

## Local and General News

**TO PETEAWA**  
90th. Battery, 10th. Brigade  
C. F. A left on Saturday for Pete-  
wawa for Competitive practise and  
will be absent for eight days.

**TO PETEAWA**  
Four officers, with Major H. H.  
Ritchie in command and thirty other  
ranks of the 90th. Newcastle Field  
Battery left Saturday for Peteawawa,  
where they will go into a camp for  
competitive practise for six days.

**Don't Miss A Big Ball  
Game between the Night  
Hawks and The Morning  
Stars At 2.30 p. m. Wed.  
July 8th. Moving Pictures  
will be taken of the game.  
Proceeds in Aid of the  
Picnic - Admission 25cts.**

**DONATED TO HIGH SCHOOL**  
At the closing exercises in Har-  
kins Academy Monday evening Mr.  
J. H. Barnett, the principal, an-  
nounced that a ten dollar gold  
piece had been donated to the 1926  
graduate who makes the highest  
standing in the English subjects for  
the year.

**STORES TO CLOSE**  
Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday,  
the merchants of Newcastle will  
close their stores at 12 o'clock, noon  
and will continue to do so during  
July, August and September, there-  
by giving the merchants and clerks  
a weekly afternoon holiday, during  
the summer months.

**INJURED BY BASEBALL**  
Neville Mann, nephew of John  
Whalen clerk at the Queen Hotel,  
was knocked unconscious at the  
Queen's Square diamond Wednesday  
afternoon when a foul ball struck  
him as he stood among spectators.  
The boy was taken away for treat-  
ment but soon revived. Later he re-  
sumed his duties as bell boy at the  
Queen.—Fredericton Mail.

**ACCIDENT TO STR. MIRAMICHI**  
During her down river trip on Wed-  
nesday, with about fifty passengers  
on board, the steamer Miramichi was  
disabled when enroute from Nguac  
to Burnt Church her intermediate  
shaft suddenly broke. She dropped  
anchor until the 'Jubilee' arrived to  
tow her up, reaching Chatham about  
10 p. m.

**NOTICE**  
Final Payments are due as of July  
1, 1925 on Subscriptions to New Build-  
ing Fund of New Brunswick Protest-  
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**HOLIDAY OBSERVED**  
July 1st, Dominion Day was ob-  
served in Newcastle as a public holi-  
day. A heavy downpour of rain start-  
ed about 10.30 o'clock in the morn-  
ing and continued throughout the  
day.

**BOARD OF TRADE MEETING**  
The regular monthly meeting of  
the Newcastle Board of Trade  
will be held in the Town Hall on  
Monday, July 13th, at 8 o'clock, p. m.  
WM. FERGUSON,  
Secy.

**NO MEETING.**  
The postponed meeting of citizens  
for the purpose of arranging an  
event for the welfare of Newcastle  
during this summer, which was to  
have been held in the Town Hall  
last night, did not materialize.

### Closing Exercises Derby Superior School

The closing exercises of the Derby  
Superior School, Monday were held  
Monday afternoon June 29th, at 2 p.  
m. in the presence of a large number  
of visitors.

In his opening remarks, the prin-  
cipal, Stanley C. Ross of Fairville,  
expressed confidence that the year's  
work had been rewarded with suc-  
cess and suggested that school work  
might be made even more successful  
by more active interest in school af-  
fairs on the part of the parents.

An interesting program including  
several violin selections by Mr. A.  
C. Crocker, was presented. The pupils  
of the Primary Department taught  
by Sadie M. Bryenton, entertained  
the visitors in a pleasing manner  
with recitations dialogues and skit-  
ing. Miss Bryenton conducted an ex-  
amination in Reading which was  
much enjoyed. The contributions of  
the Advanced Department were of  
a patriotic nature. The principal  
taught a model lesson in History,  
the subject being "Why We Are Can-  
adians." Following was a rendering  
of "The Flag" (Written by Joseph  
Howe) by Olive Brodie; an essay  
"The British Flag", by Audrey Mil-  
ler; Essay, "Confederation," Honor  
McKinley; Essay, "The Value and  
Protection of Our Forests," by Mur-  
iel Close and Walter McLean.

The prizes presented by the Trust-  
ees to the pupils, making the highest  
average in each Department were  
won by Edith Carter, Grade III, and  
Walter McLean, Grade X.

Following the presentation, of  
prizes, a handsome bookstand, with  
an address of appreciation was pre-  
sented, on behalf of the pupils, by  
Ruby Carter and Audrey Miller, to  
Mr. Ross, who has resigned his po-  
sition.

In their remarks the trustees ex-  
pressed satisfaction at the evidences  
of progress in the school, apprecia-  
tion of the worth of the teachers and  
regret that Mr. Ross should have de-  
cided to sever his connection with  
the school.

The exercises were concluded by  
the Flag Salutation and the National  
Anthem.

### Harkins Academy Past List

**PROMOTED FROM GRADE VII. TO  
GRADE VIII.**  
Sadie Whitney, Lena McKinley,  
Reginald Sutherland, Lillian Weldon  
Jennie Shaw, Fred O'Donnell, Percy  
Richards, John Ryan, Wallace Mal-  
laby, Melbourne White, Willie Mc-  
Cormick, Ida Murray, Damsie Sprout,  
Lloyd Russell, Mike Maroney, Hir-  
am Russell, Katie Smallwood, Dan  
Fitzgerald, Osborne Russell, Royce  
Anderson.

