flemming of Chatham and Sgt Hill of London, England, broke up at 12:30

The address was as follows:  
To Corporal Thomas J Carrigan,  
26th Battalion

Dear Sir:—We, your fellow citizens of Nelson, have assembled here tonight for the purpose of extending to you our hearty expressions of welcome and congratulations on your safe return to the Miramichi from the fighting line in France and to do you honor as one of Nelson's sons who has "done his bit" in the service of his King and Country  
By offering yourself for overseas military service and taking your place in the ranks of Canada's noble army—by defending the glorious cause of civilization and democracy in the trenches of France and Belgium—you have responded to the highest calling of citizenship and have earned a position of honor and respect among your fellow countrymen  
And there belongs to you a still further distinction. We recognize you as one of the original members of New Brunswick's 26th Battalion—and, alas! one of its few survivors The immortal deeds of valour performed by that battalion will ever illuminate the pages of the history of this province and we rejoice with pride that the name of one of Nelson's boys was enrolled on the records of the "Fighting 26th"

We are sorry to know that you have not come through unscathed but we sincerely hope for you a speedy recovery to permanent health and strength and in token of our feelings at this time we wish you to accept a small remembrance which we hope will ever remind you of this happy occasion and which carries with it the hearty good wishes of us all  
G P BURCHILL,  
JOSEPH HAYES, M D  
ANNIE CROCKER  
M I MCCOOMBES  
GEO McEACHREN  
Signed on behalf of the citizens of Nelson, New Brunswick

**Chatham Deanery Meeting This Week**  
The quarterly meeting of the Deanery of Chatham was held here on Tuesday and yesterday  
There were present of the clergy: Venerable Archdeacon Forsyth, Chatham  
Rev L A Foyster, Bay du Vin  
Rev J A Cooper, Bathurst  
Rev J H Barnes, Campbellton  
Rev A J Patstone, Doaktown  
Rev W J Bate Newcastle  
Unavoidably absent—Revs G W Fisher, New Brandon and R J Coleman, Dalhousie  
The first meeting was in St Andrew's Rectory at 11:30, Tuesday  
The afternoon's meeting in St Mark's, Nelson, had to be omitted because of the storm  
Yesterday there were four meetings  
8 a m in St Andrew's Church  
2:30—Sunday School Teachers' Association  
4—Children's Service  
7:30—Evening Service

## NO LABORERS OR TEAMS WANTED AT HALIFAX

The following telegram is self-explanatory:  
Halifax, Jan 16, 1917  
The Mayor  
Newcastle, N B.  
Please insert in your local papers that the reconstruction committee in Halifax only require carpenters plumbers with tools and bricklayers We require no common laborers, nor do we require any further teams at present. Notify all mills to let us know what one inch boards they have in stock piled one side and what price they want delivered at Halifax  
E S LOW, Colonel,  
Mgr Reconstruction Committee

We have just stocked in designs for 1918  
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Choice Dairy Butter 50c per lb. | Very fine Canadian Cheese 30c  
Choice Creamery Butter 55c per lb. | Cranberries 60c per gal.

Oranges, Lemons and Grape Fruit, Baldwin and Ribston Pippins Apples 60c per bush. Just received a shipment of Christy, Brown & Co's fancy Biscuits, Sultana and Fruit Cakes, Colonial all flavors 15c this week. Davis, Fraser and Hopkin's Sausages, Fresh Beef, Finnan Haddie and Fresh Smelts.

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