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Commercial Hotel REOPENED M. J. KANE, Proprietor. HOUSE HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY CLEANED AND RENOVATED. EVERYTHING IN FIRST CLASS ORDER. STABLE IN CONNECTION 25-8p.

May Perform the Marriage Ceremony Rev. George A. Lynch of Chatham and Rev. Joseph M. Young of Campbellton, have been registered to solemnize marriages in the province of New Brunswick.

Local and Provincial

New Fish Company at Carquet Messrs. Michael Frechette, of Montreal, Theophile LeBouthillier, Pierre P. Morais, Seraphin Lezer and Joseph A. Blanchard, of Carquet, N. B., have been incorporated as the Les Pecheries de Carquet, Limited, to carry on a general fish business. The capital stock of the company is \$25,000 and the head office is at Carquet.

Mrs. Grace Sande's The death occurred at Deaktown, on Friday, July 7th, of Mrs. Grace Sande, widow of the late Pearson Sande. The deceased was a native of Deaktown, being a daughter of the late Charles Avery, and is survived by one brother, John, and one sister, Mrs. L. L. Nelson, of Deaktown. Mrs. Sande was in her seventy-fifth year and had been in failing health for some months. She is mourned by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, by whom she is highly esteemed for her splendid firmness of character and consistent Christian life.

Changes in Judicature Act The Royal Gazette this week contains notice that the Provincial Government passed an order-in-council on July 4th relating to the Judicature Act, 1909, amending and making additions to the existing rules under the above act. The changes set forth by the order-in-council are in respect to the partition of lands and the preparation of the docket for the Appeal Division of the Supreme Court. The docket shall be arranged in the following order: (1) Motion Paper; (2) Crown Paper; (3) Appeal Paper, and the entries on the Appeal Paper shall be divided: (1) County Court; (2) Probate Court; (3) Divorce Court; (4) King's Bench Division; (5) Chancery Division.

Catarhal Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Drug-gists, 75c. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Funeral of Late John Johnstone Religious services were conducted at Mr. Ernest Hutchison's Wednesday afternoon, by Rev. D. Henderson, assisted by Rev. Alex. Firth and Rev. J. J. Pinkerton, over the remains of the late John Johnstone. The choir of St. Andrew's church sang hymns. The Douglasstown band and the Masons in regalia met the procession at the Chatham ferry. At the grave in Riverside Cemetery Rev. Messrs. Firth and Pinkerton officiated, and then the impressive rites of the Masonic Order were conducted by Worshipful Master F. M. Tweedie and Chaplain Burchill. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. D. B. P. McKenzie, Wm. Wilson, Roger Flanagan, John McDonald, Geo. Watt and Robt. Murray.

Declassown Odd Fellows Install Officers The officers of Newcastle Lodge, J. O. O. F., at Douglasstown, were installed Friday by D. D. Grand Master Rigidon, assisted by Past Grand of Chatham and Unity Lodges, as follows: Harry Gray, N. G.; Jas. Simpson, V. G.; N. D. McCosh, R. S.; D. W. Anderson, F. S.; Fred Gray, Treas.; R. Atchison, R. S. N. G.; E. Hutchison, L. S. N. G.; Chas. Hanson, Con; Wm. Cassie, Warden; Jas. Dickens, I. G.; A. Cassie, O. G.; W. Taylor, R. S. V.; M. R. Benn, L. S. S.; S. Wood, R. S. V. G.; Wm. McDonald, L. S. V. G. With strawberries and cream, cake and cigars, speeches and readings, the brethren passed a pleasant hour after the work was finished.

Prohibition in Ireland Dublin, July 1.—Total prohibition of the sale of intoxicating drink in Ireland was advocated in a resolution passed at a meeting held in the Armagh City Hall. The Primat (Most Rev. Dr. Crozier), asked the meeting to realize the awful expenditure incurred by the war and the enormous tax-dation which it involved. They might probably be faced with national bankruptcy when the war was over. If it should end in an inconclusive peace, drink was the greatest stumbling block in the way of permanent saving and they were starting a crusade against it.

