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## N. B. AND P. E. I. ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Representatives of Methodist Churches Meet in Convention at Moncton

ENDORSE CHURCH UNION

Adopt Strong Resolutions on Temperance and Moral Reform.

Moncton, June 18.—The Methodist Conference of N. B. and P. E. I. convened here to-day.

Election of officers resulted as follows:—President—Rev. Samuel Howard. Secretary—Rev. M. R. Knight, M. A., re-elected.

Journal Secretary—Rev. H. E. Thomas.

Assistants—Revs. D. Chown and J. Rice.

The following candidates were recommended for the ministry: Frederick Crisp, Jas. H. Howe, Geo. W. Tilley, P. H. W. Holmes, Percy A. Fitzpatrick, Frederick T. Bertrand and Willis B. Laird.

Mr. George Patterson who has served as probationer for one year was continued in that capacity.

Mr. Harry Stothart, son of Rev. Jas. Stothart, was recommended for ordination.

June 19.—Rev. A. D. McCully of Bathurst was elected Treasurer of the Union Church relief fund.

Rev. Dr. Chown, secretary of the Temperance and Moral Reform movement, gave a stirring address, touching on the liquor, cigarette, opium and other questions, and urging the teaching of sociology in schools and colleges.

Only 82 per cent. of each superintendent's claim was paid during the year, and the prospects for next year are scarcely better than 89 per cent.

Important charges were made in the appointment of this fund.

Next year's Conference will be in Woodstock.

For the Temperance and Moral Reform cause there had been collected \$157.51, of which \$23.55 came from Chatham—D. F. Davidson.

Receipts for Educational fund showed an increase of 33 per cent.

Messrs. Ball, Jewett, Stebbins, Gould, Morris, and J. F. Rowley of Millerton were recommended to go to college.

A Laymen's Association for the purpose of extending missionary operations was formed this evening.

June 20.—Changes were made in the stationing sheet. That for Chatham District was arranged as follows: Chatham—D. F. Davidson.

Newcastle—H. E. Rice.

Bathurst—J. F. Rowley.

Richmond—J. B. Young.

Bathurst—H. E. Rice.

Bathurst—C. Manion.

Bathurst—A. D. McCully.

Cambridge—W. B. Thomas.

June 22.—Report of the Committee on Temperance and Moral Reform was received this morning. The report recommended:

1. Disfranchisement of Brotherhoods in all Methodist churches for social reform study; prohibition of opium trade; instruction in all public schools in habits and good citizenship; and the teaching of sociology in colleges; suppression of gambling, the social evil and the liquor traffic for beverage purposes; the establishing of a newspaper organ, etc. The report, with slight alterations was adopted.

The conference adopted a strong resolution in favor of organic union with the Presbyterians and Congregationalists.

Rev. Thomas Marshall was appointed Superintendent of Missions for N. B. and Newfoundland.

Conference continued in session on the 23rd and 24th.

**CASORIA.**

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

A despatch from the West says that the Doukhobors are quiet and orderly, singing and feeding on peanuts and apples. This need not occasion any uneasiness, as it describes any crowd of holiday makers or park visitors in the East.

In Japanese summer goods we have Lanterns, Sunshades, Fans, Slippers, etc.

We have also a full line of **HAMMOCKS**

which we are selling cheap.

**Follansbee & Co.,**

Public Square, Newcastle.

## SOLDIER BOYS DEPART

73rd Regiment Away to Drill Two Weeks At Camp Sussex

103 ARTILLERYMEN

Left Newcastle—Battery Full Strength And in Excellent Shape

The 12th battery C. F. A., left for Sussex Monday night, 89 strong—Major T. W. Lawlor, Lieut. T. H. Whalen, Lieut. C. J. Morrissey and 95 non-com. officers and privates. An advance party consisting of Acting Capt. C. W. Anslow, Corporal Mander, cook John McCarthy and two others—five in all, left in the morning to prepare the way. In all the battery on the field will be, for the first time in years, of full strength—103.

Although the new uniforms were delayed, the men all presented a neat and soldierly appearance, and will doubtless give a good account of themselves in camp.

The 73rd regiment also entrained on Monday. The officers are:

Staff—Lieut. Col. J. D. B. F. McKenzie, Chatham; Major Geo. W. Mercer, Doaktown; Major Howard Irving, Chatham; Adj. Capt. W. H. Muirhead, Montreal; signaling Lieut. H. P. Fair, Quarter master, Capt. Wilbur, Bathurst; Paymaster, Major Robt. Murray, Chatham; Sergeant, Lieut. W. B. Logie, Jr., Chatham.

A. Company (Bathurst)—Lieuts. R. A. Irving, G. A. Dysart, E. E. Buckfield.

B. Company (Chatham)—Capt. W. H. Belyea, Lieuts. J. R. Salter, C. J. Mercer.

C. Company (Bathurst)—Lieuts. H. E. Peard, W. D. Gault, H. A. Gault.

D. Company (Bathurst)—Capt. J. S. Naughton, Lieut. J. W. McNaughton.

E. Company (Bathurst)—Capt. A. S. Cameron, Lieut. A. M. Cameron.

F. Company (Bathurst)—Capt. A. E. G. McKenzie, Lieut. J. E. Fair.

G. Company (Richmond)—Capt. W. E. Forbes, Lieut. W. McDonald.

H. Company (Bathurst)—Capt. C. Donald, Lieut. V. Dunphy.

## FINE DISPLAY OF FANCY WORK.

Pupils of St. Mary's Convent Exhibit Delicate and Beautiful Work of Many Kinds

Last week's display of fancy work done by the pupils of St. Mary's Convent, was very creditable to the institution. All the work was carefully and thoroughly done, and much of it showed talent of a high order.

Every girl in the school did some work along these lines.

Among crayon, pastel and water color drawings were some very nice ones by May McIntyre, Marie Creighton and Irene Connelley. Voltaire Creighton contributed a pen drawing of merit.

Handsome embroidery was shown by Bertha Thibault, Martha Riordan, Florence Doyle, Gertrude Backley, Alice Matheson, B. Ring, Anne Creighton, May McIntyre and others, including hand and needle work by Martha Riordan, and Lea Bergvin.

Hats, that would shame no milliner, were the work of Irene Hamilton, May Doucet, Berta Buckley, Irene Connelley, Irene Connelley, Bertha Thibault and others.

An outline stitch tablecover, by Jessie Buckley was nicely finished, also pillow shams by Helen Gipp, Martha Riordan and a number of others.

Yarn slippers by Emilie Nadeau, May McIntyre, Lena Lavie and others were very prettily knitted and soled.

Doilies by Florence Blanchard, Margaret Macpherson, Gladys Foley and others were noticeable for neatness.

Among other girls who each had good workmanship in several lines to show were the following—M. Murphy, Anna Mitchell, Mamie Condon, Bessie Murray, Mary Major, Susie Murphy, Gertrude Thibault, Alice Comfort, Mamie and Annie Stevenson, May Blanchard, Margaret Daughney, Martha Driscoll, Lena Hickey, May Blanchard, Agnes McCabe, Rosie King and May Regan.

**TEACHERS' UNION**

MEETS FRIDAY

Annual Convention In Fredericton On the Twenty-Sixth Instant

The annual convention of the N. B. Teachers' Association will be held in the Normal School Assembly Hall on Friday evening, 26th instant.—H. H. STUART, Secretary-Treasurer

## PUBLIC SCHOOL CLOSING

Annual Graduation Exercises In The Opera House on Monday Afternoon

THE PRIZE WINNERS

A Delightful Program Carried Out Reflecting Credit on Both Teachers and Pupils

The annual closing exercises of the Public Schools was held in the Opera House Monday afternoon. The building was crowded with children and parents. The exercises passed off very nicely, the program showing very careful training on the part of the teachers.

Mayor Miller presented the gold medal to Miss McQuarrie and made an interesting address to the audience.

Certificates were presented to grade XI by Principal Steeves, who made some excellent remarks to both recipients and audience.

The other prizes were presented by Dr. Nicholson in his usual happy manner.

**PROGRAM.**

Singing—Flag of Britain, The School Recitation—The Naughty Kitten, Bernetta Keating.

Flower Drill—10 girls.

Recitation—Little Boy Blue 7 girls.

The Sailor's Song—15 boys.

Motion Exercise—4 girls.

The Hairy Maids—10 girls.

Making Pumpkin Pie—1 girls.

Recitation—Canada's Emblem, Ruth Benson.

Singing—A Summer Day School, The Hairy Maids, 12 girls.

Recitation—The Hairy Maids, 12 girls.

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## CHANGES IN GAME OFFICERS

Chief Game Warden Robinson and Chief Commissioner Knight Lose Job

FOUR WARDENS NOW

Charles Sargeant of Newcastle Is North Shore Warden At \$800 a Year

The Provincial government decided to abolish the positions of Chief Game Commissioner and Chief Warden and Fire Warden. Mr. L. B. Knight of St. John, has held the position of Chief Game Commissioner at a salary of \$800 for a number of years, while Mr. John Robinson, jr., of Newcastle had the other position and drew \$1,400 per annum.

