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Newcastle  
**ANNOUNCE**

**Season's  
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Event**

**DOLLAR DAY**

(TOMORROW)

**Wednesday, August 6th.**

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**Wed. Aug. 6**

Dollar Day is one day event behind which we place our entire merchandising resources to make it the most outstanding feature of the year. You'll find Bargains of unusual value that we can only offer on Dollar Day occasion.

To Give You an Idea of The Intensity of the Values that Will be Offered, we Here Mention:

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**\$1.00**

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Women's Cotton Hose 5 pr. \$1.00  
Women's Sandals... \$1.99

**DOLLAR DAY**

**One Great  
BIG DAY!**

STORE OPENS 9 a.m.--CLOSES 9 p.m.

COME--AND COME EARLY

**Prices! Prices! Prices!**

Pickles, 3-20 oz. bottles	\$1.00	Beef Steak per lb	20c
Pickles, Mustard, bulk per lb	35c	Beef Roast per lb	15c
Pickles, Sweet mixed per lb	40c	Beef Stew per lb	10c
Onions, new 4 lb for	25c	We handle nothing but	
Picnic Hams per lb	18c	Western Steer Beef	

**Cooked, Smoked and Pickled Meats, A large Variety to choose from**  
The Fruit Season is at its best and we will have this week a large assortment with **SCHMIATZ** and **MONTMORENCE CHERRIES**, Black and Red **CHERRIES** etc.

Sugar 11 lb for \$1.00 Molasses per gal 90c  
Sausage always Fresh, always Good per lb. 20

It's a question of price if you get Quality and Quality you get when You Shop at.

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**FEDERAL VACANCIES**  
The death of Hon. John Morrissy, member for Northumberland, creates another vacancy in the Federal Parliament. There are now five vacant federal seats, two of which are in Quebec, one in Ontario, one in British Columbia and one in New Brunswick. The vacancies include St. Antoine, in the city of Montreal, Rimouski, Quebec, West Hastings, Ont.; Yale, B.C. and Northumberland, N.B. Up to date writs have been issued for by-elections in the two Quebec constituencies.

## Hon. John Morrissy, M.P. Passed Away Thursday Morning

Hon. John Morrissy of Newcastle, Liberal M.P. for Northumberland died at the Hotel Dieu Hospital Thursday morning at 3 o'clock. Hon. Mr. Morrissy had been ill only a week, but his health had not been good for some months past.

He was born Aug. 13, 1854 at Newcastle, N.B. a son of Patrick Morrissy and Rose Farrell. He was educated at Newcastle and married on May 5, 1879 to Miss Joanna Dunn, daughter of Peter Dunn, of Chatham. They had three children, Charles J. Morrissy, present M.L.A. for Northumberland; John T. and Mollie at home. He was a merchant and director of the John Morrissy Company. He was Minister of Public Works in the New Brunswick Government from 1908 to 1916.

For a period of nearly forty years Hon. Mr. Morrissy had been a conspicuous figure in politics of Northumberland. He was first elected to the provincial Legislature as a supporter of the Blair government at a by-election in 1888. He appeared for re-election in 1890 in opposition to "The Big Four" of Northumberland and went down to defeat. The late Hon. L. J. Tweedie was a member of the successful ticket and on appealing for re-election after accepting the office of Surveyor General in the Blair administration

was opposed by Mr. Morrissy but proved the winner.

After unsuccessfully contesting several elections both Federal and provincial, Mr. Morrissy was again returned to the Legislature at the general election of 1903 and remained a member of the House continuing until 1916. He opposed the Tweedie Pugsley government in the House and on Hon. J. D. Hazen becoming premier following the election of 1908 Mr. Morrissy joined his administration as Minister of Public Works. He continued to hold his portfolio during the Flemming regime.

When the Federal election was called on in December of 1917, Mr. Morrissy ran as straight Liberal candidate in opposition to Union Government and was defeated by a small majority.

In the election of 1921 he was again the Liberal candidate and won out over the late Mr. E. A. McCurdy.

Although he took little part in the debates in Parliament he was in regular attendance and enjoyed the goodwill of his colleagues on both sides. His death will be deeply regretted by his many friends throughout the country.

