



ST. PATRICK'S DAY

The annual St. Patrick's Day Concert will be held in the
Opera House, Newcastle
 ON
March 17, 19, 20
 SATURDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY

St. Mary's Choir will this year present that Comedy Drama

"A Pair of Sixes"

By Edward Peple

The action is quick, the plot very droll, and the merri-
 ment is so plentiful and of such capital quality that it
 is always accompanied by a roar of continuous laughter from
 beginning to end.

Our specialties as usual will be of high order. Don't
 fail to be on time to hear the opening numbers of our wonder-
 full ten piece Orchestra—It can't be beat.

Children's tickets 35c to be sold at Durick's and Morris'
 Drug Stores.

Plan of the Hall for March 19th at T. J. Durick's Drug
 Store. Plan of Hall for March 20th at E. J. Morris' Drug
 Store.

A special Matinee for the Children on Saturday after-
 noon. Doors open at 2 o'clock, performance begins at 2.30.

Reserved Seats on March 19th 75 cents
 Reserved Seats on March 20th 75 cents
 Orchestra Seats \$1.00

Tickets Sold at the Door

Doors open at 7.30 p. m.—Performance begins 8.15 p.m.

Subscribe for the Advocate

Mitchell's Meat Market Specials

We will give on Thursday, Friday and Saturday
 of this week only, our Dollar Day prices on all
 goods.

Following is a list of a few of the offerings
 and we have many more to suit your purse

THESE PRICES ARE FOR CASH ONLY

14 Bars Surprise Soap.....	\$1.00	10 pkgs. Jello for.....	1.00
15 lbs. Hand Picked Beans.....	1.00	Beef Steak, per lb.....	.20
14 Bars Naptha Soap.....	1.00	Rib Roast, per lb.....	.15
14 Bars Comfort Soap.....	1.00	Stew Meat, per lb.....	.12
7 Cans Tomatoes.....	1.00	Fresh Young Pork, per lb.....	.25
7 Cans Corn, Peas or Tomatoes.....	1.00	Choice Hams, per lb.....	.35
5 lbs. Good Cocoa.....	1.00	Breakfast Bacon, per lb.....	.40
2 1/2 lbs. Best Ground Coffee.....	1.00	Bologna, per lb. by the roll.....	.15
2 lbs. Blue Bird Tea for.....	1.20	Picnic Hams, per lb.....	.25
2 lbs. Ceylon Tea or King Cole Tea.....	1.00	6 lb. Tin of Head Cheese for.....	1.00
2 lbs. Orange Pekoe Tea.....	1.00	6 lbs. White Puddings for.....	1.00
20 lbs. Rolled Oats for.....	1.00	6 White Blood Puddings for.....	1.00
5 Cans Green Gage Plums for.....	1.00	6 lb. tin of Cooked Corned Beef for.....	1.50
5 Cans Blue Plums for.....	1.00	Tomato Catsup, quart bottles.....	.50
6 lbs. Dried Apples for.....	1.00		
Raisins, 15 oz. pkg.....	.20		
Raisins, 11 oz. pkg.....	.15		

All kinds of Fresh, Salt and Smoked Fish for the Lenten Season
 Butter, Eggs and Cheese. New Goods Priced Low---You Save

Mitchell's Meat Market.

Phone 79 Newcastle, N. B. Water Street

Bill Was Given First Reading

A bill to amend the act regulating
 the sale and inspection of root veget-
 ables was introduced in the House of
 Commons, Thursday, by T. W. Cald-
 well, Progressive, Carleton. Mr. Cald-
 well explained that the bill provided
 that an inspection certificate signed
 by an inspector should be prima
 facie evidence of the grade of root
 vegetables. The bill was given first
 reading.



ASSESSORS' NOTICE

The assessors of Rates for the
 Town of Newcastle, in the County
 of Northumberland, hereby give no-
 tice to every person and Body Cor-
 porate liable for assessment within
 the said Town to furnish the assess-
 ors within thirty days of the date
 hereof, with a written detailed
 statement duly sworn to, of Real and
 Personal Estate and Income for
 which they are liable to be assessed
 within the said Town.

Blank forms for statements may
 be had from the assessors or at the
 Town Office.

ASSESSMENT FOR 1923

Town	
Park and Fire	\$ 4000.00
Schools	23000.00
Police & Street Lighting	4500.00
Public Works	5000.00
Permanent Work	2000.00
Contingencies	4000.00
Sinking Fund	4700.00
Interest	6000.00
Water & Sewerage Extension	2000.00
County	
Schools	\$ 2392.00
Pauper Lunatics	520.00
Contingencies	4380.00
Alms House Fund	1000.00
Board of Health	\$18.00
	\$64908.00

H. R. MOODY,

A. L. BARRY,

J. H. SARGEANT, Assessors

Dated at Newcastle, N. B.
 March 5th, 1923 10-4

PERSONALS

Mr. Edward Vye of Blackville was
 in town on Saturday.

Mr. George C. Coudsi spent several
 days of last week in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Locke are con-
 fined to their home with gripe.

Mr. Blanchard A. McCurdy return-
 ed to Detroit, Mich., on Thursday.