The position of Chief Game Commissioner according to the Government was found to be unnecessary as the work they think can be done much better in the Surveyor General's office, while the work of the Chief Game Warden had not, his political opponents claim, been done satisfactorily, and it was found advisable to change the system.

Under the new system of handling the game protection there will be several districts in the province with a head game warden and fire warden in each district and he will be responsible to the Surveyor General's office.

The new plan for fish, game and forest protection in New Brunswick has been completed. The four sections in which it is in charge of each are:

St. John, Quispes, Sarnaby and York-Grandfather Mountain, Marquand.

Charlottetown, Madawaska, Carleton and Victoria-John McGibbon, St. Stephen.

Renfrew, Albert, Kings and Westmorland—Arthur O'Leary, Richibucto.

Restigouche, Gloucester and Northumberland—Charles Sargeant, Newcastle.

The wardens will receive \$800 a year salary and will be required to devote their whole time to the duties of the position.

**PARKER MASSON**

FOUND AT LAST

Missing Boy Found in River Just Seven Weeks After His Disappearance

Parker Masson, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Masson, was lost on the fourth of May. For seven long weeks no trace could be found of him. On Monday some workmen at D and J, Ritchies' boom, found the body, and Mr. Masson, being notified at once, identified the remains as those of his lost son.

The funeral was held on Monday evening, a long and solemn procession of citizens following the body to its resting place in St. James' Cemetery, where the funeral service was conducted by Rev. S. J. MacArthur.

**UNITED BAPTIST**

DISTRICT MEETING.

Well Attended and Successful Gathering at Doaktown This Week.

The annual meeting of the 10th District United Baptists, convened with Doaktown church on Monday evening and Tuesday, this week. There was a good attendance. Following is the program carried out:—

**MONDAY EVENING.**

8 o'clock—Devotional Exercises, led by Rev. J. G. A. Belyea.

Address on Home and Foreign Missions by Rev. W. E. McIntyre, D. D. Sermon, by Rev. Henry A. Brown.

**TUESDAY**

2 a. m.—Election of officers. Reports from churches.

Discussion.

2:30 p. m.—Annual sermon by Rev. P. T. Snell.

Conference meeting.

8 p. m.—Address on Our Educational Institutions, by Rev. W. L. Archibald.

Sermon by Rev. H. D. Worden.

Evangelistic address by Rev. P. J. Stuckhouse.

Ask for Minard's and take no other



## GREAT BRITAIN says

NO ALUM  
IN FOODand strictly prohibits  
the sale of alum  
baking powder—So does France  
So does Germanymade the sale of alum foods illegal  
(District of Columbia); and alum baking powder  
is everywhere recognized as injurious.To protect yourself against alum,  
when ordering baking powder,

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING  
POWDER

and be very sure you get Royal.

Royal is the only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape  
Cream of Tartar. It adds to the digestibility and whole-  
some-ness of the food.The U. S. Congress has  
Washington (District of  
Columbia); and alum baking powder  
is everywhere recognized as injurious.

## Wedding Bells.

## MACDONALD-SMITH.

Among the early June weddings was that of Dr. Freeman Watters Macdonald of Boston, a former Miramichi boy to Alice Louise Smith the daughter of Charles Francis Smith, 1718 Beacon St., Brookline, a Boston banker and president of the Oliver Ditson Co.

The bride in a white princess lace gown was attended by her sister, Marianna Smith, who wore a white imported gown. The groom's best man was Charles F. Smith, Jr., brother of the bride.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. A. Horton, chaplain of the senate, in the presence of relatives and a few friends, followed by a large reception. The gifts were many and costly including cut glass and silver.

Dr. Macdonald and wife after a month's trip will reside in Boston.

## BOWEN-COLEFORD.

The marriage took place in Blissfield last week of Miss Bernetta Coleford, daughter of Mr. Patrick Coleford, of Blissfield, and Mr. Timothy Bowen of Blissfield. Rev. Fr. McRory officiating. The bride was becomingly attired in a blue suit with white hat. The best man, Miss Nellie Nolas, cousin of the bride, wore a becoming gown of pale blue. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Edward Bowen. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the home of the groom's parents, where a sumptuous repast was served. Darning was indulged in until a late hour. The bride received a large number of useful and pretty presents.

## RICHARD-BARRIEU.

A pretty wedding was solemnized Monday, 15th, at Rogersville when Charles Richard, formerly of Rogersville, but now of Chatham, and Miss Marie Barrieau of Rogersville, were united in the bonds of matrimony by Rev. Fr. Richard. The ceremony took place at 7:30 a.m. The bride who looked very charming in her bridal costume, had as bridesmaid her sister while A. Barrieau supported the groom. The happy couple will reside in Chatham and are stopping at Babineau's hotel until the completion of their own home on Ferry lane.

## ESSEMBLE-LEGOUFFE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Tuesday morning by Rev. Father Wallace at the home of our Lady of Snows when Priscilla LaGouffe and Mr. Essemble, both of Campbellton were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. Napoleon LeBlanc supported the groom and Miss Essemble the bride. The happy couple left on a two weeks' wedding trip.

## Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments, must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the local.

The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerves, all sense, and all blood ailments.

The "Night Cure," as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, kills local weakness and discharges, while the Restorative, causes nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissue, brings about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—tablets or liquid—its general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well.

Dr. Shoop's  
Night CureLax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat  
A Candy Board Luncheon

"ALL DEALERS"

TOWN COUNCIL  
MET THURSDAYMany Petitions for Exemption  
From Taxation—Important  
Recommendations.

## MISS LAWLOR'S BILL.

Finally Ordered Paid. Miss Irving's  
not Paid yet. Dispute Over  
Mayor's Authority.

The Town Council met Thursday night, Mayor Miller in the chair, Ald. Ferguson, Doyle, Shaw, Russell, Morrissey and McMurdo present.

Petition received from Henry Mackay asking for refund of taxes for 1903-1904, as he was a public building, was referred to Petitions Committee.

Petition of No. Surrender L. O. L. asking for exemption from taxation on Opera House, as it was a public building, was referred to Petitions Committee.

Petition from Mary Ellen Baynton, asking that her assessment of \$1000 on real estate be reduced, as she had purchased the same for \$550, and it was not now worth more than \$850, was referred to Petitions Committee.

The Finance Committee reported:

(1) Recommending payment of North Shore Lumber \$22.25, and A. Milne Fraser for typewriter \$33.75.

(2) That John Farley's school taxes for 1902-1904, \$12.87 in all, be refunded, on ground that during those years he had lived too far from schoolhouse.

(3) That R. L. Maltby's bill for \$82.50 be referred back to Board of Health for certification.

Report read and adopted.

On recommendation of Public Works Com., \$15.80 was ordered paid Chas. Sargeant.

On recommendation of Light & Water Com., following bills were ordered paid:

T. McAvity & Sons, \$59.47  
Canada General Electric Co. 155.65  
Intercolonial Coal Mining Co. 155.65  
Cataract Refining Co. 32.40  
Colonial Lubricating Co. 35.80  
Contract was ordered to be signed with Intercolonial Coal Mining Co. for 800 to 1000 tons of coal f. o. b. at Westville, N. S.

Contract recommended:

(1) That T. W. Butler be paid \$82.00.

(2) That John Cassidy be appointed constable and John Russell ferryman.

(3) That incandescent lights be placed at or near Curtis Corner, Vye's Hollow, W. J. Hogan's, and Lindon's W. J. Corbett's store, and Thomas Hickey's, also an arc light over the fountain.

Report adopted.

On recommendation of Park and Fire Committee, following bills were ordered paid:

John Dalton \$0.70  
J. H. Ashford 5.00  
Hendri Farm Imp. Co. 7.00  
W. J. Dunn 3.00

The P. & F. Com. were authorized to have the bandstand and cannons painted.

The N. B. Telephone Company were requested to have the telephone poles in town painted.

The Mayor resubmitted account of Miss Nellie Lawlor for her work in typewriting the bye laws last year. He said that Ald. John Russell, chairman of bylaws committee, had agreed that he (the Mayor) should go ahead and have the bye laws drafted.

He understood that Ald. Russell had consulted the other members of the committee. About three weeks afterwards, Ald. Belyea was surprised, and he had to have a start had been made. Not till after the bye laws had been read in Council for three sessions, was there any objection made. Miss Lawlor's bill for \$15.00 was reasonable, E. P. Williston had, some time ago, done much less work on the bye laws and had charged \$60.00.

Ald. Samuel Russell and L. B. McMurdo moved that Miss Lawlor's bill be paid.

Ald. Morrissey objected that the chairman of bye law committee had had no right to authorize employment and that the bylaws committee, and the committee, and, further, that in Miss Lawlor's draft of bye laws, several sections relating to slaughter houses had been omitted.

The Mayor replied that it was the privilege and duty of the Council to make any necessary correction in the bylaws as typewritten.

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## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

J. C. Fitch

MARK TWAIN ON "ADVERTISING."