## Baseball Notes

**Friday Night's Game**  
Newcastle played at Nelson on  
Friday night but the game only went  
two and a half innings, when an ac-  
cident occurred which everyone of  
the large gathering of fans regret.  
English was umpiring balls and  
strikes and Green the bases. Harry  
Graham and Clive Lindon was the  
battery for Newcastle and Briggs  
and Coughlan for Nelson. It looked  
like a real baseball game, each side  
being retired with no scores in their  
initial innings with both batteries  
and in and outfields working in good  
shape. Newcastle was blanked in  
their second and Nelson scored two  
runs in their half. In this inning  
Archibald for Nelson made a nice  
stop and Cecil Murray for Newcastle  
made two lovely catches. In the lo-  
cals third they scored one run making  
it 2-1 in favor of Nelson. Then came  
the fatal half Nelson's third  
Graham was pitching great ball and  
watching the bases in goodstyle.  
He caught one baserunner off first  
and then ran to second and caught  
the man out. Archibald was trying  
the same thing and Graham threw  
to first and the runner was caught  
between first and second. Archibald  
retired to the bench but to the ex-  
treme surprise of every fan, the um-  
pire sent him back to 2nd, calling it a  
balk. This decision immediately  
created the fireworks and pandemon-  
ium was let loose. Everything possi-  
ble was done to get the matter  
settled amicably but the umpire  
called the game in Nelson's favor,  
which was protested by Newcastle.  
The matter will be dealt with by a  
meeting of the league executive  
this week.

**Last Night's Game**  
On Monday night Newcastle played  
in Loggieville, and defeated that  
team by 11 to 2. An interested assem-  
bly were present to see the perform-  
ance. Graham and Lindon were on  
the mound for Newcastle, and Malley  
and Harriman worked for Loggie-  
ville. Green was umpire-in-chief and  
Langdon took care of bases. Loggie-  
ville was unable to do anything with  
Graham's offerings and their lone  
two runs were scored in their 4th  
inning both runs accounted by two  
small hits and a lost ball in the grass  
the fielder being unable to locate it.  
The locals played snappy ball and  
used the stick in fine style. In their  
first they netted 5 runs, in the third,  
one and in the fourth, five. Graham  
had 11 strike outs and Malley 3.  
Chatham played in Nelson last  
night which resulted in a 3-3 tie.

### Three Earth Shocks Were Felt Friday

**SANTA BARBARA, July 4**—Three  
distinct shocks and a number of trem-  
ors did not halt reconstruction in  
Santa Barbara, yesterday. With  
private enterprise activity in the  
business district, the county super-  
visors, in their first session since  
the quake of Monday, hired an archi-  
tect to plan a \$10,000,000 court house  
and a \$200,000 county hospital.

In making a general outline for the  
new building plans the supervisors  
ordered that provision be made for  
a doubling of county business in ten  
years.

Lines at all Red Cross canteens  
were reduced to a minimum during  
all hours of the day, some of the  
branch canteens were closed. The  
Salvation Army closed its canteen  
last night.  
Street car service is promised for  
some sections of the city today.

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### GOVT. REDUCES STUMPAGE RATES

The Provincial Government has  
dealt with the requests of the New  
Brunswick Lumbermen's Association  
for a reduction in stumpage rates  
and the introduction of the Quebec  
scale for logging operations upon the  
crown lands of the province as well  
as for a refund on stumpage dues on  
logging operations upon the crown  
lands during last winter.

The government's action was sum-  
marized in a statement as follows:

- (1)—The request for the refund on  
last year's cut was not granted.
- (2)—Regarding the request for the  
introduction of the Quebec scale the  
lumbermen have been notified that  
no change can be made except by  
legislative enactment; therefore the  
government could not deal with that  
matter.
- (3)—In response to the request for  
reduction in stumpage rates reduc-  
tions were made to go into effect on  
August 1 next which would make the  
rates per thousand feet as follows:  
Spruce, pine, hackmatac, cedar,  
\$3.00; hemlock, \$2.25; fir, \$2.50; pop-  
lar, \$2.50; hardwood, \$1.50; ties,  
each 12 cents; spruce, fir and all  
pines affected by fire or budworm  
—one half regular stumpage.

The reductions in the case of

spruce, pine, hackmatac and cedar  
amount to \$1 a thousand, the old rate  
being \$4 and the new \$3. The reduc-  
tion in the case of fir is 50 cents from  
\$3 to \$2.50. Only in the case of hard  
wood is an increase shown, the rate  
changing from \$1.25 to \$1.50. By far  
the greater part of the lumber cut in  
New Brunswick is made up of spruce  
pine and fir.



**KEATING'S  
KILLS**  
KILL MOTHS

### Senior Golf Assoc- iation To Be Or- ganized For N. B.

New Brunswick, is likely to soon  
have a senior golf association, such  
as many of the other districts of  
Canada and the United States have.  
The opening meet will probably be  
held on the course of the Riverside  
Golf and Country Club, St. John,  
the last week in August and will  
continue for three days. A. C. Currie  
is organizer for the western part of  
the province and Hon. C. W. Robin-  
son of Moncton, is looking after the  
matter in this locality.  
The object of the senior associa-  
tion is to enlist all male golfers hav-  
ing reached the age of 49 or over.  
Competitions will be held annually  
in tournament order and there will  
be visitations from club to club.



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