

Local and General News.

CORRECTION

The late Allan J. Murray was a member of the 145th Battalion Band, and not a member of the 132nd Battalion as previously reported.

CARD OF THANKS

Dr. H. Sproul and family wish to express their sincere thanks for kindness and sympathy shown by friends and relatives, during their recent sad bereavement.

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Mrs. Allan J. Murray and family wish to thank their relatives and friends for kindness shown during their recent sad bereavement. Also those who so kindly sent flowers.

FIRE AT BATHURST

A disastrous fire occurred on Friday night in Bathurst. Several buildings were burned, including Jas. P. Whelan's store, Comeau's store and Palmer's the local vendor. Mr. Whelan lost everything, partly covered by insurance.

OLD-FASHIONED SNOWSTORM

The storm which set in last Thursday night from the north-east was an old fashioned one. It developed into a forty mile blizzard and kept up all day Friday. About a foot of snow fell and heavy drifts were made by the strong wind. All trains were delayed and travelling was the most difficult experienced for years.

FIRE AT BLACKVILLE

The store of Max Lampert & Co., Blackville, was completely destroyed by fire Thursday evening. The blaze which originated in the back part of the building, spread rapidly and it was impossible to save any of the contents. The building, which was owned by Mrs. Jacob Layton, was uninsured, but Mr. Lampert, it is understood, is fully insured.

GROCERY STORE CLOSED

Messrs. D. & J. Ritchie & Co., closed their grocery store on Saturday. This is one of the oldest business establishments in Newcastle. The firm in future will confine themselves entirely to the lumber business. Mr. Harry A. Taylor, who has been employed as a clerk by the firm will conduct the grocery business in his own name at the old stand, and will be pleased to cater to the many friends and patrons of the store.

PLATE GLASS WINDOW BROKEN

A plate glass window in C. M. Dickison & Sons drug store was broken early yesterday morning by the ice falling off the roof. Fortunately it was early in the morning, and few pedestrians were moving, or otherwise some one might have been seriously injured. We drew attention to the necessity of cleaning off overhanging icicles in last week's issue, but apparently it had but little effect. However, now that some damage has been done, it is possible that the residents will see that they are cleaned off. If not some serious accident will likely occur and those responsible will have no one to blame but themselves.

After Every Meal

WRIGLEYS

Top off each meal with a bit of sweet in the form of WRIGLEYS.

It satisfies the sweet tooth and aids digestion. Pleasure and benefit combined.



SCHOOLS RE-OPEN

The Public Schools will re-open on Monday next, after the Christmas and New Year's vacation.

HOCKEY

In the first hockey game of the season Campbellton defeated Bathurst on Friday night by the close score of 1-0.

RUN-OFF ON CHATHAM BRANCH

The Chatham branch was stalled in the Chatham yard limits Wednesday as she was coming from Loggieville by the engine leaving the track. The rails were considerably torn up. No one was hurt and no damage to the engine was reported. After a few hours delay the repaired engine was successfully put on the track again.

GOOD SHOWING FOR YEAR

The Women's Home and Foreign Mission Society in connection with St. James' Church held an Apron & Fancy Sale and Tea in the Bule Schoolhouse on Dec. 15th which was very successful. The proceeds amounted to \$73.80. This Society since starting in June have now on hand \$106.00.

G. W. V. A. SMOKER

The G.W.V.A. held a smoker and entertainment in their rooms last evening. It was to have been held on Friday, but on account of the storm was postponed. A large number of ex-soldiers were present and the evening was most pleasantly passed in speeches, songs, recitations and conversation.

LIVELY BIDDING IN SALE OF TIMBER BERTHS

There was some lively bidding at noon Wednesday when the license of timber berth on the east branch of the Canaan River, consisting of two square miles, was offered for sale. It was finally bid in by H. S. Wasson representing the Fraser Companies, at \$300 per square mile, the bidding having started at \$20 per square mile.

GLASS THAT WON'T BREAK

According to recent reports, a Bohemian inventor, after 13 years of research, has succeeded in producing unbreakable glass. At a recent demonstration, it is said, plates and vessels of the material remained whole when thrown to the ground from a height of 12 feet. Meat was roasted on a thin glass plate over an open fire at a temperature of 750 degrees Fahrenheit. Tin was melted in a glass pot and nails were driven in a piece of hardwood, using a piece of glass for a hammer.

NEW YEAR'S EGGS

The Persians still exchange presents of eggs at New Year's just as we do at Easter. But the rest of us now do our giving of presents at Christmas parties, though we may give to each other on January 1. In Scotland and England everybody calls on everybody else New Year's day and drinks punch. Here in America calling has gone out of style, but if we do nothing more, we at least shout "Happy New Year" to everybody we meet on New Year's morning. When we shout that, we mean good luck to them for all the new year through.

ANNUAL DINNER

The Bathurst officers of the North Shore Battalion, which has units in all the different North Shore towns, have begun definite arrangements for the annual dinner of the regiment, which is to take place in Bathurst this year, probably at the new Gloucester Hotel, early in February. The function is of course a strictly military one, the guests being the officers of the regiment and all other officers residing in the district who have seen service in the late war, although not now definitely connected with the North Shore Regiment.