"When I was editing the Virginia City Enterprise, writing copy one day and mining the next, a superstitious subscriber once wrote and said he had found a spider in his paper. Was this good or bad luck? I replied to him in our 'Answers to Correspondents' column as follows:

"Old Subscriber—The finding of a spider in your copy of the Enterprise was neither good luck nor bad. The spider was merely looking over our pages to find out what merchant was not advertising, so that it could spin its web across his door, and lead a free and undisturbed existence forever after."

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A HOME-MADE REFRIGERATOR

Take two large boxes, the second one somewhat smaller on all sides, and bore two one-inch holes in each correspondingly, to give drainage and ventilation. Fill up the bottom of the larger box with powdered charcoal (or sawdust, if charcoal cannot be procured) until the smaller box will stand on a level with the top of the larger box. Put the inner box in place and fill up all the space around the sides with the charcoal. Fasten lids on both boxes to fit tightly. On each side of the inner box, by means of cleats, put several shelves, leaving a space in the center for the ice.

A rack made of lathing may be laid at the bottom, for the ice to rest upon. Legs may be added, also, and the drainage and ventilation in this way be improved. This is a rough refrigerator, to be sure, but one that has been successfully used in our home for years.—From Woman's Home Companion for June.

THE AGRICULTURAL  
COMMISSION ACTPassed by the New Brunswick  
Legislature and Assented to  
May 30, 1908.

Whereas, the development of the farming and kindred resources of the Province is of the greatest importance to the prosperity of our people, and will have the strongest influence in inducing our Province born young men to remain here and build up new homes in New Brunswick, as well as being the most effective means of attracting a desirable class of immigrants;

And Whereas, a wise and prudent policy for the encouragement of agriculture in its widest sense must be based on the fullest possible knowledge of present conditions, and of the means best adapted to their improvement.

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor and Legislative Assembly, as follows:—

1. For the purpose of thoroughly investigating the agricultural, immigration and colonization conditions and possibilities of the Province with a view of securing the greatest benefits possible from such assistance and encouragement as this Legislature can afford to devote to the development and advancement of agriculture, immigration and colonization and for the purpose of ascertaining the quantity, location and quality of land in the settled, partially settled, and unoccupied districts of the Province available for profitable agricultural occupation, the needs of our farmers in reference to labor, transportation and markets, and the adaptability of the various sections of the Province to the growth of different crops, fruits and other products of the soil, with a view to retaining our own native born population, the encouragement of colonization and immigration of the most desirable character, and the general prosperity of our farmers, the Lieutenant Governor is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a Commission under the Great Seal of the Province directed to the Commissioner of Agriculture, who shall be Chairman, and two other Commissioners, who shall make a full and complete enquiry into the subjects above mentioned, together with other kindred industrial and other matters pertinent thereto.

2. In order to expedite the work of the Commission and give full effect to its labors, one of such Commissioners shall be appointed to undertake the more directly executive duties of the Commission, the superintendence of the office work and correspondence, the preparation of questions, forms and reports, the collection of evidence and the conduct of such branches of the enquiry as may be from time to time assigned to him.

3. All the provisions of Chapter 12, of the Consolidated Statutes, 1903, intitled "The Investigations and Departmental Inquiries Act," applicable to this Act shall apply hereto, and the Commissioners appointed under this Act shall have and exercise all the rights, powers and authority conferred by said Chapter on Commissioners appointed thereunder.

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"Sunshine"  
FurnaceWhere Shaking  
is Respectable

A draft of furnace damp, with an other assistance, is powerless to overcome the dust nuisance in shaking time. Only enough dust rises of itself above the fire. Great bulk descends into ash-pit, and unless legitimate outlet is therein provided, dust will escape through ash-door after and into operator's face.

In "Sunshine" Furnaces the legitimate dust outlet is provided. It's a great big dust-pipe running straight from

ash-pit to dome, thence to chimney. When big pipe damper is opened, all dust in ash-pit ascends to dome; then, when direct drafts are opened, all dust passes up chimney.

Always the clean and quick dust route in "Sunshine" Furnace—via grate, to pan, to dust-pipe, to dome, to chimney, to open air.

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B Automobile and Gas Engine Material, 94 pages, illustrates and describes everything for Automobile and Gas Engines.

C Motor Boat Supplies, 35 pages illustrates and describes Motor Boat Fittings and Supplies.

D Tools and Machinist Supplies, 75 pages illustrates and describes High Grade Tools and Machinist Supplies.

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## ALASKA A VAST GRAVEYARD

Smithsonian Institution Finding Skeletons of all Kinds of Extinct Animals

RICH FOSSILS.

It is Proposed to Mine Ivory Amongst the Ancient D. points.

A zoological expedition to Alaska, sent out by the Smithsonian Institution last season and conducted by C. W. Gilmore, of the United States National Museum, has brought back besides interesting information many fragments of bones of early animals of varieties no longer living there. Although there is not in the lot material from which can be constructed an accurate general history of the species, the specimens show that over the Alaskan fields, at a period long before man arrived on earth roamed mammoths several kinds of Buffalo, musk oxen, sheep, moose, caribou, horses and bears. Beaver also built their dams along the rivers.

Ever since Otto von Kotzebue nearly a century ago brought back from Alaska a few pieces of skulls and bones of strange extinct beasts men of science have looked upon that region as a possible source of information concerning the early ancestors of our Northern American animals. Much has been written about it. Little systematic work was done however until 1904 when the Smithsonian Institution sent out its first expedition under A. G. Mendenhall. This trip was so fruitful that the institution last season dispatched a second expedition in charge of C. W. Gilmore which while following a certain itinerary was to search for the remains of large extinct vertebrate animals and to investigate the causes leading to their extinction.

The party was gone in all about four months during which nearly the entire length of the Yukon river was covered and several of its tributaries partly explored. Close upon 1400 miles of the distance was travelled by canoe. The course was laid through Skagway, on the upper part of the river by train to White Horse then by Rampart, thence to Dawson City, whence came some ancient bison skulls now in the United States National Museum. Rampart marked the beginning of the long journey by canoe. For thirty or forty miles below Rampart the Yukon flows between walls of older rocks at from five to six miles apart tumbling faster and faster down towards the rapids. But the rapids once passed, Fort Gibbon is reached below which lie the now well known Falls of the Yukon. In that region the boneyard for many early beasts.

The party here spent two days gathering remains from the frozen cliffs 150 to 200 feet high. The most perpendicular faces of the cliffs are being continually undermined by the swift current. Large masses break off many times with a starting report, and splash as they fall into the water below. "Often during the stay here," says Mr. Gilmore "the report sounded so like the ring of a gun that we were startled by the sharpness of it."

The party paddled on however, in search of larger game and at the mouth of the Nowitna River information gained from an intelligent Indian who had visited the headwaters of this stream on hunting excursions that he had seen "big horns and other big bones on the river bars and had picked up the 'shank bone' of some large animal lured them into a side trip up the river. Three days up the travelling turned hot, and a cache had to be made of all articles not absolutely needed. The party struggled up the Nowitna River for nine days, hunting for the source of all the pieces of ancient bones found washed down from somewhere above. No settlers were met with and only an occasional deserted winter cabin of a lonely trapper showed that man had ever scrambled along the banks or pushed a paddle in the stream. Food began to give out so the party were forced to turn back and gather the headwaters. The party was not without reward. Nearly every bar search was taken a fragment or a complete element of a skeleton representing such extinct forms as the mammoth bison and horse. Stopping at Mouse Point and at Kokkine and Indian settlement and trading post they paddled down into a canyon of towering cliffs in places the banks rise 200 to 250 feet from them were taken now and then a skull or a tusk or a tooth of some forgotten animal. Anvik was visited and then Adzeviki where the canoe trip ended. The rest of the journey was on steamers to St. Michael Nome and finally Seattle.

It was found that the scattered remains of the very early animals occur throughout the heart of Alaska not constantly covered by ice and snow in these quite distinct deposits. First in the black mud accumulated in gulches and the valleys of the smaller streams; second, in the fine elevated clays of early origin known as the Yukon slits and Kowak clays and third in the more recent deposits along the banks of streams. These specimens have been

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There is great excitement at Prince Albert Sask. over the discovery of a huge copper deposit 220 miles north of Prince Albert, on the shores of Lake Lacombe. The lead is 400 yards wide and so far as explored runs back three miles. The lead is between two granite walls and the ore, taken from a depth 15 ft. is very rich. This deposit is on land owned by the Government. It is the huge coal deposit owned by the Grand Trunk Pacific.

The Annual Convention of the Miramichi Presbytery of the W. F. M. S. will be held in Bathurst on the 9th and 10th July next. Delegates' names must be sent to Mrs. S. R. Shirley, Bathurst, before the 25th June. The usual railway fares have been granted. Delegates should be expected and met on the evening of the 8th and from the north on the morning of the 9th July.

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NOTE.—In cases where Excursion Tickets issued for Intercolonial Ry. points on June 30th would not enable passengers to reach destination prior to noon, July 1st, tickets may be issued on June 29th.

either washed out by the process of erosion or dug by miners in search of gold.

