

Local and General News

NEW TENNIS COURTS
The Newcastle Tennis Club members are very much pleased with their new courts. They are taking a keen interest in the game and many fast players are developing.

PERMITS FOR SLASH BURNING
The Department of Lands and Mines has gazetted an official notice that in future only autumn burning will be permitted. Such burning is forbidden in the spring and permitted only under the supervision of a fire warden when general conditions are soft and at a place at least fifty feet from any forest.

You have a family of five to make tea for. This means that you should put five teaspoonfuls of MORSE'S SELECTED ORANGE PEKOE in the teapot. This quantity will be sufficient. Next, be sure that you get the right quantity of water and that it is freshly boiled. You ask how much water you should have. Just enough to make five cups.

MAYOR HAS CALLED MEETING
Mayor D.S. Creaghan has called a meeting of all interested citizens for Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Town Hall for the purpose of arranging details for the reception of the Governor General and party during their visit to Newcastle on Tuesday, August 28th. It is hoped that a large attendance will be present.

STUCK ON BAR
The pulpwood steamer "Phillip Dodge" went aground last week at the mouth of the river. The vessel was drawing 22 feet of water when she struck on the bar. It went over but took a sheer into shallow water and stuck there. A crew of men from Douglastown went down and threw a large quantity of blocks overboard to lighten her up.

BRIDGE TENDERS
The New Brunswick Department of Public Works is calling for tenders for the construction of Dumas Concrete Arch Culvert and Roadway Embankment, Parish of New Bedford, Gloucester County, and for the construction of Underhill Concrete Arch, Culvert and Roadway Embankment, Parish of Blackville, Northumberland County.

TRAVEL PERMIT REGULATION
The regulation governing permits to travel in New Brunswick forests by notice of July 31, is made to allow permits for but one trip only. The form of permit names certain officials and others who may travel without permit. To those are added clergymen, teachers, pupils accompanied by teachers, Boy Scouts and Scoutmasters.

SALMON PLENTIFUL
Fresh salmon appears to be more plentiful this season than for some years and retail at a lower price. Competition from far off British Columbia is said to be the reason for this. A Halifax concern is handling British Columbia dressed salmon and it is said has made heavy shipments to St. John during the last month. B.C. dressed salmon retail at twenty five cents a pound and the price for Miramichi dressed salmon has been brought down to twenty cents in order to meet the competition from the west.

CARD OF THANKS
The Trustee Board of the Miramichi Hospital, wishes to thank the friends who so kindly assisted in making the program of the graduation exercises and the social hour such a pleasant success and would especially mention the gifts of flowers from the choirs of the Baptist and Methodist churches used in the decoration of the stage; the privilege of the Assembly Hall from the Trustees of the School Board and Mr. A. Greinley, Mr. H.H. Ritchie and Mr. G.P. Burdill for the use of cars.

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HOSPITAL DRIVE
The Miramichi Hospital Extension and Nurses' Home Drive fund has reached the tidy sum of \$20,055.40 to date.

FOR PARTRIDGE
The open season for partridge for the year 1923 has been fixed from the first day of October to the 31st day of October, both days inclusive.

A HOT ONE
Andrew J. DeVoe, a weather forecaster of Hackensack, N.J. has made the prophecy that August would be the hottest month in fifty years.

NO VACANT CONGREGATIONS
News notes indicate that at the present time in at least two Presbyteries of the Maritime synod, Miramichi and Truro, there is not a single vacant congregation within the bounds.

OFF TO THE WEST
The first of the western harvest excursions passed through Newcastle on Friday. Many young men from the Maritime Provinces were a board anxious to help garner the wheat crops. The excursionists were joined here by quite a number of local young men.

FIRE ALARM
The Fire Department was given a run last Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock for a fire in the residence of James Murphy, near D.&J. Ritchie's mill. The damage was slight.

YOUR SUBSCRIPTION
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INJURED IN MILL
Roy D. MacKinnon a young man employed at the Fraser Co's mill had the misfortune to have one of his fingers badly mangled by coming in contact with one of the saws. He was operated on in the Miramichi Hospital last Wednesday, having part of the injured finger taken off, and will be under the care of Dr. Park for some time.

BOY PAINFULLY INJURED
Charles Walsh, eleven year old son of Mr. George Walsh was painfully injured last week. He persuaded his father to allow him to drive the mowing machine and while doing so the machine struck a stone and upset throwing the little fellow off. He was caught in the knives of the machine and part of his hand was cut off.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL CONTRACT
D. Morrison and Sons have been awarded the St. Mary's school contract, the price being in the vicinity of \$54,000. The building will be 68 x 86 ft., two stories, four class rooms on the second floor and two class rooms and an auditorium on the first floor. It will be constructed of brick with stone trimmings and is expected it will be completed by January.

