

*Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered
By Our Reporters from Many Sources.
Whirl of the Town.*

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Fort Arthur, has fallen, the gallant Stoesse, has accepted Nogai's terms of capitulation and the victors, as Japan will enter today unharmed into the town for possession of which they have fought eleven months. The document containing the terms of surrender was prepared yesterday at a meeting of commissioners from the conquering Japanese and the beleaguered garrison and this morning a Tokyo dispatch says the signatures were affixed at 3.45 last night.

Mr. Foley has secured the services of Mr. Thos. J. Gorman as manager. Mr. Gorman for a number of years filled a like capacity at the Hotel Brunswick, Montreal, and is generally regarded as one of the most competent hotel men in the province. He is very popular with the travelling public and will doubtless make "The Miramichi" one of the most popular hosteries in the Province. Mr. John McAllister who has for some time been Mr. Foley's right hand man is assistant manager. The chef is Mr. Theodore Jardine. His experience covers a number of years in leading American hotels and cafes. If Mr. Foley's evening's dinner is any criterion of his ability, he is the right man in the right place. Mr. J. B. Green is assistant cook. Mr. T. W. Hays is head waiter and he is assisted by several capable staff of waitresses.

Mr. Foley is to be congratulated on his splendid achievement and on the success of his opening.

Man John W. Delano, of the Massachusetts Fish and Game Commission, who arrived at his home here from Boston tonight, told the story of an extensive seizure of contraband game in that city today. A freight car loaded with the Boston & Maine R. R. freight yard in Charlestown was searched and twelve deer, four halves of deer, two hind quarters of moose and 280 partridges were seized. Two days ago, according to Mr. Delano, a freight car, No. 147, from Portland, Me., bound for Charlestown, received a consignment of game from a man who gave no name to Charlestown, and was taken to the Fish and Game Commission station there. The carload of deer had been shipped from Charlestown to Boston, consigned to "Mrs. Charles Wilson" and marked household goods. Marshal Darling was requested by Charlestown to seize the game. Mr. Delano was called into conference and securing a warrant he and Deputy Commissioner Thomas Bureau, of Lynn, today went to the freight yards, located the car and searched it. The deer were taken to a cold storage warehouse where it was kept until the courts direct the disposition.

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aged 75 years was found dead in her home at Odessa, two miles from here yesterday. Neighbors entered the house to see why the old lady did not appear and found she had been asphyxiated by gas from a broken electric stove. If her grandson who found her barely alive and may possibly recover

oldest dwelling now occupied the oldest vessel rigged and in active service, or the oldest person now living in the Maritime Provinces or Newfoundland. Send brief history with each. \$100 in prizes for names of natives of Provinces now resident in New England. For particulars write: The THE NATION, box 2186, Boston, Mass.

At the residence of the bride's mother
Ellenstone on Dec. 28th by the Rev. J. S.
Gregg, Miss Agnes Hill, to Mr Charles, H
Hamilton of Houlton Maine.

Portland, Maine by the Rev. Arthur P. Greenleaf.

Robert McCombs of Nelson, on the 22nd, of pneumonia, in the 60th year of his age, leaving three daughters and two sons to mourn their loss. The funeral took place on Saturday at two o'clock and was the largest ever seen in Nelson.

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Newcastle, N. B., January 30th, 1903.

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For the coming year we shall, as in the past, endeavor to maintain a stock which shall in every way meet the needs of this community. We carry everything new, in drugs, medicines, sick-room supplies, toilet articles and sundries.

Our prescription department is conducted along modern lines, and provides the finest possible service.

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WANTED.

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Miss E. M. Crocker after having spent some months in Providence and Boston has returned and is prepared to execute any orders in dressmaking she may be favored with in the latest and most up to date styles.

Rooms at Gates' Head Ferry wharf Opp. Newcastle, N. H.
Chatham Head, Dec. 12th 04, 11-1p

We wish all our friends
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