The fossil bones secured came from localities on the Bonanza Creek Little Minook Creek the Palisades of the Yukon the Nowitna River and the Klashkakak River. In connection with the boneyard of the Palisades and with Elephant Point further north it has been thought that there might be enough ivory in old imbedded mammoth tusks to pay for its excavation and shipping for commercial purposes as is the case in some localities of Siberia. In fact mammoth tusks for a good many years have been an important export of Siberia. But the Alaskan remains are not in as fresh a state of preservation, and until a few years ago, it is said, a man would not take a tusk as a gift. Now they are used to manufacture curios of different sorts.



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## Merry Widow Riot in Milan.

Monster Hats Set Olympia Audience in an Uproar and Bothered Police.

Rome, June 16.—The vexed question of ladies' hats in the stalls of theatres has been solved in Rome and other Italian centers by special prohibition of the Prefecture. The Prefect of Milan, however, declined to interfere, so that the managers had to content themselves with posting up appeals to ladies' patrons, which have been generally disregarded, except at the Scala Opera house and three other first class theatres.

The Olympia Comedy Theatre—a much-frequented middle class resort, where lively scenes of protest have occurred of late—there has again been an angry demonstration. Groups of women wearing monster picture hats occupied the front seats wholly blocking the view of those in the rear. The majority of these women obstinately refused to comply with the request of the staff that they would remove their headgear. Municipal guards also intervened but as they had no authority to back their persuasion, matters reached a deadlock.

The audience meanwhile drowned the voices of the players every time they attempted to begin. The demonstration was kept up for an hour and a half, and the theatre was closed. At the last of the offending women had either removed her hat, had it whisked off for her, or had finally given up. When the theatre reopened the Virginia Tullis announced that the troupe had declined to intervene in the controversy.

## THE WRITERS.

Pierce Butler, professor of English Literature in Tulane University, has written a biography of John E. B. Johnson.

John Townsend Trowbridge, the story writer and poet, celebrated his eightieth birthday at his home on the banks of Spy pond, in Arlington, Mass.

Mrs. Ida Husted has completed the writing of the third volume of the "Life and Work of Susan B. Anthony." It is expected that the book will be ready for circulation in February, Miss Anthony's birth month.

George E. Woodberry, who has just produced a new book, "The Appreciation of Literature," has taken up residence in a Massachusetts country town, where he is busying himself in literary work.

## THE COOKBOOK.

Some housekeepers when preparing a fowl to roast rub it inside and out with sugar, salt as usual, and when done the meat is said to be much sweeter and juicier than if prepared in the old way.

When eggs are high priced an excellent substitute for them in pumpkin pies is to add soda crackers rolled fine, allowing two for each pie. They may be used instead of eggs, even when eggs are plenty and cheap.

The next time you make dumplings to add to stewed chicken instead of mixing them with water use some of the liquor in which the chicken has been cooked. The favor is much richer. The same may be tested with good results when making a baked potato, and the richness of the dough is delicious.

## W. S. LOGGIE IS THE CHOICE.

Unanimously Chosen at Liberal Convention in Chatham on Thursday Afternoon

SIXTY-SIX DELEGATES

Nominating Committee Out Only Five minutes—Great Enthusiasm and Perfect Concord

The Liberal Convention for Northumberland County was held in the Masonic Hall, Chatham, on Thursday afternoon, June 18th, President, W. C. Winslow in the chair; T. W. Crocker secretary.

Following delegates were present besides some thirty other persons: Newcastle, J. J. Pallen, T. W. Crocker, T. H. Whalen, Jas. Falconer, P. Hennessy, S. B. Miller, Clement Ryan, Thos. Troy.

Albion—D. Loggie, John Whithart, Lazaro Muzzera, Adam Stewart, M. S. Stewart, Andrew McLean, Chatham—R. Murray, J. E. Benson, W. B. Snowball, F. O. Meagher, P. J. McIntyre, C. Bernard, J. A. Boudreau, Thos. H. Fitzpatrick, Chas. Gunn, Wm. Kerr, P. W. Russell, W. E. Cassidy, Geo. S. Searle, A. P. Williams.

Glencoe—D. J. McNaughton, John McLean, John McRae, Blackville—J. P. Wetmore, C. F. McKendrick, D. G. Schofield, C. B. Ross, W. M. Underhill, John Dunphy, Denis Sullivan.

Blissfield—Thos. Moran, Dr. Wein, Otto Hildebrand, Ludlow—Dr. L. Chapman, C. T. Duffy, J. S. Paul.

Rogersville—Silvain Wedge, Venant Bourque, A. C. Thibodeau, N. E. John S. Mullins, Robert Gregory, Dunnett, Wm. Hosford.

S. E. Robt. Parks, J. D. Goodfellow, John Menzies.

Derby—Pat. Clancy, Albert Bryerton, John W. Vanderveck, Hardwicke—D. Lewis, W. W. Williston, Edward Walsh, Thomas McLeod.

Nelson—Stephen Duthie, Pat. Gorman, Ernest Flett, Dan. Baldwin, George Harper.

The following (one from each parish) were elected a committee to nominate officers:—

Nom. Com.—Hardwicke—Don. Lewis, Blackville—James P. Wetmore, Rogersville—John Bourque, Chatham—W. F. Cassidy, Ludlow—Dr. L. Chapman, Newcastle—T. H. Whalen, Blissfield—Otto Hildebrand, Nelson—Stephen Duthie, S. E.—John Mullin, Derby—P. Clancy, S. E.—J. Menzies, Albion—Donald Loggie, Rogersville V. Bourque.

Their report was received and adopted and the following officers declared elected:—President, Hon. John P. Burchill, Nelson.

Secretary, W. C. Winslow, Chatham Treasurer, P. Hennessy, Chatham (re-elected).

Vice-president—The presidents of all parish associations.

Dr. L. Chapman gave notice that at next meeting he would move that one additional member be appointed on Executive from each parish.

The delegates then retired, and after about five minutes, reported that they had nominated W. S. Loggie, M. P., as the Liberal Standard bearer for the next election.

Mr. Loggie, in a happy speech, accepted the nomination.

He thanked the delegates for their expressions of renewed confidence in him. He said that he had been a member of the Liberal Government for a good majority in 1904, and since then the Liberal Government had done very much for the county. In next election he would be able to give the electors a still better measure than last time. The Liberals had decreased the rate of taxation by fourteen per cent., in spite of the greatly increased expenditure made necessary by the marvellous growth of Canada the last twelve years. The debt had been increased by only \$5,000,000. A deliberate campaign of misrepresentation was being carried on from Ottawa, both against the government and against him personally. The recently imposed restrictions on lobster fishing had been blamed on him, but the new regulations were departmental and related to Quebec and all the maritime provinces. He had been instrumental in getting the government to postpone the going into effect of the regulation. The Liberals would win next election in Northumberland County, they must all stand shoulder to shoulder, and work, and work hard.

The meeting adjourned with cheers for the candidate.



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NEWCASTLE, JUNE 24th, 1908.

## MAKE IT A SUCCESS.

Now that we have undertaken to hold a celebration on the 1st of July, no pains should be spared to make it a success, and present indications are that it will be one of the biggest and most successful affairs ever held on the North Shore. When the people of Miramichi make up their minds to carry through any project, they generally do so, and we trust that the Dominion Day celebration will be no exception to the general rule.

## A GOOD LAW IF ENFORCED.

One of the Government measures now before the House of Commons at Ottawa is a bill absolutely prohibiting the sale of cigarettes, cigarette papers and tobacco in any form to persons under eighteen years of age. This Act, if properly carried out, would effect a great improvement in the intellect and morals of the country.

We have long had a similar law in New Brunswick, but the authorities have evidently forgotten to enforce it.

## THE DEADLOCK.

The deadlock in the Ottawa parliament over the Elections Bill still continues. While ordinary bills are debated and passed in the regular way, the Opposition decline to allow a further vote on supply unless the Government withdraw the Elections bill.

Most parliaments have a closure law, under which the majority can force the conclusion of any debate and have the vote taken on the question under discussion. But, in the Canadian House of Commons, a member may talk as often and as long as he pleases on any question involving expenditure of money. If undue advantage be taken of this privilege, an opposition of seventy members can easily prevent a vote being taken for months. Such a condition of affairs evidently needs to be remedied.

## A VICIOUS SYSTEM.

The Local Government are making rapid progress weeding out the office holders appointed by their predecessors. It may be that all the persons dismissed were active partisans at last election, but hardly likely. Surely some were honest and valuable servants of the province. This spoils system, which can and does work both ways, is vicious in principle and unprofitable in practice. An official once appointed should be kept as long as he satisfactorily performs the duties required of him. The Dominion Government is taking steps to insure permanency in the civil service, and the provincial administration should do likewise.

## MR. LOGGIE RENOMINATED.

Mr. W. S. Loggie, M. P. has again accepted the Liberal nomination for Northumberland county, confident that, if all who believe in the superiority of Liberal principles over those of the Liberal-Conservative party, give him their cordial support, he will again be returned as this county's representative. Mr. Loggie has devoted much time and energy to the service of his party on the Miramichi, and through his efforts much money has been secured for public works in this section, notably the completion of the Indian town-Blackville railway.