Mrs. T. V. Tozer of Moncton is the
 guest of her sister Mrs. Helen Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crocker are
 visiting friends in Boston and New
 York.

Mr. S. J. Simpson of Blackville was
 a guest at the Victoria Hotel, St. John
 on Friday.

Mr. Leroy A. Morrison left recent-
 ly for Boston, where he has accepted
 a position.

Mr. Fred McCormack, spent the
 weekend with his parents, Mr. and
 Mrs. John McCormack.

Mrs. W. A. Hickson and daughter
 Miss Florence, arrived in Montreal
 on Saturday from England and will
 take up their residence at the Ritz-
 Carlton for the next couple of months.

WEDDINGS

UNDERHILL—DOBSON

The marriage of James T. Under-
 hill of East End, Saskatchewan, to
 Miss Mary A. Dobson of Clarksburg,
 Ont. was solemnized by Rev. E. J.
 Chegwain, at Moosejaw, Sask., on
 February 1st, 1923.

Railway News

Toronto.—It is announced that Mr.
 G. S. Beer, C. P. R. city passenger
 agent, under District Passenger
 Agent William Fulton, has been pro-
 moted to the post of assistant dis-
 trict passenger agent. Mr. Fulton
 now has two assistants in his terri-
 tory.

Medicine Hat, Alberta.—An ex-
 penditure of about \$30,000 is rep-
 resented by the extension to the
 Canadian Pacific Railway round-
 house and the construction of the
 Company's mechanical coaling plant,
 and that sum is about equally di-
 vided between these two improve-
 ments. In both instances the work
 has given much employment to local
 men and there is still a consider-
 able amount of inside work to be
 done in connection with the exten-
 sion to the roundhouse.

Renfrew, Ontario.—Mr. Ed. Wil-
 liams, Canadian Pacific Railway
 baggage master, who in addition to
 his regular duties, takes care of the
 flower garden which attracts so
 much favorable comment from trav-
 ellers over the line, has secured an-
 other triumph. Mr. Williams has
 just been notified that his plot has
 been awarded second prize in the
 Quebec district, all of the depot gar-
 dens having been recently judged by
 an official of the road. During the
 past few years Mr. Williams has
 carried off a number of first prizes
 but the competition is growing keener
 year by year.

St. Thomas, Ontario.—Work has
 been commenced on the construction
 of an extension to the present C.P.R.
 yards east of the city, in the form
 of an 800-foot repair track at an ex-
 penditure of approximately \$15,000.
 The grading work which is being
 done by Irwin and Son of this city,
 was started recently. The extension
 is necessary to cope with the in-
 creased business and also to facili-
 tate the repairing of cars. It is
 also understood that the addition of
 the new tracks will result in sev-
 eral more employees being added to
 the C.P.R. repair gang.

A small track about 80 feet long
 will also be erected alongside the
 new tracks to be used in case of an
 emergency. The new track will hold
 at least forty cars. Four teams and
 about twenty men are engaged in
 rushing this work to completion.

Belfast, Ireland.—For the first
 time on record a Canadian-bound
 steamer sailed from Belfast Lough
 conveying mails direct from the
 Northern capital. The vessel was
 the Canadian Pacific Railway Com-
 pany's S.S. "Metagama" which, in-
 cidentally, was built in Belfast. The
 vessel anchored off Kilroot and 23
 bags of mail, together with some
 100 emigrants from Ulster, were
 conveyed to it by the Harbor Com-
 missioners' tug "Musgrave."

Hitherto it had been the practice
 to send the mails to Liverpool and
 other ports, from which they were
 despatched, but, acting on instruc-
 tions from the secretary of the Post
 Office in London, the present sys-
 tem was introduced.

One of the passengers was a five-
 year-old child, from Dublin, whose
 parents are in Canada. The little
 one was in charge of a matron who
 handed it over to the matron of the
 "Metagama."
 A Belfast "Telegraph" represen-
 tative was shown over the "Meta-
 gama," and saw something of the
 excellent arrangements made for
 the comfort of passengers.

PARTED BY WAR

Civil Strife Caused Separation
 of Noted Churchmen.

Missionary Centennial Recalls Affec-
 tion Between Bishop Melvaine and
 Bishop Polk, on Opposing Sides.

A striking memory of Civil war his-
 tory is awakened in connection with
 the centenary of the Episcopal Mis-
 sionary society, falling this year,
 which centers about two devout bish-
 ops of the church. Bishop Melvaine
 of Ohio and Bishop Leonidas Polk of
 Tennessee, life-long friends, whose
 consciences made them 'enemies' when
 the war divided the country.

Bishop Melvaine was the elder of
 the two and was chaplain at West
 Point when young Polk, scion of the
 family which gave a President to the
 United States, arrived at the academy
 bent on a military career. At the end
 of four years Polk was graduated into
 the army; but so marked was the in-
 fluence that Melvaine had exerted
 that, a few years later, the chaplain
 having in the meantime been elevated
 to the episcopacy, Polk resigned from
 the army and took clerical orders.

