

THE UNION ADVOCATE.

V OL. 35.

NEWCASTLE, N. B., WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 3, 1902.

48

FALL ANOUNCEMENT.

We have been very busy during the last few weeks, clearing out everything that we considered undesirable to carry over until next season and at the same time opening up case after case of bright, new merchandise for fall. These latter goods have been carefully gone over and marked conscientiously.

We are striving to build up a business on broad, clean principals that the public appreciate and have confidence in us is assured by the best of all proofs, namely, our ever increasing trade. No risk is taken in buying here as money is promptly and cheerfully refunded if any transaction is unsatisfactory, and further our goods are marked in plain figures, leaving customers at ease to judge of their values.

This corner always contains a true statement of our offerings and we "deliver the goods" just as advertised.

There was a slight error in this page last week, 10 yds. flannelette for 25c appearing, and customers inquiring for same found us delivering the goods, although it cost considerable to do so. When we advertise an article at half price, we cut the price in two. Others duplicate our methods, but none our prices.

Note this:—Pleasant salespeople always at your service.

R. N. WYSE, - - Newcastle, N. B.

Wrapperettes.

The largest number of patterns in these goods that we have ever been able to place before the public.

Prices, 8c 10c 12c 14c 16c 18c 20c. Flannelettes.

Hundreds of pieces to choose from. The best values, without exception, yet placed upon our counters.

Prices, 4c 5c 6c 7c 8c 9c 10c 12c 15c and 18c.

French Flannels.

Choice, exclusive patterns. Competitors last year had to cut theirs to get clear of them, ours were such good patterns and prices that they moved right out.

Prices, 35c 43c 48c 55c and 75c. Albatross.

A new goods for blouses, etc. Can be washed and the colorings are perfect.

Price, 50c.

New Waistings.

Silk and wool mixtures, some plain, some with pretty satin stripes, in many handsome colorings.

Price, 50 and 75c.

Curtains.

We have about 10 pairs which were a little damaged during the wear and tear of the summer showing. These are on the counter at a marked down price, and the first customer gets the choice.

Stanfield Underwear.

Our new fall order is now in and we have all sizes from 36 to 42. Positively unshrinkable.

Price, \$1.25 each.

Kodak Simplicity makes Kodak Popularity

Carry a KODAK in your pocket and snap the interesting things you see.

Cameras for the Pocket from \$6.00 up.

Paper, developers, plates, films and everything to make photographs.

H. WILLISTON & CO.

WE'RE IT. THEY CAN'T HELP IT.

When your wheel is in need of repairs or cleaning bring it to us. We can and do give better results than you can get elsewhere.

The Bicycle is not a secondary consideration with us.

F. W. PICKLES,

Over McMurdo & Co's.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

We are prepared to quote you prices on wiring your house for electric lights. Drop us a card and we will call.

FIXTURES.

A full line of fixtures can be seen at our shop.

Next door to H. Williston & Co.

HAY & POLLANS-BROS.

Wholesale and Retail.

Newcastle.

CROCKERYWARE.

A endless variety of choice crockeryware to be sold.

These Bargains for Two Weeks.

Tea sets, regular \$3 sets for \$1.99.

Dinner sets, " \$10 " " 6.80.

Dinner sets, " \$15 " " 11.50.

Toilet sets from \$1.45 up.

A large stock of Newcastle Souvenir goods from 5c to 45c. All to be disposed of.

DEMERS' GROCERY.

Opposite the Square, Newcastle.

WALTER GRATTON'S DEATH

Owing to some conflicting stories with regard to his son's death, Mr. James Gratton has requested us to publish the following letter:—

Victoria, B. C. July 5th, 1902. Mr. James Gratton, Miramichi, Upper Nelson, New Brunswick, Doyle's Brook, P. O.

Dear Sir, Though I am an entire stranger to you, yet hope that as I am a Catholic Priest, I may consider myself better qualified than others might be to be the bearer of the sad news concerning your son Walter Gratton.

Some time ago when visiting the Provincial hospital of this city, I was given to understand that Mr. Gratton had been brought in very seriously ill. I went at once to his bedside and found him suffering of "Yellow Jaundice". At first I thought that his strength and years might carry him through. I spoke to him however in the way to prepare him for the worst and requested that in any event he would do well to prepare for confession and Holy Communion, he agreed with me and took a few days to make his preparations.

On Wednesday of this week, I went over to hear his confession and on Tuesday morning as the doctor told me that a very serious operation might close his lips I gave him Holy Communion. Wednesday the operation was performed, your poor boy had given me your address previous to this, in order that I might write to you in case he should not recover after the operation. It became apparent that nothing could save your poor boy's life. Yesterday morning I gave him extreme unction. Last night I went over to the hospital again and remained with the poor boy to the end. He died at about half past nine while I was saying prayers for those that were in agony. The funeral will probably take place on Monday or Tuesday. May God give you and his poor mother consolation in your affliction. I am sure that the fact of your son having died after receiving the sacrament will certainly console you in your loss. I may add that while in the hospital he had every comfort and all the assistance you might have given him. May God bless you and inspire you the thought to remember the poor boy's soul in your prayers.