WALTER FREEZE Contractor & Builder OAKTOWN, N. B. ORDERS FOR Sash, Doors, Frames and all building material Given Prompt Attention contracts Solicited

Cossack Customs The word Cossack is itself derivative from the Turkish prototype of "adventurer," which is a typical word for the description of these roving horse-riders. The Cossack population amounts to roughly 2,500,000 men and women and they collectively own some 146,500,000 acres of Russian territory. Their living is chiefly obtained by the pursuit of agriculture, together with cattle and horsebreeding. The Cossacks enjoy special privileges from the Government of Russia, in return for which they give military services—a form of conscription. The young Cossack spends the three years of his life between eighteen and twenty-one in military training; the next twelve years in active service; and, finally, the following five years are spent in the national reserves.—Borwick, (N. S.) Register.

Annual Meeting National S. of T.

Rev. R. H. Stavert, of Norton, M. W. P., and Other Officers Present Interesting Reports Halifax, N. S., July 13.—The seven-day session of the National Division of the Sons of Temperance of Nova Scotia, opened in St. Paul's Hall in this city yesterday morning, the first meeting beginning at 11 o'clock. Most Worthy Patriarch Rev. R. Hensley Stavert is presiding. There was a very fair representation of delegates present at the opening roll call, the roll being in attendance from New Brunswick: Most Worthy Patriarch Stavert, Norton; Past Grand Worthy Patriarch E. S. Hennigar, St. John; Past Grand Worthy Patriarch Fred G. Moore, Hopewell, Albert County; Grand Worthy Associate Geo. A. Fawcett, representatives at large, Joshua Stark, Mrs. E. S. Hennigar, W. H. McDonald, Miss B. M. Stevens, St. John; visitor, Mrs. W. H. McDonald. At yesterday morning's session eight candidates were initiated into the national division, four from Nova Scotia, two from New Brunswick and two from the State of Maine. After the initiations and appointment of committees, the chief feature of the first session was the reading of the report of Most Worthy Patriarch Stavert, which was a splendidly prepared document that covered much important ground, and was listened to with great attention by the gathering. The report extended congratulations to the province of Nova Scotia and especially to the city of Halifax on the closing by law of the liquor saloons, and referred to the progress being made elsewhere throughout the jurisdiction in the way of prohibitory laws. The past year had seen more odds to contend with than at any other time on account of the great struggle on the continent of Europe which had taken away so many of our gallant boys to the front and which was responsible for the pushing of the claims of the order to the background through necessary efforts that had to be made in connection with patriotic work. It was claimed that the noble endeavor of the order of the Sons of Temperance to increase their membership to 75,000 by 1917 seemed doubtful of success yet it was gratifying that there was a grand movement throughout the world towards the banishment of the liquor evil. More determined effort than ever was urged that the rum evil might be stricken from the land. The most worthy patriarch referred to his personal work during the year, having visited New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Ontario, P. E. Island, and the state of Maine in the interests of the order. Especial emphasis was laid on the value of young people's work and the great need of more juvenile societies for the "hope of the future" which was most valuable. The Most Worthy cited an instance of a visit to the Weymouth division in Nova Scotia where he met two veterans in the order with long years of faithful service who told him they got their early training away back in the old days of old Golden Rule Division at Hopewell Hill, N. B. The lessons obtained in which had never been forgotten. This was another instance of the truth of the saying that "as the twig is bent the tree is inclined."

Private Savoy Not De'd Mrs. Joseph Savoy, Blackville, writes to the Chatham World, that her husband is not dead as reported, but was, when she last heard of him, in hospital, doing well under the care of physicians and nurses.

St. Andrew's Social A very pleasant and successful social was held Friday afternoon and evening on St. Andrew's Sunday School grounds. Music was furnished by the Wireless Band in the evening. Ice cream and various refreshments were sold. There was a good attendance, and the net proceeds were considerable.