With the passage of the years it
 fell out that Melvaine and Polk be-
 came identified as leaders in the move-
 ment within the church which resulted
 in the dispatch of missionary bishops
 into the unsettled areas of the coun-
 try, and brought about those triumphs
 which are being acclaimed now in the
 missionary centennial. Polk was made
 the first missionary bishop of Arkan-
 sas and later first bishop of Louisiana.

Then came the war between the
 states, which arrayed father against
 son and brother against brother; and
 these two devout men of the church
 did not escape the peripetias of the
 situation. Bishop Melvaine answered
 the call of Lincoln and went to Eng-
 land with Archbishop Hughes, Henry
 Ward Beecher and Thurlow Weed to
 exert their influence against British
 recognition of the Confederacy. Bish-
 op Polk answered the call of Jefferson
 Davis and became a general in the
 Confederate army.

Thus actively aligned on opposite
 sides in the conflict, the stage was
 set for one of the most dramatic epi-
 sodes of the war. Back in the West
 Point days the two men had entered
 into a solemn compact that when they
 separated, wherever they might be,
 they would pray, each for the other
 by name, every Sunday morning. And
 now, the one fighting in the field for
 the South, and the other engaged in
 a delicate diplomatic mission for the
 North, enemies as to the political
 principle which was involved, their
 solemn compact was sacredly carried
 out until the end came with the death
 of Bishop Polk at the battle of Pine
 mountain.

History tells of the success of the
 mission to England, of which Bishop
 Melvaine was a part.

The kind of soldier Bishop Polk
 was is related in the general orders
 issued by Gen. J. E. Johnston, com-
 manding the army of Tennessee on
 June 14, 1864, the day Polk fell. It
 read:
 "Comrades: You are called to mourn
 your first captain, your oldest com-
 panion-in-arms. Lieut. Gen. Polk fell
 today at the outpost of his army—the
 army he raised and commanded, in all
 of whose trials he shared, to all of
 whose victories he contributed. In
 this distinguished leader we have lost
 the most courteous of gentlemen, the
 most gallant of soldiers. The Chris-
 tian, patriot, soldier has neither lived
 nor died in vain. His example is be-
 fore you; his mantle rests with you."

There is a striking picture, too, of
 this warrior-bishop contained in a let-
 ter he wrote to his wife less than a
 month before he fell.

"You will be interested," he wrote,
 "in hearing that the first night of my
 arrival with the army I baptized
 Lieut. Gen. Hood. It was on the eve
 of an expected battle. The scene was
 a touching one—he, with one leg
 leaning on his crutches, a veteran in
 the midst of his and my officers and I
 the officiating minister. His heart
 was fully in it."

A few nights later he also baptized
 General Johnston.

Corrosion of Metals.

The committee on corrosion of iron
 and steel of the American Society for
 Testing Materials reported that tests
 which have been in progress for five
 years in the Pittsburgh district on un-
 coated metal sheets are nearing com-
 pletion and have reached the point
 where the committee definitely con-
 cludes that "copper-bearing metal
 shows marked superiority in rust-re-
 sisting properties as compared to non-
 copper-bearing metal of substantially
 the same general composition, from
 which superiority we may truly an-
 ticipate a marked increase in the ser-
 vice life of copper-bearing metals under
 atmospheric exposure of uncoated
 sheets." Other corrosion tests are be-
 ing conducted in different parts of the
 country, and before very long a final
 report may be expected in which re-
 sults of importance will be stated.

Nothing Wrore to Him.
 Mother was terribly upset by Tom-
 my's appearance, particularly his un-
 washed face.

"Tommy, Tommy!" she exclaimed
 in great distress. "Your face needs
 washing terribly. Did you look at
 it in the mirror this morning?"

"No, mother," said Tommy, with ev-
 ery indication of surprised concern,
 "but it seemed all right when I felt
 it."—Exchange.

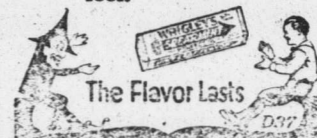
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provides pleasant action
 for your teeth, also
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 that sell at
 2c to 20c each

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 NEWCASTLE, N. B.
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One Thing More.

A pretty girl fluttered over to a
 neighbor's house Sunday last to bor-
 row some writing paper. She had an
 important letter to write and mail,
 and she was out of stationery. About
 half an hour later she returned for
 an envelope, and a little later still
 came back for a stamp. "Well, I hope
 that's all she wants to borrow today,"
 said the disgruntled neighbor woman
 as she slammed the door after the
 pretty girl. "She needs a little 'spit'
 to make the stamp adhere," said the
 neighbor woman's husband "and she'll
 be over after that in a minute."—
 Arkansas Thomas Cat (Hot Springs,
 Ark.).

Insurance Against Tuberculosis.

Dr. P. J. Menard outlines in the
 Presse Medicale a plan for universal
 compulsory insurance against tubercu-
 losis, the funds from which would
 serve for the fight against tubercu-
 losis. His scheme is something like
 compulsory social insurance against
 sickness, but the tax or insurance dues
 imposed would include all classes of
 society, not merely the wage earners.
 He protests that the fight against tu-
 berculosis should not be left to charity
 or private initiative.