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GOOD SIDE LINE

Lucky Junk Dealer Tumbled into Small Fortune.

Negligence of Authorities of Great Copper Mine Gave Him His Opportunity, and He Took It.

The letters you have been printing about gold seekers in the Far West recall the following incident of copper mining in Montana, writes a correspondent of the New York Herald. Day after day about 20 years ago a rickety old open wagon, drawn by a us-been horse, used to venture out from Anaconda and garner rags, bottles, sacks and old iron. One day, on its return to town, a hind wheel wobbled off as the vehicle was crossing a culvert, and wheel and load slid down into a greenish-looking little rivulet that passed under the culvert. The junk dealer recovered the wheel and drove on sadly into Anaconda. But, being thrifty, he went back one day to salvage the old iron, perhaps a whole dollar's worth. This he fished out of the little stream. He found that every horseshoe, every stove lid, every old broken tool that he clawed out of the shallow water was thickly coated with copper. He kept his mouth shut and in town he melted off that pure copper, for the greenish stream was an outflow of waste water from the great Anaconda smelter, where copper was melted out of the rocky ore of that region. Regularly, long after nightfall, the junk dealer used to go out on that road with a load of old iron and dump it into the greenish stream on this or that side of the culvert and fish out a load earlier deposited. The copper company detectives began reporting mysterious high-grade shipments of pure copper from Anaconda, but no direct thefts could be discovered. Not an employee could be caught red-handed. Finally the junk dealer's nocturnal trips came under suspicion and he was watched and his secret discovered, but not before he had realized a total of about \$34,000 in melting off pure copper from the deposits on his loads of junk iron. The company sought to enjoin him, sought to recover the values he had secured, but the court held that it was waste water in a public highway, and the lucky junk dealer was well within his rights. And the lesson was worth more than the lost value to the copper company, for it resulted in a catchment dam being built inside the company's fence, where scrap iron was used to recover copper values that long before had been running to waste. Accidents sometimes happen!

War on Insects.
The indications are that a great battle is to be waged soon between mankind and the insect army. There is nothing which has a greater potentiality for destruction than insects. There are 5,000,000 different kinds of insects and nearly all of them are bent in the line of destroying food and other materials of value to man. They cause ten times more damage than fire, and according to the Department of Agriculture, the annual tax imposed by insects is greater than pre-war expenditures of the United States. The Hessian fly destroys from 10 to 50 per cent of the grain sowings amounting to \$75,000,000. The Mexican chinch bug eats up \$3,000,000 worth of corn in this country and some worms are responsible for damage to corn amounting to three times that sum. The annual cotton loss is \$35,000,000 and the damage to live stock is considerable. The peculiar feature of this is that although man has for years been studying the insects with the thought of preventing their ravages, their inroads are constantly increasing.

The Clever Saleswoman.
A Cleveland woman went shopping in Paris—they all do—and finally reached a saleswoman who had a working knowledge of English and an engaging air. The customer had a serious question to ask. "Am I to wear my skirts longer than I have been wearing them?" The saleswoman spread out her fat hands. "It largely depends, madame." "Depends upon what?" The saleswoman smiled. "The length of madame's skirts largely depends upon madame's means of locomotion." Which the Cleveland woman considered a very neat way of putting it.

A Little Louder, Doc.
A doctor in the Hume-Mansur building was treating one of his patients, who is slightly deaf. He thought he would be a little sociable and remarked: "Don't those bells of Christ church sound beautiful today?" The patient replied: "I don't get you." The physician repeated and the patient answered a little louder with more emphasis: "You'll have to speak a little louder, Doc, I can't hear you for those church bells."—Indianapolis News.

Children Bought Baby Hippopotamus.
A baby hippopotamus, four years old and weighing a ton, was recently transported from the Philadelphia zoological gardens to Boston in a specially built motortruck. The animal was purchased with \$5,000 in pennies contributed by the school children of Boston. The baby hippo was named "Baby" and was the first of its kind to be transported in this manner.

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EX-PREMIER MEIGHEN HERE
Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Conservative Party in the Dominion of Canada leaves Moncton this morning for Newcastle, Chatham and other North Shore points. He expects to spend tonight in Chatham with Mr. W.S. Loggie, ex M.P. and will leave for Fredericton on Wednesday.

Worth While Photoplay **Seek improvement of N.B. Lobster Fisheries**

"The Old Homestead" which comes to the "Opera House" to-morrow, is said to be quite worth while. The story is quite human and the action dramatic and strong. Theodore Roberts heads an all star cast of Paramount Stock Company players.

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