

# Local and General News

**JUST ARRIVED**  
Another Car of Oats, price \$1.00 per bushel.  
**MARITIME HIDE CO.**

**POTATOES**  
To arrive and unload, at Wharf Sliding, to-morrow May 25th, one car of Potatoes. Good Stock. Suitable for Seed.  
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**RETURNED MEN MEET.**  
Newcastle, May 20—Many of the returned soldiers of the town and vicinity held two meetings last Monday 19th inst. both in the Town Hall. At night more than fifty were present, about one-fifth being members of the local G. W. V. A. The meeting was addressed by Robert Mander-son, of Moncton, and adjourned till Thursday evening 22nd inst. the regular meeting night of the G. W. V. A. There is dissatisfaction among the returned men concerning employment, and the matter of obtaining work will loom large in future meetings.

**HOSPITAL AID MEETING**  
The regular monthly meeting of the Miramichi Hospital Aid was held on Thursday last, much routine business being transacted. The Hospital needs from month to month are being fully met as the result of the Aids Activities.

The president reported another Life Member, Mr. George Stables of Newcastle.

Mrs. C. C. Hubbard reported the organization of an Auxiliary at Millerton with 15 members. This is the first Auxiliary organized, and one that can be relied upon for doing substantial and efficient work. On motion of Mrs. Osborne Nicholson, the report of the H. H. A. was recorded at the departure of Vis. A. L. Kerr.

### ROGERSVILLE PRIEST GIVEN PRESENTATION

On Thursday evening last the Rev. Father J. A. Leibel, assistant priest at Rogersville, was entertained at a farewell supper at the home of Mr. Chasson, where he was also presented with a substantial purse accompanied by an address in French and English, from the parishioners, in appreciation of the high esteem in which he was held by those with whom he has been associated for the past two years.

The address written in French was read by Mr. F. P. Gallant, while that in English was read by Mr. Wm. J. Buckley, both representative men of the district, and the presentation made by little Eileen O'Brien.

Father Leibel in a few appropriate words, thanked the people who so kindly remembered him, and who will miss his genial and kindly disposition.

### MOST POPULAR LUMBERJACK

The Contest for the most Popular Lumberjack in New Brunswick being conducted by Mess. A. D. Farah & Co. is rapidly gaining its impetus.

Everywhere it is meeting with a favorable response and votes are being cast in large numbers. A number of candidates, are being boosted and the race between them is a tight one.

Next week the names of the Candidates will be published, and it behooves the people of Northumberland to become interested in one of their candidates and to do their utmost in securing first prize for him.

Northumberland is THE LEADING lumbering County of the Province, and being such, we should all see that a Northumberland Man receives the title of the "Most Popular Lumberjack."

The other counties are putting all their energies into the Contest, and if we are going to win, we must leave no stone unturned.

If you have not already voted, DO SO AT ONCE, as procrastination is the thief of time, and you may be too late. Very often just one vote means the losing or the winning of a contest, so make sure that you have deposited yours.

**Catarrahal Deafness Cannot be Cured** by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrahal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrahal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrahal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Drug stores sell.

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**MILL STARTED**  
Messrs D. & J. Ritchie's Mill started operations for the season yesterday.

Any person having good Heavy Beef for sale. Apply to  
**202 LEROY WHITE,**  
Newcastle, N. B.

**TEA AND APRON SALE**  
The Ladies Catholic Club, held a very successful Tea and Apron Sale in the Town Hall Thursday evening May 22nd.

**CONSPICUOUS BY THEIR ABSENCE**  
Flags and Bunting were conspicuous by their absence, Saturday May 24th, Victoria Day. Those owning flags might at least fly them out of respect to the late Queen Victoria.

**HARRIS' RESTAURANT**  
Pleasant Street, Opposite Armoury, Newcastle, N. B.  
Meals and Lunches served from 9 a. m. to 11 p. m.  
Good Food—Well cooked—Cleanliness and Reasonable Prices shall be our endeavor.