AT HOME

Mrs. Wm. Sinclair delightfully entertained at an "At Home" in the Town Hall on New Year's night, in honor of Miss Gwen Robinson. Dancing was indulged in and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by those present.

Would Not Be Without Baby's Own Tablets

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little ones she would not be without them. They are the ideal home remedy for the baby, being guaranteed to be absolutely free from opiates or other harmful drugs. They are a gentle but thorough laxative and have been proved of the greatest aid in cases of constipation, indigestion, colic, colds and simple fevers. Concerning them Mrs. Ernest Gagne, Beausejour, Que., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for constipation and colic and have found them so successful that I would not be without them. I would strongly recommend every mother to keep a box in the house." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

TOWN MANAGER SELECTED

At a meeting of the Woodstock town Council on Thursday afternoon M. J. Rutledge was engaged as town manager to succeed R. Fraser Armstrong. Mr. Rutledge during the last fifteen years has had a wide experience in engineering work, which includes municipal engineering and administrative work of all kinds. There were sixteen applicants for the position.

H. PRICE WEBBER

AS AN ENTERTAINER
H. Price Weber, the veteran actor furnished much amusement and entertainment at an entertainment in St. Mary's church schoolroom, Augusta, Me., the other day, by his droll stories and fine selections on the concertina, an instrument which is seldom seen on the stage to-day and which always proves of much interest to the audience. Mr. Weber was very entertaining and was most heartily applauded.

Catarrhal Conditions

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood upon Mucous Surfaces of the System. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assist Nature in doing its work. All Druggists. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

"Friend Customer"

We thank you for your patronage during the holiday season, and the success we enjoyed.

It pleases us to please our customers. Our aim is to give you the best possible service. We solicit your further patronage.

May the New Year of 1923 bring you a measure of happiness, health and prosperity beyond that which you have yet enjoyed.

Weldon & Co.
The Biggest LITTLE Store in Town
NEWCASTLE, N. B.
Dominion Express Orders issued here.

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INSTALLED NEW SHOW CASES

Messrs. C. M. Dickison & Sons have installed a new glass showcase in their drug store. It is of the latest style and displays especially well the large line of drugs kept by this firm.

POLICE COURT NEWS

The preliminary hearings of Chas. LeGalley, Robert Shaw, and John Galliah, were completed before Police Magistrate J. R. Lawlor on Saturday afternoon. Galley and Shaw were sent up for trial on two counts, viz: breaking and entering O'Brien's Tobacco Store and breaking and entering W. L. Durick's Drug Store. John Galliah was sent up for trial for breaking and entering W. L. Durick's Drug Store. The cases will be heard at the next session of Northumberland County Court in January before Judge McHatchey. Louis Grossman and Robert A'Dav' came before the Police Magistrate on Thursday 28th, and bail was renewed until January 5th, when their cases will be taken up.

PILES
Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and afford lasting benefit. 50c. a box; all dealers, or Edmanison, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample Box free if you mention this paper and enclose 2c. stamp to pay postage.

NEW YEAR'S

New Year's was quietly observed. The rink and picture houses were the chief attractions. The weather was inclement, but never-the-less the day was enjoyed by all.

YEAR USHERED IN

The New Year 1923 was ushered in by the ringing of St. James' Church bell and also by the Salvation Army who marched through the streets at Midnight.

Moody's January Sale

is the talk of the town

Come along and get your share of the BARGAINS.

These are a few of the Bargains we offer:

- Girls Sweaters...\$1.00
- Girls Scarf Sets...\$1.00
- Dress Goods, worth \$1.00 per yd. now 50c per yd.
- Dress Goods, worth \$1.50 per yd. now 75c per yd.
- Silk Skirts...\$3.75
- Coats...\$9.99
- Kimonas, \$2.75 & \$3.75
- Window Shades...75c
- Lot of Wall Paper, double roll...25c
- Prints and Gingham, per yd...20c
- 10 yards Factory Cotton...\$1.00
- Balance of our Sweater Wool, 2 oz. ball...29c

Our Whole Stock at a Discount

Come early and get the best to be had

MOODY & COMPANY

CITY MEAT MARKET

We have the BEST BEEF that comes from the West

Also nice Fresh Pork, Smoked Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Round Bacon, Sausages, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens and Fowl.

A good assortment of Candy in Barley Toys, Christmas Mixed, Gross Candy, Chocolate Bars, Chocolates in bulk & Fancy Boxes, Nuts of all kinds also mixed Nuts. Oranges 25c, 45c, 65c and 75c.

We have several kegs of Large Red Grapes that we are selling at 35c lb

OUR GROCERY STOCK IS LARGE AND THE PRICES ARE RIGHT.

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Quality **STABLES' GROCERY** Service.

We have just closed a very successful year and hope to make the coming year a greater success.

We realize that our success will depend largely in the sort of service we render to our customers, and hope you will help us to the extent of offering friendly criticism whenever your orders are not handled to your entire satisfaction.

As we are prompt in service we would ask our customers to be prompt in payments.

Hoping to have your co-operation.

JAMES STABLES

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