Rev. and Mrs. Richardson Leaving July 31st Much regret is expressed, not only among his own Baptist people, but among all classes in the community, at the resignation of Rev. M. S. Richardson, from the United Baptist pastorate of Newcastle and Lower Derby. Mr. Richardson's father, who lives in West Jeddore, N. S., is 84 years of age and suffering from paralysis. Mr. Richardson will preach his farewell sermon on July 29th, and will leave next day for home to take care of his aged parents, as long as he is needed. He will continue in the work of the ministry, supplying pulpits wherever opportunity offers. By their enthusiasm, earnestness and patient, tireless work, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson have so endeared themselves to us, we have so endeared ourselves to them, that their withdrawal from Newcastle will be felt very keenly.

Reception to Pte. Coughlan Pte. Walter Coughlan, of Chatham, returning home from the front, stopped off at Newcastle Friday afternoon. A large number of citizens turned out to welcome him home to the Miramichi, and the Wireless band serenaded him, the assembly taking place in front of Hotel Miramichi. An address of welcome was given by Ex-Mayor Morrissey, who said that Newcastle was as proud of a Chatham hero as of one of her own. A soldier-benevolent as all Canada. He fought to defend us all, and we all honored each and every Canadian that goes to the front. Pte. Coughlan was very much pleased at his impromptu but cordial reception. He went to Chatham by auto and was met by a great concourse of citizens and the band. Mayor Hickey made an eloquent address of welcome and the returned hero was heartily cheered. Mr. Coughlan expects to return to the fighting line when he fully recovers his health and strength.

Happy Hour Thursday "Her Great Price" Metro wonders play in five gripping parts, with a charming young star, in the stellar role, will be the next feature at the Happy Hour at the theatre here at the Happy Hour on Thursday. Miss Taliaferro is supported by an exceptionally strong cast, including Henry Mortimer, Richard Forbes, George Paumecourt, Ruth Chester, Jeannetta Horton and William Cahill. There are many artistic settings and interesting scenes in this novel Metro production. The story itself is one of the most fascinating and surprising narratives ever shown on the screen. The final scenes are shown the spectators will not have the faintest idea of the outcome. It has a truly O'Henry finish and will prove a distinct innovation. Edwin Carew, who directed "Destiny," or "The Soul of a Woman" with Emily Stevens in the stellar role; and Ethel Barrymore in "The Final Judgment," two Metro screen masterpieces, is responsible for the finished direction of "Her Great Price."

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Tender Him An Address and Purse of Gold—Many Speeches in his Praise. The people of Douglastown turned out en masse Wednesday night to do honor to the returned hero Private Chesley K. Gray, son of Wm. Gray of Douglastown, who was the first to go to the front from the village, going to Valcartier from Chatham on August 18, 1914. He reached the trenches in March, fought through the great struggle in April known as the first Battle of Ypres, and was wounded in the face on May 20th and sent to an English hospital. His wound is not healed yet. He came home this month on a short furlough, and is to be back in England by August 2nd. He is spending his short vacation in Douglastown with his young wife and child and his parents. The school children of Douglastown, and the Douglastown Brass Band, with nearly the whole population of the village and many people from Newcastle and Chatham, escorted Pte. Gray and Mrs. Gray, who were driven by Mr. M. R. Benn in his automobile, to the Public School grounds, where the address and presentation were made and a fine program carried out. The grounds and platform had been beautifully decorated by a most loyal and efficient committee, consisting of Councillors Doyle and Lamont, Messrs. R. H. Jessiman, Thos. Barnett and others. The gates were arched, the arches covered with bunting. Flags appeared everywhere, and as soon as it was dark the grounds were lit up with Chinese lanterns. The platform was neatly improvised on the schoolhouse steps, and was gaily decorated. Pte. Wm. Ashford of Newcastle, a comrade of Pte. Gray, who is home permanently invalid, was invited to a seat on the platform. Major Cameron of the Newcastle Garrison was present with the Newcastle band, and both bands played freely during the evening. The school children sang O Canada, etc. There was a trio by Messrs. A. E. Shaw, Harry Shaw and Arch. Russell; a solo and quartette, Just Before the Battle, Mother—by Simon Driscoll, and Misses Annie Morrison, May Donovan and Ruby Haviland and Mr. Andrew Cassie; and Scotch songs by Robt. Gallo way of Newcastle. Miss Ruby Haviland was accompanist. Thomas Barnett presided. An address and purse of gold were tendered Pte. Gray by James Simpson, on behalf of the citizens of Douglastown. Speeches were made by Mr. Parrott, Pte. Gray, Pte. Ashford, Rev. Alex. Firth, Rev. Jos. G. Cormier, Mayor Fish of Newcastle, County Councillor L. Doyle and County Councillor H. H. Lamont. Brilliant fireworks were also a feature of the evening, and the meeting broke up late with cheers for the hero and God Save the King. The address was as follows: Private Chesley K. Gray. Dear Fellow Citizen, we have followed your course with pride and satisfaction ever since at the very beginning of this great war, you volunteered to serve in the ranks to defend our Empire and prevent the invasion and desolation of our own loved shores. You did not stop to reason as to the dangers of the course you were taking, or as to whether it were absolutely necessary, or whether it were wise to go before a levy en masse were ordered. You saw your country's danger, you knew some one was needed and at once, and you offered yourself freely and unselfishly to die, if need be, that others might, through your sacrifice, be saved to continue their lives in peace and prosperity. When the time came for you to go into the trenches, you went willingly and fearlessly, and did your bit wholeheartedly and most effectively. When the enemy's shell searched you out and left its mark upon you for life, you did not murmur or complain but kept up your spirits with the hope that you might soon be able to resume your place at the point of greatest need. After long months of suffering you are with us once more, to recuperate your shattered health and comfort your lonely family who have doubtless suffered as much because of your absence as you have in the bloody field. May you speedily recover your wounded health, and may you long live to go into the trenches for which you have dared and suffered so much. We shall always be proud of you and grateful to you for your willing and invaluable contribution to our safety and health. As a small and utterly insignificant, but perfectly heartfelt and sincere, tribute of our love and respect, we beg you to accept this little purse of gold. May whatever you buy with it, continually remind you that the best wishes and prayers of your fellow citizens accompany you wherever your duty may call. the meeting, the performance of the little folks in the carrying out of the exercises making an impressive spectacle.