We do not see any reason to suppose that this county would be looked after any more thoroughly by any man whom the Conservatives may nominate to oppose him. Mr. James Robinson, who carried the Conservative banner at last election, was defeated by Mr. Loggie with a majority of 285. The Opposition have their work cut out for them, if they hope to recapture Northumberland.

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## A STEP IN THE

## RIGHT DIRECTION.

The Civil Service bill, introduced into the House of Commons on the 17th by Hon. Sidney Fisher, is a step in the right direction. It aims to provide a non-partisan and independent Commission to control appointments to, and promotions in, the civil service by competitive examinations, as is done in Britain. The commission will be composed of two men, who will have the status, salary and tenure of office of deputy ministers. Entrance into the civil service will be by open competitive examinations and it is further provided that nominations to the service will be in the order of merit.

The bill, if passed, will at present affect only outside employees. It should, as soon as possible, be extended to cover all departments of the Government service.

## WHY THE DIFFERENCE?

The Government bill to establish in Canada an old age annuity system by which all who wish may, by annually contributing part of their earnings to the Government, purchase an annual income for their declining years, has passed its second reading at Ottawa and will, in all probability, become law at this session.

When Judges are superannuated they receive a pension of half their former salary, to which pension they directly contribute nothing, so with several other classes of the most highly paid public servants. But the common working people, whose average income is very little above the danger line, are to get only the pensions that they have entirely paid for out of their own wages! Why the difference?

## THE HODGINS ENQUIRY.

The enquiry into the charges made by Major Hodgins against the Transcontinental Railway commissioners has collapsed, Major Hodgins having declared that he had no evidence to offer as to improper interference by the Transcontinental Railway commissioners with the engineers on the eastern division, which is being constructed by the Government, and none as to Hon. Mr. Parent's having attempted to influence Sir Wilfrid Laurier to refuse an investigation. The proper parties to interpret the specifications declared, were the arbitrators appointed by law—the chief engineers respectively of the National Transcontinental Railway and the Grand Trunk Pacific and a third man to be chosen by them.

The majority of the Committee of enquiry on the ground that the matter of interpreting the specifications was purely the province of the arbitrators, decided there was now nothing for them to investigate. The Conservative members of the Committee held that the investigation should continue. The withdrawal by Major Hodgins of his charges closes an incident out of which the Conservatives at first were confident they could make much political capital.

## TOO DANGEROUS

Hiram Percy Maxim of Hartford, Connecticut, has, it is claimed, invented a noiseless gun. Such a weapon, with smokeless powder, can rapidly destroy an army without the comrades of the slain being able to locate their antagonists. Private individuals can be taken off—with the noiseless gun and no clue left as to whence the fatal shot came or by whom fired. When both parties to a quarrel are equally armed, success will become merely a question of strategy and cunning, the advantage lying with those who open fire first.

Such inventions, however, work out for good. Less murders are committed now, and less men are killed in war, than in the old days when firearms and bombs were unknown and men fought hand to hand with sword or club or at short range with bow and arrow or sling shot. The easier it becomes to kill the more careful are people to avoid cause for hostility. When personal bravery becomes useless in war, strife will have lost its charm. The world is yearly growing more peaceful, and the day is surely coming when, "And the kindly earth shall hold a fraternal realm in awe."

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## ANARCHY IN MACEDONIA.

It is reported, upon good authority, that during the last four years there have been 10,000 murders in the Turkish provinces of Monastir and Salonika, collectively known as Macedonia. The entire population of Macedonia is only about two millions. Though ruled by Turks, the majority of the people call themselves Christians of the Greek Catholic faith. But it is not the Mohammedan Turks that do most of the killing. The Christian population are of four mutually hostile nationalities—Greek, Bulgarian, Serbian and Romanian—and it is among these, especially between the Greeks and Bulgarians, that the ceaseless civil war is carried on. While the Turkish soldiers and policemen do a little murder and pillage on their own account, they usually stand aside and watch with pleasure the Christians destroy each other.

This state of affairs in a country which twenty-two hundred and thirty years ago was the foremost in power and influence in the civilized world is due to the jealousies of the great powers of Europe each of which refuses to allow Macedonia to be annexed to the other or even to be divided among its three Christian neighbors—Greece, Bulgaria and Serbia. Russia hopes to eventually acquire the country and the less Greeks left in it the better she would be pleased. Austria covets it, but before taking it she would not object to seeing the Bulgarian and Serbian inhabitants decimated, as she has now more Slavonic people within her borders than she can successfully handle. Germany, which hopes to some day fall heir to Austria, supports the latter against Russia. And while these powers use Macedonia as a pawn in the international game of chess, the Macedonians are being slowly but surely annihilated. Either of the great countries of Europe could easily put the Turks out of the country and restore order, if the others would stand aside, but greed and jealousy are still weightier than justice in national councils.

## MARRIED HER COACHMAN

Miss Mamie Tweedie Elopes With  
 David McEwen and Sails  
 For Scotland

While Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Tweedie were in St. John last week their daughter, Miss Mamie, aged eighteen, was visiting Mrs. James Stevens of St. Stephen. On the 16th instant she was married in Calais, Me., to David McEwen of Scotland, a young man who for the last ten months had been her father's coachman in Chatham. The groom is about thirty-five.

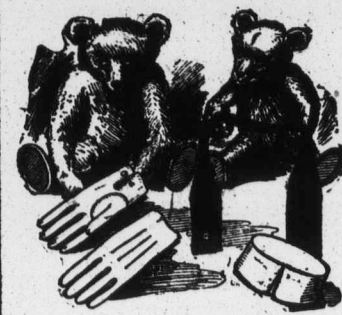
The young couple left for Montreal next day, and on the 19th sailed for Scotland, where they will make their home.

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## Bathurst News

and Notes.

BATHURST, Saturday.—One of the features of today was our annual school meeting which was held at the School House at ten a. m. On motion of P. J. Veniot (seconded by J. D. Doucett, John J. Harrington took the chair.

Trustees' report was read. Assessment \$2175. Amount collected \$1747.40. Defaulters' list \$427.60, which was also accepted and laid upon the table.

Nominations were then received for replacing Jacob White, outgoing trustee.

Jacob White and James Power were nominated and standing vote taken, which resulted in the election of the latter with large majority.

On motion Jos. D. Doucett seconded by S. Williamson, A. J. Stewart was elected auditor for the ensuing year.

On motion the Trustees and Auditors' reports were both taken up and discussed after which they were adopted.

The audit of the late Secretary's books was then taken up and auditor Stewart showed that since 1903 the disbursements were \$362.04 in default of the district.

The trustees' report showed a defaulters' list amounting to \$354.08. They showed that the sum of \$1146.73 would be required for the ensuing year.

Moved by P. J. Veniot seconded by T. M. Burns, All taxes collected from this meeting, June 20th, 1908, until the next meeting, June 1909, from the present defaulters' list, be placed in the bank as a sinking fund against debt of building school house, and that it be used for no other purpose. Carried.

Moved by P. J. Veniot, seconded by Thomas Baldwin, the sum of \$1200, be assessed for the ensuing year. Carried.

Moved, seconded and carried, the sum of \$150 be assessed for desks, black boards, supplementary reading, flag pole and flag.

Moved, seconded and carried, the sum of \$50 be assessed for auditing accounts and divided equally between years 1907-08 and 1908-09.

Motion that the account of the late J. E. O'Brien be gone into back to 1900 by present auditor and that he have the co-operation of the trustees. Carried.

On motion, applications for increase of salaries were handed to the trustees.

The minutes were read and accepted. Motion to adjourn was carried.

One of the heaviest rainfalls of the season occurred last night.

Frank Connors, who drives the mail out the Miramichi Road about eight miles, reports seeing a very large moose on his way to town this morning. These animals appear very numerous this year and if they continue to appear in public after the season opens they will doubtless meet something unexpected.

St. John Lodge F. and A. M. held their regular meeting last evening.

H. B. Curran, Rexton, is in town today.

A party of St. John folk composed of Mr. and Mrs. G. West Jones Miss Furlong, N. Flemming and M. Herbert, arrived on the maritime last night and left this morning for a fishing trip up river.

Guide Charles Crennins arrived in town last night with a party of sports from the lakes at the head of the Nepisiguit.

G. A. Young, D. S. McIntosh and D. A. Nichols, Ottawa, are at the Robertson House.

DOHERTY CLEARED BY JURY ON INSANITY PLEA

SUMMERSIDE, P. E. I., The second trial of Alfonso Doherty, who shot and killed Joseph McMillan, ended yesterday with a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity, after the jury was out two and a half hours.

The judge ordered prisoner to be placed in custody until the pleasure of the Lieutenant governor be made known.

## PLAIN SHOE TALK.

If all the men, women and children in town should come here for Summer Shoes, we believe we could please every one of them, and when we were through with them they would have the best looking lot of feet in Newcastle that could be found anywhere. We want "YOU" to come and see for yourself. You'll not find ANOTHER assortment of such choice styles in A DAY'S JOURNEY.

