

Local and General News.

THE COAL BIN
You can't walk quite a ways farther into the coal bin than you could a few weeks ago, can't you?

NO ICE FAMINE

As the cold days continue piling up, perhaps it is some comfort to think that there won't be any excuse for an ice famine next summer if the dealers take advantage of their present opportunities.

NORTH SHORE BONSPIEL

The North Shore Curling Bonspiel will be held on Thursday and Friday of this week in Bathurst. The local curlers are now busily engaged preparing rinks to take part in this, the biggest event, of the curling season.

DIED AT CAMPBELLTON

Mr. Archibald McKenzie, a well known citizen of Campbellton and father of the late Col. A. E. G. McKenzie, former commander of the 26th Battalion, died on Saturday aged 82 years. He is survived by a widow and eight children.

MUCH SICKNESS

There is considerable sickness in the town and vicinity at the present time. Many persons are confined to their homes with gripe, and heavy colds. Pneumonia however, has not been so prevalent this winter as in some other years. The gripe is not of a severe type.

WHAT REAL WINTER WAS

Twenty-five years ago, according to the Moncton Times, a terrific snow storm raged in New Brunswick, which was said to have been the worst in the previous 25 years. In Northumberland County the snow was 15 feet deep. An old Chatham resident of that time said he had not seen so much snow at once in 50 yrs.

NOT LONG TO WAIT

Newcastle has'nt had an entertainment for some time, and everybody is anxiously awaiting for some thing to turn up. Well—it won't be necessary to wait much longer as the Miramichi Hospital Aid and Red Cross Society intend having an entertainment on Thursday, February 22nd, to which every one will be welcome.

CARNIVAL

A grand Carnival under the auspices of the Red Cross and Miramichi Hospital Aid will be held in the local rink next Friday evening. Good ice and good music is assured and prizes will be given for the three best costumes. Everybody is invited to attend and help make the carnival a success for these two worthy organizations. Hot Coffee and Doughnuts will be served during the evening.

SUDDEN DEATH AT

WOODBURN FARM

Dr. Kinsman of Truro, who with Mrs. Kinsman, a sister of Mrs. Geo. E. Fisher, has been spending the winter at Woodburn Farm, went out snowshoeing on Wednesday and enjoyed a long tramp. He spent the evening playing dominoes with the family and retired about 11 o'clock. At about 3 o'clock Mrs. Kinsman was awakened by his deep respirations, and, falling to get a reply to questions, telephoned for Dr. Marven, who found on arrival that the gentleman was dead. Dr. Kinsman was about 67 years old. He had been for some time troubled with hardening of the arteries, and death was caused by the rupture of a blood vessel in the brain.

ECZEMA
You are not experiencing it? When you do, you will find Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People the only remedy that will cure it. It is the only medicine that will cure it. It is the only medicine that will cure it.

A Gard Party will be held in the Town Hall, Monday, Feb. 12th at 8 P. M., under the auspices of the Newcastle Sub-Division C. W. L. Prizes will be awarded for Auction Bridge, Auction Forty-Fives, and Progressive Whist.

FIRE ALARM

The Fire Department was called out Sunday evening for a fire in Mr. Wm. Gifford's residence.

Friends of Mr. Clem Ryan, who is a patient in the Miramichi Hospital, will be pleased to hear that the condition of his health is improving.

FIRE IN VERDUN

A building occupied by two families in Verdun, across the river, was burned to the ground on Sunday evening about 9:30 o'clock.

CANDLEMAS DAY

Last Friday, Candlemas day, was bright and clean, and the Ground Hog was able to see his shadow all day. If the old legend runs true, we are doomed for more cold stormy weather.

FOOD, CANDY AND FANCY SALE

The Junior Women's Club of St. James' Church will hold a Food, Candy and Fancy Work Sale in St. James' Hall on Saturday, February 10th. Doors open at 3 o'clock, p. m.

PIPES FROZEN UP

A number of water pipes in resident's houses were frozen yesterday morning. The thermometer registered 34 degrees below zero.

CONDUCTED SERVICES

Owing to the illness of Rev. L. T. MacLean, the services on Sunday in St. James' Presbyterian Church were conducted by Rev. Mr. Gardiner of Moncton, N. B.

PLOW RAN OFF

A. C. N. R. snowplow special was derailed here last week by going through an open switch. The train was pretty well piled up and the men in the plow had to get out over deep snow banks.

LIEUT.-GOVERNORSHIP

The latest in regard to the Lieut-Governorship is that it will go to Mr. Todd, of St. Stephen when Mr. Pugsley retires. It is now stated that Mr. Robinson, of Moncton will remain in the provincial government, for some time at least, and that he may become a member of the Board of Directors of the C.N. Railways. According to the Gleaner, Hon. Wm Pugsley, when he retires from the governorship, is to act as counsel for the Dominion Government in respect to Canada's war reparations claims. It is further stated that Mr. Pugsley will remain as governor, until the legal work he has in view begins to materialize. This seems like a very convenient arrangement—for Mr. Pugsley.