Yours very sincerely, Rev. J. Althoff, Catholic Priest, Victoria, B. C.

Great Passenger Traffic.

The intercolonial enjoying the heaviest traffic in the history of the Government Road.

MONTREAL, Aug. 30.—H. A. Price, assistant passenger agent of the Intercolonial, returned last evening from Quebec. He says that the passenger traffic on the I. C. R. is the heaviest in the history of the Government road. Last evening fifteen passenger carriages reached Bonaventure station, bringing passengers from the maritime provinces and lower Quebec points. The traffic, Mr. Price says, is just as heavy in every direction.

INFANTICIDE.

Body of an Infant Found in Bushes near Campbellton.

Campbellton Events: On Monday evening the body of an infant was found concealed in the bushes of the swamp about one hundred yards back of the home of John Barrie, Richardsonville, about two and a half miles below Campbellton. Coroner Doherty was immediately notified, and early Tuesday morning he empanelled a jury and drove to the scene.

After viewing the body, an inquest was commenced, the following being the jurors: E. F. Matheson (foreman), A. McE. McDonald, G. E. Asker, Wm. Storey, Thos. Carter, Wm. Sprout and Robt. Irvine.

Several witnesses were examined, the proceedings occupying the whole of the day, an autopsy being performed on the body by Dr. Murray.

The verdict of the jury was as follows: "We, the jury empanelled to inquire into the death of the infant found near the house of Jno. Barrie, below Richardsonville, in the parish of Dalhousie, submit the following verdict: "That the said infant in our opinion was born alive at the house of John Barrie, in the parish of Dalhousie, county of Westmorland, on the night of Aug. 14th or morning of Aug. 15th, 1902, and came to its death by neglect on the part of its mother at the time of its birth and after; we also believe that Annie Hayes is the mother of said infant, and at the time of the birth of the said infant and after did conceal the fact and did also conceal the body of said infant by hiding it in the bushes immediately east of the said Barrie house."

Tuesday night Coroner Doherty issued a warrant for the arrest of the girl implicated and early yesterday morning Policeman McCreevy went to the other side of the river, where the girl was staying and arrested her, bringing her over to the town lock-up.

The preliminary examination will take place before Police Magistrate McLatchy.

A. O. H.

Biennial Convention Now in Session in Woodstock.

After service they re-formed and walked back to the Opera House, where the sessions are being held, then came the addresses of welcome by his worship Mayor Delyea, the chair being filled by John C. Ferguson of St. John, president of the association. After the mayor's appropriate and fitting remarks, a similar courtesy was paid the visitors by Warden Saunders on behalf of the county. Then the president made a brief and happy speech and some well chosen words were spoken by the secretary, J. Hamilton. Rev. Fathers Chapman and Ryan of St. Mary's responded to respective calls. This concluded this morning's session.

In the afternoon the chair was taken by the president. A graceful act was done by the association in sending a delegation to attend the funeral of Fred Moore, the well-known lumberman, who died last Sunday, and whose obsequies were held this afternoon. When the association met for business, J. P. Maloney of Woodstock was appointed assistant secretary. J. C. Ferguson addressed the order on important matters. By motion the various county officers were appointed: Robert Hughes of Woodstock was appointed door-keeper. The treasurer were appointed by the audit committee.

Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 26.—Woodstock extended a welcome by the mouth of the mayor to the visiting delegates of the Ancient Order of Hibernians who are attending the biennial convention in this town. Carleton county did likewise by the mouth of its warden. There is a very good representation of delegates, and their presence makes the town animated.

The first thing on the programme after the brethren had assembled was the procession to St. Gertrude's Church, where high mass was celebrated by the Rev. W. F. Chapman. The Hibernians to a number of not more than a hundred made a striking appearance, as in frock coats and silk hats, with their badges attached to their lapels. They marched two and two through the town. Father Chapman briefly addressed the members of the order on the virtues and uses of the organization.

The secretary's report was looked for with interest and it contained interest. He reported 19 divisions, 10 of which had been organized since the last convention. Eight divisions were organized in Northumberland county.

M. Purcell, the treasurer, submitted his report, which showed the affairs in excellent shape.

The following were the committees named: Grievance—S. J. Murphy, Michael Welsh, T. Connolly, John Boye, Alex. Beaton, Bernard Gallagher. Provincial laws—John Brown, J. G. Haley, I. E. Shevgreen, Wm. L. Williams, D. McManus, Jerry Murray. President's address—W. H. Coates, J. P. Maloney, Thos. Dann, James Flanagan, Jas. P. Farrell. Finance—J. D. Hanlon, Wm. Terry, McManus (Halifax), R. F. Waddleton, Charles O'Neil.