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Mr. Joseph Lacombe, Quebec City, says: "To-day I weigh about forty pounds more than I did a year ago, and am in every way in much sounder health. For upwards of two years I had been studying hard to pass my examinations and my health had completely given way under the strain. I lost flesh rapidly, my appetite was gone and my nerves were greatly weakened. I was obliged to abandon my studies and was in a state of complete exhaustion. I consulted a physician, but as I was daily growing weaker I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I had often heard very highly spoken of. The beneficial effects were indeed remarkable for I had not used more than a couple of boxes when I could feel an improvement, and hope returned. I continued using the pills for some weeks longer, with the result that my strength increased daily and I was soon able to take over my studies and work with as much energy as I had ever done. To-day I am in perfect health and I attribute my recovery solely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

You can get these Pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50¢ a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAMS.

The following pupils of Newcastle Superior school have passed the High School entrance examination, in order named:

Division I—Herbert Connell, Winfield Williamson, Martha McKinley, Laura Williston, Alice Rundle.

Division II—Willard Allison, Warren Davidson, Herbert McLean, Frank Leslie, Percy Clarke, Edward Hubbard, Reta Maltby, Dorothy Matheson, Florence Russell.

Division III—Jean Allen, Joseph Mitchell.

**CHATHAM HEAD**  
Donald Clarke of Chatham Head passed in Division I.

**NELSON**  
The following pupils of Nelson school passed in second division:  
Cassie Reynolds, John Williams, John Crocker, Margaret O'Neill.

## MONCTON.

MONCTON, Sunday.—The city pulpits were all filled by visiting Methodist clergymen in conference. The Central Methodist church in the morning the ordination of Harry S. Strothard took place. In the evening the Rev. Dr. Sutherland of Toronto, general secretary of missions, preached. The church was crowded to the doors.

In the morning service in the Wesley Memorial church, Rev. Dr. Graham of Toronto, General Secretary of Education, preached to crowded houses.

In the afternoon in the Central Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Bartlett, of Toronto, General Secretary of Sunday School and Epworth League, addressed the Sunday school.

At yesterday's session a paper was read on the late Rev. James R. Narraway.

## FRASERVILLE PIONEER GONE

RIVIERE DU LOUP STATION, Sunday.—Selmon Fraser dropped dead on the street at 8 o'clock this evening of heart disease. He was 75 years of age and leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters. He had large interests and was a pioneer of Fraserville. Funeral will take place on Wednesday.

## KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL.

If you want to keep your children healthy, and a full life during the hot weather months give them an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets. This medicine prevents deadly summer complaints by cleansing the stomach and bowels. The mother who keeps this medicine on hand may feel as safe as if she had a doctor in the house. The Tablets are equally as good for the newborn baby as the well grown child. Mrs. W. H. Switzer, Ekfrid, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my children and have always found them just what was needed to keep them well." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25¢ a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## CANADA BEHIND EDUCATIONALLY

**Spends Less in Proportion Than  
Any Other Large and  
Wealthy Country**

### ST. ANN COLLEGE

**Visited by Prof. Robertson and  
Many Members of Par-  
liament**

In proportion to her wealth, resources, size territorially, and population Canada spends perhaps less on education than any other country in the world. Some others actually spend less, but they are poorer and smaller than the Dominion said Dr. James W. Robertson, C. M. G., Principal of the Macdonald College, St. Ann, on Saturday in his address before the special party of about two hundred and fifty parliamentarians and ladies who came down from Ottawa on a special train under the auspices of the committee on Agriculture of the House of Commons at the invitation of the Principal of the college. It was the first Grand Trunk Pacific train ever to run in Canada. The party, which was a distinguished one, included many senators as well as members of the House of Commons and all agreed in their astonishment with what they saw for themselves in their tour of inspection for the purpose of which numerous automobiles and traps were at their disposal in order that they might move as speedily and thoroughly as possible the 561 acres upon which this model farm is spread.

The party reached St. Ann at noon and were conveyed immediately to the assembly hall in the main building of the college where Dr. Robertson, after welcoming the visitors from the capital, and regretting that Sir William Macdonald was prevented through indisposition from being present, said that during the past few years the science of agriculture has been permitted to languish. At the Macdonald College they were engaged at present in the science of making things happen in the right way at the right time and in the right place. In this connection the Principal wished to impress upon the government the Macdonald was not merely a college for the student, but it was quite as importantly a place of research and investigation, the object being the pursuit of farming upon a scientific and helpful basis.

Just as Napoleon had bled France of men to scatter over Russia their bones in his vain attempt at conquest, so the modern town was draining the country districts of its young men. It was to prevent the disintegration of the rural home as far as possible that the college was working. It was to make farming and rural pursuits of sufficient interest and importance to keep the country youth at home that the research of the college was tending.

At the conclusion of his remarks the scholars rendered with spirit "The Maple Leaf" and the National Anthem. Among those on the platform with the Principal were: Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Senator Derbyshire, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, F. D. Monk, M. P., Mr. Peter McKenzie, chairman of the agricultural committee of the House of Commons, Dean Locke and Professor Harrison of the Macdonald College.

After luncheon had been served in the dining hall the afternoon was given over to a tour of the grounds and buildings.

The live stock and grain farm was found to be in a state of good cultivation, well drained and provided with well built roads. Owing to the lightning in September, 1907, the live stock was temporarily housed in make-shift buildings. The large herd of 1,100 Ayrshires is one of the best in the country. A number of short-horns were imported in the autumn of 1907. The cows are from drooping strains, and are proving that they have inherited good qualities in that respect. There are a few cows of the Canadian breed (popularly known as Quebec Jerseys), and the beginnings only of a herd of Holsteins. The pigs are of improved large Yorkshire, Berkshire and Tamworth breeds.

The work of the Cereal Husbandry department consists in the improvement by selection and breeding of all classes of field crops. Five rotation farms are now laid out for a study of the influence of rotation cultivation and good seed. Immediately adjoining these cool gardens four acres of land have been set aside for illustration work with cereals. Here experiments are conducted to determine the best dates and rates for seeding; the best combinations and proportions of grains for the production of mixed grain for feed; the influence of the size of the seed on the yield and value of the succeeding crops, etc. An entire range of this field is devoted to plant breeding, in which upwards of 200,000 individual plants will be tested this season.

The main field work of the department is carried on on both sides of the railway tracks north of the poultry department buildings. Here

## CANADA IS VERY MORAL

**Says Canon Tucker at the Pan  
Anglican Congress in  
London**

LONDON, Wednesday.—The marriage question was discussed at a meeting of the Pan-Anglican congress held yesterday under the presidency of the Bishop of Montreal.

Canon Tucker emphasized the high morality among Canadians despite the illegitimate rate, which was due to industrialism and growth of cities. His statements that divorce was practically unknown in Canada and that no Canadian clergyman would celebrate a marriage with a deceased wife's sister, was loudly applauded.

The Bishop of Albany hoped that instead of the United States corrupting Canada she would correct the United States. The Bishop of Montreal expressed great satisfaction at the magnificent conservative ring at the debate. The archbishop of Toronto presided at one session whereat the work in the parishes and foothills was discussed.

## ROWDYISM IN CAMPBELLTON.

Recently Chief Crawford noticed an Indian coming out of a certain saloon being suspicious he followed him and later took from him two bottles of liquor.

The Indian made a statement that he had purchased the liquor from a certain hotel on a doctor's prescription. A full written statement has been made, and the case will appear in court.

Chief Crawford is determined to stamp out rowdyism and illegal liquor selling, and endeavor to have peace and quietness prevail, especially on the Sabbath. He will shortly be gazetted Liquor License Inspector, and then he will be in a position to deal with all such cases. In this we are sure the Chief will be backed by all law-abiding citizens. The license law is made to govern the liquor traffic and should be observed.

## NO SETTLEMENT IN SIGHT

OTTAWA, Sunday.—There has been no settlement of the election bill but it is understood that the matter is being considered by the leaders.

The government program in the Commons for the coming week, is similar to that followed last week.

Non-contentious bills will be pushed and supply asked for. Hon. Mr. Graham will move the railway bill and McLean will offer an amendment to compel all Canadian railroads to give two cents a mile passenger rate.

Those interested in the various grains, grasses, clovers, alfalfa, roots, corn etc., will find in the plots much of interest and practical value. The different plots are all plainly labelled to enable visitors to understand the nature of the work conducted.

The Horticulture Farm covers an area of about 70 acres. On this 20 acres are orchard 2 of which are devoted to hardy varieties of apples; the aim being to determine the best way to grow them to develop not only productive, but long lived trees. To determine this a section of cultural experiments are begun this season. Each row running north and south represents a variety and the orchard is divided into plots taking three rows east and west for a cultural or fertilizing test as the case may be.

The variety apple orchard covers about five acres, four trees of each variety being planted. The pear and plum orchard occupies about three acres. The plums in this orchard are principally those of American origin. Plums of European origin and also cherries, are planted as fillers in a part of the commercial orchard.

Vegetables of various kinds are also grown.

The Poultry building lies to the north of the Agricultural-Horticulture building. Here may be seen the incubators; and around it the brooder houses and colony houses. About 600 hens are in the flock, and over 3,000 chickens of this season's hatching. The hens live in the colony houses without any artificial heat in the winter. They are fed on dry grain; and lay well even in the coldest weather.