## NELSON WINS FROM CHATHAM

Chatham lost to Nelson in a Miramichi League game played at Chatham, Thursday night. The visitors finished on the long end of a 3 to 1 score. Nelson secured four hits in the first inning, netting them two runs. The third was tallied in the sixth and final frame when Briggs' came in from third on Wattings' bad throw. Mays and Briggs had nine strikeouts each. The former was touched for seven hits while the visiting twirler allowed but two. Though defeated Chatham retains the league leadership by one game. Should the tied game between Nelson and Loggieville be played over and won by the former, Nelson, would then be tied with Chatham for first place.

Score by innings— K.H.E.  
Chatham.....0 0 0 1-1 2 2  
Nelson.....2 0 0 1-3 7 1  
Batteries—Mays, and Wattling;  
Briggs and Jenkins; Umpires D.A. Jackson and W. Ashford

**Monster Picnic on the Old Convent Grounds Wednesday August 6th**

## GETS OUT OF JAIL BY THE SEWER EXIT

A man named Murphy from Chatham who was arrested by Officer Hill on a charge of being drunk and resisting arrest succeeded in gaining his liberty from the lock-up and it is reported, left by train for Upper Canada. Murphy managed to secure his freedom by pulling up the floor in the cell and crawling out through the sewer entrance.

## DECIDES AGAINST BUSINESS COURSE

Although very favorable consideration was given the project of introducing a business course into the Chatham High School when the Board of School Trustees were in session recently, the board decided that the number of applicants for the course, 18, was not sufficient to justify the expense of inaugurating the course.

It was felt however that in another year there would be greater interest in the project and probably be a sufficiently large number of applicants. W.B. Snowball chair-

## FORMER NEWCASTLE MAN APPRECIATES "ADVOCATE"

Winnipeg, July 28th, 1924  
MESSRS The Union Advocate,  
Newcastle, N.B.

Dear Triff,  
Enclosed please find my cheque for \$10.00 together with apologies for the past, peace of mind for the present and hopefulness for the future.

The old "Advocate" is a welcome visitor to our home each week and while few names are now familiar many references are made to old familiar places that recall fond memories of long ago.

With best personal regards,  
Yours truly,  
C. C. FALCONER.

## LUMBERMEN MEET IN BATHURST

The New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association held a meeting in the offices of the Bathurst Lumber Co at Bathurst last Wednesday at which more than thirty representatives of the principal lumber firms in the province were in attendance. Although nothing in regard to the business which was discussed at the meeting was given out it is understood that one of the matters given attention was the present depressed condition of the industry. This was agreed to be the result of overproduction and as a result it is likely that the coming winter's operations will be on a much smaller scale than last year's. The attending members of the Association were the guests of Mr. August McLean of the Bathurst Company at a dinner at the Gloucester Hotel.

## GREATLY PLEASED WITH N.B. CLIMATE

Rev. E. J. Craft of Bridgeport, Conn. who is making a short stay in the province, believes New Brunswick has the best summer climate of any place he has yet visited and he has tried all parts of the United States. He also believes that the cost of living, rental of summer cottages, facilities for camping and other tourist advantages in New Brunswick make this section of the country attractive for the summer visitor. Mr. Craft is gathering information for a series of articles which will be published in the Bridgeport paper of the writing staff of which his son is a member. Mr. Craft is rector of Christ's Episcopal church at Bridgeport and came through from Calais by automobile.

**STICK TO FACTS**  
When the spell-binder says he will stick to facts he means the ones that are not embarrassing.

**TO REPRESENT CANADA**  
According to authoritative source, Senator Belcourt who is at present in London representing the Canadian Government at the inter-allied conference has accepted the post of Canadian Minister at Washington.

man presided. Ralph Manzer of St. Stephen was appointed manual training teacher and the appointment of a domestic science teacher was left with a special committee.

## Local Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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### Too Good To Cut

Recently a birthday cake was ordered on behalf of a reverend old lady of ninety years. She kept the last one intact because it looked "too good to cut."  
A cake was also ordered this month for a centenarian residing in the Province. The number of instances of this

kind seems to show that Nova Scotians are a hardy lot.

Since today seemed to be devoted to the old, it may be of interest to say that a member of Moir's organization called on a nonagenarian lately and that this represented the first time he had seen a motor car close at hand. He was offered but refused firmly—a trip in the car.