C. M. B. A. Picnic at Bathurst, Monday, Sept. 1st.

The popular attraction on the picnic grounds was the baseball match between Campbellton and the C. M. B. A. team of Bathurst. Both teams lined up in the morning during a heavy rain, and consequent to the article of ball put up was not up to the standard, the grounds being muddy and the ball too wet to handle. Only four and a half innings were played and the game was called off till the afternoon with score eight to six in favor of Bathurst. In the afternoon the clouds disappeared and under a blazing sun the game went on. Great excitement prevailed throughout the rest of the game and it was a nip and tuck struggle to the end, the final score being 13 to 10 in favor of Campbellton. Mr. A. O'Keefe umpired and gave satisfaction on to both sides. The players and batting order was as follows:

Bathurst: 1st Base, Clay Adams; 2nd " T. Hains; 3rd " Art White; Pitcher J. Bertane; Catcher J. Melanson; R. Field B. Field; L. " B. Arsenault; C " B. Landly; S S S. P. Anderson. Campbellton: J. Gallant; B. Curry; E. Gallant; H. O'Keefe; J. Murphy; J. Walking; C. Nelson; J. Stout; R. Coes.

Dr. Cox of Chatham was shooting at the meadows Monday. He bagged a few ducks.

Mr. Geo. B. Williams, the abolitionist and entertainer, will be here for Friday evening, Sept. 12th. Mr. Williams was here last spring and entertained the Masons' friends at an "At Home" and all will be pleased to hear him again.

Clarke & Co. were too busy this week to write an ad, but bargains still prevail in the summer goods. New goods being added to stock almost daily.

OVER THE WRIES.

Serious R. R. Accident.

GLASGOW, Aug. 30.—Twenty-three persons were seriously injured this morning by a collision between two passenger trains. One of the trains was standing at the station and the other crashed into it, telescoping two carriages. Most of the injured persons sustained fractures of limbs.

Dr. Jameson's Admission.

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 30.—Dr. Jameson made his first speech in two years to the Cape House of Assembly yesterday. He said the raid was a bad blunder, but penance had been done and he thought the affair might now be forgotten by fair-minded men.

Great Loss of Life.

CAPE TOWN, Sept. 1.—Eighteen vessels, mostly sailing craft, have been driven ashore in Port Elizabeth. Five of them were dashed to pieces and all the members of their crews were lost. Two tugs are also reported to have foundered, and a score of lighters are ashore. It is feared that there has been a great loss of life.

A St. John Man.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 21.—Fred Smith, who came from St. John, N. B., was drowned together with Owen Mardin, while sailing a canoe at Keewatin today.

Pictou.

PICTOU, N. S., Aug. 31.—Robert Bryant was found dead on the railway track early this morning. He was seen about midnight and used the track as a short cut home. His body was badly mutilated. Two trains passed over the track between midnight and the time he was found. Mr. Bryant was a middle aged man. He came here from Kent Co., N. B., about eight years ago.

JUDGE GREGORY.

Presented with an Address at Dalhousie.

At the sitting of the Supreme Court at Dalhousie on the Bastille Day Circuit on Tuesday, the 26th ult., Judge Gregory presided. As it was his first official visit to the county since his appointment as Judge, the Grand Jury presented the following address to His Honor, the same being prepared and read by their foreman, John S. Bennett, Esq.

His Honor appreciated the address and made a reply to which all the members of the Grand Jury listened attentively and with much interest.

Dalhousie, Aug. 26th 1902. To the Honorable Judge Gregory.

May it please your Honor. We, the Grand Jurors at this sitting of the Supreme Court at Dalhousie, respectfully solicit your Honor's attention to the following address which we have resolved to present to your Honor on this occasion.

We beg to assure your Honor that the announcement of your appointment to the high and responsible position of a judge of the Supreme Court of our Province afforded the people of this county the greatest satisfaction, as they knew it to be a well deserved recognition of the ability, the diligence and fairness which you always displayed during your practice as a barrister, and we are confident that the high character for which the Supreme Court of New Brunswick has always been noted, will not be lessened by the appointment of your Honor as a Judge of the same.

We are glad to be able to assure your Honor that the people of this county are law abiding citizens. They recognize the law as being entitled to obedience, always endeavoring to bring it into harmony with those principles of truth and justice of which law should be the expression. They know that without law, there can be no real freedom, as without law, justice would quickly disappear from the earth and society be disorganized and ruined.

We rejoice to know that the result of the War in South Africa where Great Britain made so many sacrifices for equal rights for all will be a larger measure of freedom for British subjects residing there in future.

We desire to say that although it was not our privilege to be present on the 9th instant in Westminster Abbey on the Coronation of King Edward the Seventh, yet we were there in spirit and rejoiced in common with His Majesty's loyal subjects throughout the Empire. We sincerely hope His Majesty may be happy and glorious.

The fact that there is no criminal matter for us to consider has been favorably commented on by your Honor. This absence of crime is very gratifying, but it is not exceptional as on former occasions it has often happened that grand jurors had no criminal cases to consider.

We hope that in the dispensation of Providence, your Honor may be granted long life and good health to enable you to discharge your new duties which as a judge of our Supreme Court now devolve upon you.

With this expressions of our sentiments and kind regards we welcome your Honor to our county, and trust that it may be your Honor's privilege as judge, to meet many Grand Jurors in this court room for many years to come.

J. S. BENNETT, Foreman