### JOHN HARRIS

### TAX BILLS DELIVERED

The Tax Bills for the Town are now being delivered, and are payable on or before June 26th. If paid on or before June 5th a discount of 5 p. c. will be allowed and from June 5th to June 16th a discount of 2 1/2 p. c. will be allowed. As usual many protests are being made, but nevertheless, this is one of the bills which must be paid.

### THE MAX AITKEN DISABLED

One of the Max Aitken's propellers collided with a sunken log in the North West on Wednesday and the port tail shaft was broken, the propeller dropping off. The boat completed her trip to Redbank with one propeller at work, and came to Chatham Thursday morning for a new shaft and propeller. She will be on her regular route on Monday. The Miramichi Foundry supplied the shaft and propeller—World.

### MORE SOLDIERS ARRIVE

Among the returned soldiers to arrive home on the Steam Ships Bohemian and Aquitania were  
Pte. G. H. Birchill, South Nelson.  
Pte. H. F. Betts, Chatham  
Pte. J. C. Currie, Newcastle  
Pte. J. B. Doucet, Rogersville  
Pte. W. J. Matchett, Newcastle  
Pte. D. M. Nowlan, Douglastown  
Pte. C. D. Stewart, Newcastle  
Cpl. H. Leblanc, Chatham  
Spr. W. J. MacDonald, Newcastle  
Pte. O. Gareau, Newcastle  
Pte. F. D. Hanley, Chatham  
Spr. C. A. Burke, Chatham  
Spr. W. P. Damery, Chatham  
Spr. J. H. Barrieau, Rogersville

### THE AMHERST STRIKE

Amherst, N. S., May 21—With the exception of the Robb Engineering Company and the Amherst Pianos Ltd the workshops of Amherst are all practically closed. The Federation of Labor presented their demands to the different industries of the town on Tuesday afternoon. The demands call for a forty-four hour week and a general increase of pay varying from thirty-five to sixty per cent. As many of the industries have a majority of directors outside of Amherst, the managements are not in a position to make immediate reply. The situation from an industrial standpoint is grave.

It is the first serious labor trouble that Amherst has ever experienced and it is hoped an amicable adjustment will be reached.

### EMPIRE DAY EXERCISES

Grade V. Harkins Academy  
Chorus by School—The Maple Leaf  
Reading by Margaret Clark "Empire Day."  
Map Lesson—British Possessions.  
Exercise "Red White and Blue" by Dorothy Harris, Margaret Stables and Margaret Clarke.  
Recitation "Song Sparrow" by Bertha Copp.  
Chorus by school—"May Song."  
Recitation "The Union Jack" by Dickson Ashford.  
Chorus by school—"Spring Song."  
Recitation "The Flag" by Vera Geikie.  
Exercise "Native Born" by McFarrest, Harry Robertson, L. Dolan, Harold Stothart, also Jack Keating.  
Chorus by school—"O Canada"  
Recitation "Canada for me" by Dorothy Harris.  
Exercise "Stand by the Flag" by school.  
Flag Salute.  
God Save the King

Extra No. 1 Feed Western Oats at \$1.00 per Bushel. E. E. Benson, phone 162.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Mrs. David Bryenton and family wish to thank their many friends and relatives for kindness shown them during their recent sad bereavement.

### PRESENTATION TO MR. AND MRS. A. L. KERR

On Tuesday evening last, a number of St. James' Church Congregation met at the Mansie and made a presentation to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kerr in recognition of their appreciation of them, on the eve of their departure for Antigonish, N. S. Mr. Kerr, has been manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia here for the past three years, and has made many friends. He took an active interest in his Church and was appointed chairman of the Board of Trustees for 1919. He was also a member of the Choir. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr have the best wishes of a host of friends, who wish them success in their new home.