On behalf of the people of Douglastown, JAMES SIMPSON, Douglastown, July 12, 1916. The speeches were, in part, as follows: Thos. Barnett Mr. Barnett, the chairman, felt it was the time of his life to be chairman of such a meeting and introduce such a hero as Pte. Gray. When the war broke out he had been in the trenches in March, fought through the great struggle in April known as the first Battle of Ypres, and was wounded in the face on May 20th and sent to an English hospital. His wound is not healed yet. He came home this month on a short furlough, and is to be back in England by August 2nd. He is spending his short vacation in Douglastown with his young wife and child and his parents. The school children of Douglastown, and the Douglastown Brass Band, with nearly the whole population of the village and many people from Newcastle and Chatham, escorted Pte. Gray and Mrs. Gray, who were driven by Mr. M. R. Benn in his automobile, to the Public School grounds, where the address and presentation were made and a fine program carried out. The grounds and platform had been beautifully decorated by a most loyal and efficient committee, consisting of Councillors Doyle and Lamont, Messrs. R. H. Jessiman, Thos. Barnett and others. The gates were arched, the arches covered with bunting. Flags appeared everywhere, and as soon as it was dark the grounds were lit up with Chinese lanterns. The platform was neatly improvised on the schoolhouse steps, and was gaily decorated. Pte. Wm. Ashford of Newcastle, a comrade of Pte. Gray, who is home permanently invalid, was invited to a seat on the platform. Major Cameron of the Newcastle Garrison was present with the Newcastle band, and both bands played freely during the evening. The school children sang O Canada, etc. There was a trio by Messrs. A. E. Shaw, Harry Shaw and Arch. Russell; a solo and quartette, Just Before the Battle, Mother—by Simon Driscoll, and Misses Annie Morrison, May Donovan and Ruby Haviland and Mr. Andrew Cassie; and Scotch songs by Robt. Gallo way of Newcastle. Miss Ruby Haviland was accompanist. Thomas Barnett presided. An address and purse of gold were tendered Pte. Gray by James Simpson, on behalf of the citizens of Douglastown. Speeches were made by Mr. Parrott, Pte. Gray, Pte. Ashford, Rev. Alex. Firth, Rev. Jos. G. Cormier, Mayor Fish of Newcastle, County Councillor L. Doyle and County Councillor H. H. Lamont. Brilliant fireworks were also a feature of the evening, and the meeting broke up late with cheers for the hero and God Save the King. The address was as follows: Private Chesley K. Gray. Dear Fellow Citizen, we have followed your course with pride and satisfaction ever since at the very beginning of this great war, you volunteered to serve in the ranks to defend our Empire and prevent the invasion and desolation of our own loved shores. You did not stop to reason as to the dangers of the course you were taking, or as to whether it were absolutely necessary, or whether it were wise to go before a levy en masse were ordered. You saw your country's danger, you knew some one was needed and at once, and you offered yourself freely and unselfishly to die, if need be, that others might, through your sacrifice, be saved to continue their lives in peace and prosperity. When the time came for you to go into the trenches, you went willingly and fearlessly, and did your bit wholeheartedly and most effectively. When the enemy's shell searched you out and left its mark upon you for life, you did not murmur or complain but kept up your spirits with the hope that you might soon be able to resume your place at the point of greatest need. After long months of suffering you are with us once more, to recuperate your shattered health and comfort your lonely family who have doubtless suffered as much because of your absence as you have in the bloody field. May you speedily recover your wounded health, and may you long live to go into the trenches for which you have dared and suffered so much. We shall always be proud of you and grateful to you for your willing and invaluable contribution to our safety and health. As a small and utterly insignificant, but perfectly heartfelt and sincere, tribute of our love and respect, we beg you to accept this little purse of gold. May whatever you buy with it, continually remind you that the best wishes and prayers of your fellow citizens accompany you wherever your duty may call. the meeting, the performance of the little folks in the carrying out of the exercises making an impressive spectacle.