CALLED TO OTTAWA

By a unanimous vote, the congregation of Erskine Presbyterian church, Ottawa, at a recent special meeting, decided to extend a call to Rev. E. B. Wyllie, M.A.B.D.L.L.Ph.D., minister of First Church, San Diego, Cal. and formerly of Chatham, N. B. No other name was considered by the congregation and the stipend was established at \$2500 per year, the former salary of the office being \$2400 per annum. Dr. Wyllie has been in Ottawa for the past few weeks, while Mrs. Wyllie and three children are at present in San Diego, Cal. He will rejoin Rev. Dr. Wyllie in Ottawa, as soon as the formal arrangements for his transfer to his position of our pastor has to indicate to us.

OCEAN DELAYED

The eastbound Ocean Limited was two hours late in reaching here on Sunday, the delay being due to the extreme cold weather experienced north.

ASSIGNMENT

The Canadian Credit Men's Trust Association Ltd., of St. John announces that George H. Morris doing business in Newcastle as Dickson & Troy, has made an assignment. A meeting of creditors is to be held in St. John on February 15th.

"WHAT KIND OF HAY HAVE YOU THIS WINTER"

The old saying that "the proof of the pudding is in the eating" is abundantly borne out as far as value of stored hay is concerned. The long winter months are the real testing time of the efficiency of our methods of growing and harvesting our hay crop.

Now that we are well started on our regular feeding period we are in a position to judge whether or not we have been wise or unwise during the past summer in the seeding and harvesting practices that we have followed with our hay crops. If our mows still give promise of furnishing us with sufficient feed for the coming months and if the condition of our animals bears testimony to the fact that the fodder was good, we have reason to congratulate ourselves. If, however, our fodder is either insufficient or poor, or perhaps both, we may well examine critically the farming practices that are responsible for the existing condition. If the fodder is consistently poor, our harvesting operations may well bear changing. If it is scarce there may be a number of influences at work.

Perhaps we did not seed down a large enough acreage or there may have been unfavorable weather conditions, that destroyed a part of the crop. If lack of fodder is due to either of these reasons, we may remedy it. In the first instance the obvious thing to do would be to seed down a greater acreage, whereas in the second instance there may be a number of remedies. Winter killing that is beyond our control can only be met by planting some annual hay crop to make up the estimated shortage. We have however, winter killing and general failure of hay crops due to other reasons that are within our power to control. A very considerable part of our failures to produce a profitable crop of hay is due to the planting of insufficient or because we try to grow a particular hay crop under soil or climate conditions that are decidedly unfavorable for it.

We have a great abundance of different forage plants which vary enough in their adaptations to take care of mostly all soil and climate conditions which we meet on the ordinary farm. In spite of this fact we mostly trust to Timothy and Red Clover under all conditions. These are undoubtedly two of our best general hay crops in Eastern Canada yet if we are to secure the highest yields we must recognize that they have limitations and try and secure the fodder plant best suited for our special requirements.

Whether our lot has been failure or success as determined by the winter feeding of our forage it is well worth our while to face the situation squarely and decide to profit by whatever the present conditions of our fodder has to indicate to us.

London Couple Are Delighted

His Wife's two Years of Trouble Is Now Ended, Says Frank Westlake

"Tanlac has made all the difference in the world in my wife's health and we are both delighted" declared Frank Westlake, valued employee of the Public Works Department of London, Ont; residing at 40 Langarth St.

"About two years ago my wife underwent an operation that left her badly run-down and she simply couldn't get back her strength. Her appetite left her and she could hardly eat enough to keep going. The least exertion would tire her out completely, and her housework was an awful burden. She would lie awake hours at night, too, and morning found her just as tired as when she went to bed. She suffered terrible splitting headaches, her nerves were on edge and she got very little pleasure out of life.

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NOTICE

A meeting of Agricultural Society No 122 will be held in the Town Hall, on Tuesday, February 20th 1923 at 2 o'clock P. M. A full attendance of the members is requested.

D. S. GORDON, President

BANK STOCK GOING UP
The stock of the Royal Bank of Canada has been going strong since the beginning of the new year and yesterday sold in Montreal up to 220%. This stock has for some time been paying a dividend of fourteen per cent. and is cheap even at the present price.

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Matinee Thursday at 4 O'clock

Admission: - 10c and 25c, plus tax

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Charles Jones in "West of Chicago"

CITY MEAT MARKET

We have this week, choice Western Beef, good fresh Pork, Corn Beef, Spare Ribs, Clear Cut Pork, Boiling Pork, Fresh Pork Hocks, Rose Brand Bacon, Rose Brand Hams, Blood Puddings, Bologna, and Home Made Sausages. Salt Cod, Salt Herring, Smoked Haddies, Smoked Fillets, Smoked Kippers, Bloaters, Fresh Cod, Fresh Fillets, Fresh Halibut. Fresh Beef by the quarter---Good. We also have a nice line of Groceries, Fruit, and Candy.

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