### EMPIRE DAY

Empire Day was fittingly observed in all departments of the Douglastown School Friday afternoon. After a review of the history, government and geography of the British Empire with special reference to the Great War, the League of Nations and Peace Terms, in the Principal's room and similar exercises interspersed with patriotic songs in the other rooms, all grades assembled in the Principal's room where the pupils sang the Maple Leaf Forever and The Red, White and Blue, and little Master Nowlan sang "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall, the school joining in the chorus.  
Very thoughtful and impressive addresses were then given by Rev. Alex. Leith and Secretary Robert H. Jewson, and the exercises that had begun with everyone saluting the flag closed with God Save The King.

### BASE BALL GAME

A base-ball game was played between the Newcastle Jr. team and a mixed team of returned soldiers, and Newcastle boys. The latter defeated the former by a score of 15 to 16. Most of the boys have not played fall for several years. The line up was as follows:

- Newcastle Jr.  
V. Moody (Catcher)  
R. Comeau (Pitcher)  
W. Murray 1st Base  
F. McAuley 2nd base  
J. Sprout 3rd Base  
R. O'Donnell Short Stop  
F. McMichael L. Field  
D. Daigle R. Field  
P. Grossman Centre field  
Mixed Team  
G. MacKenzie (Catcher)  
J. L. Lawlor (Pitcher)  
C. McCullum (1st Base)  
C. Johnston (2nd Base)  
W. Gough (3rd Base)  
M. Mitchell (Short Stop)  
J. Mitchell (R. Field)  
A. Johnston (Centre Field)  
M. Lanorv (L. Field)

### NORDIN SCHOOL CONCERT

A concert was given last Friday evening in the Nordin School house by the pupils of Nordin School, assisted by Misses May Russell, Helen and Annie DeWolfe, and Messrs. Arch Russell and Edward DeWolfe. Miss Ruby Haviland of Douglastown was accompanist, while others from Douglastown assisted.

Much credit is due Miss Katie Driscoll the teacher.

- The programme was as follows:  
Overture—Geikie Broe. Orchestra  
3 Heroes of the Flag—Duet by Gordon Sullivan and Vincent DeWolfe, with chorus.  
3 Exercise—Empire Day—Children  
4 Exercise—Daisy Song—Children  
5 Scotch Songs—Rob Roy Mcintosh and Bella McGraw—John Elder.  
6 Recitation—A Random Shot—H. Hedman.  
7 Chorus of Popular Songs—Children.  
8 Drill—In Grandma's Day—Children.  
9 Scotch Songs—Mr. Elder.  
10 Drill—Our Dollies—Children.  
11 Solo—My Irish Song of Songs—Simon Driscoll.  
12 Scotch Songs—Mr. Elder.  
13 Dialogue—That Dreadful Boy—Children.  
14 Dream Girl Waltz—Geikie's Orchestra.  
15 Choruses—By the children.  
16 God Save the King.  
A large attendance was present and many were unable to gain admittance. The proceeds of the entertainment were to be used for the improvement of the School property.

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### NOTICE

Mrs. Ruby Lindon announces that she has removed to the Buckley Bldg. formerly occupied by J. D. Kennedy and will be pleased to cater to her patrons, where they may secure Beer, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Tobacco Soft Drinks and Candy.

## Just to Announce!

That I have taken over the building formerly occupied by the Miramichi Farm Implement Co. and am prepared to supply as usual

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OF ALL KINDS  
Washers, Wringers, Churns, Cream Separators, Stoves and Ranges, Carriages and Harness, Etc.

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**Gordon Davidson**

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JUST RECEIVED—Another shipment of Christie, Brown & Co., and McCormick's Fancy Biscuits. Marven's Pound and Sultana Cake, Bodley's delicious Cake in Sultana, Walnut, Genoa and Cherry.

SPECIAL THIS WEEK—Victoria Blend Tea ..... 50c. per lb.  
Club Lemon Pie Filler 2 packages ..... for 25c  
Prince of Wales Prepared Corn, 2 pkgs. .... for 25c  
JUST RECEIVED 200 PACKAGES SUMMER SAVORY

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