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Tender Him An Address and Purse of Gold—Many Speeches in his Praise. The people of Douglastown turned out en masse Wednesday night to do honor to the returned hero Private Chesley K. Gray, son of Wm. Gray of Douglastown, who was the first to go to the front from the village, going to Valcartier from Chatham on August 18, 1914. He reached the trenches in March, fought through the great struggle in April known as the first Battle of Ypres, and was wounded in the face on May 20th and sent to an English hospital. His wound is not healed yet. He came home this month on a short furlough, and is to be back in England by August 2nd. He is spending his short vacation in Douglastown with his young wife and child and his parents. The school children of Douglastown, and the Douglastown Brass Band, with nearly the whole population of the village and many people from Newcastle and Chatham, escorted Pte. Gray and Mrs. Gray, who were driven by Mr. M. R. Benn in his automobile, to the Public School grounds, where the address and presentation were made and a fine program carried out. The grounds and platform had been beautifully decorated by a most loyal and efficient committee, consisting of Councillors Doyle and Lamont, Messrs. R. H. Jessiman, Thos. Barnett and others. The gates were arched, the arches covered with bunting. Flags appeared everywhere, and as soon as it was dark the grounds were lit up with Chinese lanterns. The platform was neatly improvised on the schoolhouse steps, and was gaily decorated. Pte. Wm. Ashford of Newcastle, a comrade of Pte. Gray, who is home permanently invalid, was invited to a seat on the platform. Major Cameron of the Newcastle Garrison was present with the Newcastle band, and both bands played freely during the evening. The school children sang O Canada, etc. There was a trio by Messrs. A. E. Shaw, Harry Shaw and Arch. Russell; a solo and quartette, Just Before the Battle, Mother—by Simon Driscoll, and Misses Annie Morrison, May Donovan and Ruby Haviland and Mr. Andrew Cassie; and Scotch songs by Robt. Gallo way of Newcastle. Miss Ruby Haviland was accompanist. Thomas Barnett presided. An address and purse of gold were tendered Pte. Gray by James Simpson, on behalf of the citizens of Douglastown. Speeches were made by Mr. Parrott, Pte. Gray, Pte. Ashford, Rev. Alex. Firth, Rev. Jos. G. Cormier, Mayor Fish of Newcastle, County Councillor L. Doyle and County Councillor H. H. Lamont. Brilliant fireworks were also a feature of the