Among those who formed the party which came down from Ottawa, were: Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. Mr. Sutherland, speaker of the House of Commons, Senator McMullin, Senator Williams, Senator Derbyshire, Senator Wm. Ross, Senator Bostock, Senator Roy, Senator Polier, Senator Belque, Senator Perley, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, Hon. John Costigan, B. B. Law, O. Crockett, Peter McKenzie, Armand Lavergne, A. A. Wright, Captain Chambers, A. Robitaille, S. Jackson, R. Stewart, Fred Cook Dr. Shattner, M. Y. McLean, Dr. Flint, A. C. Boyce, Mr. Loggie, H. Logan, Mr. McLeod, secretary of the agricultural committee; Mr. A. P. Copp, Dr. Black, F. D. Monk, H. H. Miller, W. P. Telford, A. Martin, Dr. Barr, D. Henderson, G. A. Gannon, O. Turgeon.

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A nice line in telescope, Fedora and different shapes in good quality  
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## THOUSANDS LEFT BEHIND

NEW YORK, Wednesday.—More than a thousand persons holding steerage tickets for European ports were left behind by the steamer Potsdam when she sailed today with steerage accommodation filled to their capacity.

Two thousand more who were unable to find accommodations on ship were told that they would be taken on the next outgoing ship but many of them made determined efforts to get on board the Potsdam. They were held in check by a large force of policemen, who had been summoned to the pier, however, and the best they got was a sight of the ship as with swarming decks, she dropped out into the stream and started on her voyage.

## DRUNKEN MAN SUICIDED

EDMONTON, Alta., Saturday.—Saturday afternoon the body of a man named John McCabe of Stoney Plains who suicided several days previously, was found at Mink Lake about eight miles west of Stoney Plains. McCabe had been drinking for some time and went to Mink Lake, where there is a construction camp. He walked out on a raft and after jumping from log to log for a few minutes, knelt down, and after praying, leaped into the water and sank to the bottom. The deed was watched by a number of men, who were powerless to save the man. Coroner Dr. Forin was notified of the occurrence, but as there was a number of witnesses and there was no doubt of it being a suicide he decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

## TOWN BURNED

TORONTO, Sunday.—Nearly the whole town of Bucks Falls, in the lumbering district of North Ontario, was wiped out by fire today. All communication was cut off soon after the first news came and the extent of the loss is unknown.

## MERCY IS ASKED

Appeal for New Trial in Case of Omer Rochette

The Minister of Justice has been asked to order a new trial in the case of Omer Rochette, of Quebec, sentenced to be hung on June 27th for the murder of his wife.

## ONE DEAD, MANY INJURED BY EXPLOSION

PHILADELPHIA, Saturday.—Fourteen persons are reported to have been injured in an explosion today on board the German steamship Arcadia, which arrived here yesterday from Hamburg. The injured were taken to a downtown hospital.

## Teacher Wanted.

A second class female teacher for District No. 4 Semi-wagon Ridge. For particulars apply to  
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## NOTICE.

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF  
THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE:

TAKE NOTICE that I have received the Assessment List of the said Town for the year 1908.

ALL persons paying their taxes on or before the 10th day of June next are entitled to a discount of 5 per cent.

AND ALL persons paying their taxes after June 10th and on or before June 20th, are entitled to a discount of 2½ per cent.

LL taxes must be paid within thirty days from date of this notice.

Dated this 1st day of June, A. D. 1908.

**J. E. T. LINDON,**

Town Treasurer

## Stallion "Monarch"

The beautiful well bred Stallion "MONARCH" will stand at Blackville June 9th and 10th; at Renous Bridge, June 11th; at Millerton, June 12th; at Little South West on June 13th.

Any further particulars may be had from the groom, Mr. Clarence Glenn, or from the undersigned.

**Wm. JOHNSTON.**

Halcomb, Little South West, 1wk-pd. June 9, 1908.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Beware the Signature of  
*Charles H. Fletcher*

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Every Night  
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Come and enjoy an evening and be convinced.

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**Tenders for the Eel  
Ground School  
House.**

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Eel Ground School House" will be received until

**Monday, 6th Day of July next A.D. '08** at six o'clock P. M., for the erection of a school house at Eel Ground Reserve, in the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick, according to the plans and specifications which may be seen at the Post Office in the Town of Newcastle, in the said County of Northumberland, in the said Province.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order,  
**R. A. IRVING,**  
Indian Superintendent

Escoche, N. B., June 20, '08.

## NOTICE.

The undersigned offers her Household Furniture at private sale.

**MRS. ALLINGHAM.**  
Newcastle, June 23, '08. 38-2w











## LOCAL NEWS.

James Sullivan has imported a young and handsome iron gray mare from P. Island.

Chief of Police Crawford of Campbellton was in town Wednesday, arresting Thomas O'Toole of Nelson, who is charged with stealing a watch.

### JOHN ALLCOCKS

The funeral of little John Wesley Allcock who died on Saturday in the eighth year of his age, took place in St. James cemetery on Monday Rev. S. J. MacArthur officiating. Deceased was ill only a few days.

The Ladies of St. James' Presbyterian church, Nelson, will hold a tea and concert in Nelson Temperance Hall on June 30th, afternoon and evening, a good time is certain. Admission: Tea, 50c, children 15c. Concert 25c, children.

No. Surrender L. O. L. No. 47 of Newcastle will on July 13th run an excursion from Newcastle and Loggieville to Marysville. The 12th will be celebrated at the Methodist church here, where the order will be addressed at the morning service by Rev. H. C. Rice. All other lodges in the county are invited to this celebration.

The "Dorothy N" is now running excursions from Chatham and Newcastle to Redbank on Wednesdays and Saturdays. People should take advantage of this. On the 1st of July, the Dorothy N. will leave Redbank at her usual time in the morning, returning after the day's sports in Newcastle. During the day she will run several trips on the Chatham-Newcastle route.

## Wedding Bells.

### WALLACE-KINGSTON.

At Redbank, Tuesday forenoon, Rev. Father Duffy united in the Holy bonds of matrimony, Miss Maud Kingston of Williamstown and John Wallace of Bartibogue. Miss Maud O'Brien of Williamstown was bridesmaid, and Miss Susan of Bartibogue was best man. The bride was beautifully dressed in white silk, and the bridesmaid also in white. The happy couple drove to Newcastle where they were visiting relatives here last week.

### RUSSELL-HOLMES

One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place at the home of Arthur J. Russell, brother of the bridegroom, on Wednesday evening June 17th, when Miss Zephaniah Holmes of Redbank, became the bride of Daniel G. Russell. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride stood in a tower of flowers, Rev. H. A. Brown was the officiating clergyman. The bride was charmingly costumed in white silk with blue trimmings, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Only relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties made up the list of guests. Mr. and Mrs. Russell will reside in Newcastle, and have the hearty congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends.

### MACDONALD-WARD.

The home of Mr. John M. Ward, Montserrat, Kent Co., was the scene of a very pretty wedding on the 17th when his daughter Miss Annie Kathleen was united in marriage with Mr. James MacDonald. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. N. Byrnes, assisted by Rev. T. G. Weaver, of Grangeville. The bride was attired in champagne silk and carried a bouquet of carnations and evergreens and was attended by her sister Miss Ella who wore light blue silk. The groom was ably supported by Mr. Thomas Hutchison. Immediately after the ceremony about 60 invited guests were served in the dining room. The evening was spent with music and games. The boys gave the usual "charivari" and were liberally treated. The bride's going away dress was brown broad cloth with hat to match. The happy couple left on Monday and showers of rice and good wishes for Millerton where they will reside. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome extension bracelet, and to the bride's maid a gold brooch. The bride also received a very large number of other presents.

### EMERSON.

Emerson, Kent Co.—Mr. Thomas Stevens, who has spent the past year in Lynn, Mass., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Beers this week. Mr. William Beers, Brakenham on the I. C. R., visited friends in Emerson on the 17th. His Minnie Beers and Mrs. Isaac Beers, who spent the past winter in Ipswich, Mass., returned to their home in Emerson on the 16th. Mr. E. Weaver held service in the Schoolhouse in Emerson, Sunday 14th. Mr. and Mrs. John Ogden visited friends in Emerson on the 17th. Melbourne Spencer and Earnest McCreary made a trip to Emerson on 16th. Mrs. Elizabeth Ogden of Harley Road is visiting friends in Beersville. Mr. S. Jones of Grangeville made a trip to Emerson 15th. A basket social was held at the Beersville schoolhouse on the 17th.

## Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Masson desire to thank all those who so kindly assisted them in the long search for their lost boy.

Send your Laundry to the Star Steam Laundry Co., Chatham, if you want good work at right prices.

The orange tree is said to produce about 20,000 oranges during its life.

The Miramichi Hotel Bowling Alleys and Pool Parlors are again opened for business under the management of Joe. Conroy, Boston's best pool player.

### AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

The H. Wilmot Young Stock Co. played "Thorns and Orange Blossoms" in the Opera House Monday night, to the entire satisfaction of the crowded house. The specialties were good and every part of the play well acted. The Wages of Sin was presented last night by H. Wilmot Young and his clever stock company, a fair house greeted the play and players, the play was excellently presented. Mr. Young appeared as the Rev. George Brandt and made a decided hit, he is one of the ablest actors ever seen here and is supported by a very strong and should draw a bumper house, there will be a special matinee on Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

### WHITNEYVILLE.

Whitneyville.—The United Baptists of Whitneyville held a Supper on Thursday evening June 18th. \$31. was realized.

Rev. H. D. Worden and Miss M. Lillias Forsythe have gone from Whitneyville Baptist church as delegates to the annual district meeting which convenes with the Baptist church at Dunktown.

Mr. John Forsythe has come home for a short while from the Big Lake La. S. West Miramichi. Mrs. Jane Dunnet returned home Saturday from Newcastle where she was visiting friends.

Mr. Ritchie Scott of Strathadam was visiting relatives here last week.

### EXECUTION POSTPONED FOR OVER A MONTH

OTTAWA, Sunday.—Omer Rochette of Quebec, who was to have been hanged there Saturday, has been granted a postponement of the execution until early in August, as it is not desirable to have an execution quite immediately before the celebration.

You can't always tell the size of a man's mind by the extent of his grievances.

Chicago's most recent law having 2-140,000 inhabitants, misery loves company.

In Nuremberg there are 1,700 houses which were built during the sixteenth century.

The year 1907 surpasses all previous years in the output of cars and the motives.

Another big effort is to be made to induce the British Government to remove the embargo on Canadian cattle. If a man could only convince others as easily as he can himself, the world would soon be monotonously one-minded.

Two swallows may not make a summer, but two mosquitoes will give a pretty good imitation of a summer evening.

The judges of the Supreme Court will be getting into trouble with the trades unions if they continue the practice of holding court until 11 p. m.

It makes a man pretty sore to hear that more gold is going abroad at a time when he is beginning to need a little bunch of it for that long-deferred vacation.

Some enterprising New Yorkers are said to have demanded money in advance for rescuing drowning sailors. Every year brings new records in the commercial contest.

Four persons were killed at a Denver suburban resort Saturday night when a car on the roller coaster, jumped the track, hurling its passengers to the ground below.

President Hall, of Clark University, says that every woman has two souls. The suffragettes will disdainfully reply that this compensates for the hard hearted men who have none.

One man in a meeting can prevent all from hearing. A few members in a deliberate body can obstruct and prevent the despatch of business. Reason and fair consideration are essential to freedom of debate.

**CASTORIA**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*

## Social & Personal.

Mrs. B. P. Steeves is visiting in Moncton.

Hon. John Morrissey went to Fredrickton Wednesday.

Al. Molins, Moncton was calling on friends here Thursday.

Miss Jean Robinson is home from Halifax Ladies' College.

Mrs. George McCosh and children are visiting in Tabusintac.

Mrs. Brownlow Maltby has gone to Montreal to visit friends.

Miss McWilliam of Berton is the guest of Mrs. James Stables.

Rev. S. J. MacArthur came home from Winnipeg on Friday.

Miss Laura Aitken is home from the Ladies' College, Toronto.

Thomas Vye of N. W. Bridge visited Chatham on Saturday.

Bryon Meade, I. C. R. brakeman, Moncton, was in town last week.

Miss Cordelia Walsh of Nelson returned from Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. William Touchie has returned from a visit with relatives in Cassilis.

Gov. and Mrs. L. J. Tweedie have returned to Chatham from St. John.

Prof. Macdonald late of the U. N. B. spent some days in town last week.

Mrs. Ambrose Ryan was visiting in Loggieville for a few days last week.

Miss Ella Parker of New York is spending the summer at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. MacNutt and Miss Payne visited Chatham on Thursday.

Mrs. Stanley Simpson and little son Fraser, were visiting Mrs. John Rae, last week.

Thomas A. Clark went to Moncton on Monday to attend Methodist Conference.

H. H. Stuart attended Methodist Conference in Moncton on the 19th instant.

Chancellor and Mrs. C. C. Jones of Fredericton visited the public schools on Friday last.

Miss May McEachern is visiting her parents. She is improving rapidly from her recent operation for rheumatism.

Misses Bessie and M. Curtis, of Lawrence, Mass., are visiting their home in Redbank.

Mrs. B. D. Vye, of Moncton, is visiting friends here and other points on the north shore.

Miss Ethel Whitney returned home yesterday after spending the past two weeks with her friend Miss Soper of Moncton.

Cum. J. W. Vanderbeck, of Millerton, was in town Thursday, on his way to attend the Liberal convention in Chatham.

Miss Fish of Newcastle; Mrs. Pugsley St. John and Miss Kier of Millerton, visited Miss Gwen Walsh, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., last week.

Miss Cecilia Kingston, who is training in St. Vincent's hospital, New York, is spending her vacation with her parents at C. I. Road.

Charles MacArthur, who had been visiting his brother, Rev. S. J. MacArthur, at the house, returned to New Glasgow, N. S. on Monday.

Mrs. Butcher of Halifax is spending her vacation at her old home at the Rocks. The Misses Slavert of Montreal, her nieces, are staying with her.

E. S. Crocker of the Royal Bank, Havana, Cuba, is home for a two months vacation, when he will spend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crocker.

Mrs. (Mrs.) Freeman, of Bridgetown, N. S., is making a visit to her home here, and the guest of her sisters, Mrs. J. B. Russell and Miss Sarah Murray.

Mrs. T. H. Cuthbert went to Redbank Thursday morning to attend the closing exercises at the college and bring home her daughter Miss Augusta, for the summer vacation.

Miss Bessie Crocker left last Wednesday night for Denver, Colorado, where she will spend the summer with her brother, J. Howard Crocker. On her way she visited Montreal, Toronto and Chicago.

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## Newcastle Opera House.

### ALL WEEK COMMENCING

Monday, June 22

H. Wilmot Young Stock Co.

### SUPPORTING

MISS MARJIE ADAMS.

Presenting Up-to-date Repertoire and Refined Specialties.

Opening MONDAY in Mr. Young's dramatization of Bertha M. Clay's famous novel,

"Thorns and Orange Blossoms",

During the Week

The Wages of Sin,

The Earl of Erin,

Monte Cristo,

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde,

Jessie James and the Son of Monte Cristo

POPULAR PRICES.

Sets on sale at Shaw's Drug Store.

## EXCEPTIONAL VALUES.

The values we are offering this week on certain lines is an opportunity that you cannot afford to miss.

### Muslins

White, Fancy weave, Colored flower and figure designs, usually sold at 12 to 14c, Extra value at 10c per yd.

### Ladies' Fine Shoes

We are showing as usual a large range of Ladies' Oxfords, Kid and Patent Strap Slippers, at \$1.25, 1.35, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00

### Ribbons

3 inch width Taffeta Silk Ribbon, regular 15c value For 12c per yard.

### Remnants

A large accumulation of remnants of all kinds marked at about half their regular value.

### Children's Dresses

Made of Dark Blue Print, Duck, Linen, etc, prices from 35c up.

### Ladies' Wrappers

Print Wrappers in large variety of patterns, regular price \$1 and 1.15 This lot now placed on the table to clear at 89c each.

### Table Oil Cloths.

Short ends and slightly damaged pieces Colored Oil Cloth marked at big bargain prices.

### Progress Brand Clothing.

When you require a new Suit don't fail to inspect our large new stock of this up-to-date line of Men's and Boy's Clothing.

STYLE, FIT AND QUALITY GUARANTEED.

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Wholesale and Retail.

POULTRY WIRE, 50 yd. rolls, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 8 ft. wide. FENCE WIRE, Plain Twist. Barbed an SCREEN WIRE, 18, 20, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36 inches wide. SCREEN DOORS, 8 styles, 4 sizes.

## THE STOTHART MERCANTILE CO., Ltd.

PHONE 45.

NEWCASTLE

## 110,000 FORESTERS TO PAY INCREASED RATES

A compromise has been reached with reference to the rates of old members of the I. O. F.

The new scale values from amounts of twenty-five cents a month higher than the old rates which the members have been paying. It is described as a combination of permanency and expediency. There are provisions by which these old members do not need to pay the increases. One of these entails the lessening of the values of the policies they carry, while in another instance they borrow the difference in the monthly payments from the funds of the order and they will be charged four per cent for such sums. In the end those sums will come out of their policies.

Of the delegates, 113 voted for the compromise and 58 voted against it.

Two substantial salary cuts were also made. The supreme secretary's stipend was reduced from \$7,000 a year to \$5,000 a year, while that of the supreme treasurer was reduced from \$7,000 to \$4,000. The salaries of other supreme court officers remain the same.

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One of the Greatest Demonstrations ever seen on the North Shore. Everyone should attend and enjoy themselves.

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IN THE Polymorphian Parade and Trades' Procession, which will be miles long.

Sports in the afternoon and Regatta in the evening. The Gays' program will terminate with a Social Dance in the Opera House. McEachern's Orchestra will furnish music

Program of Sports commencing at 2 o'clock:

Tugs-of-War, open to teams of the County.	Fat Woman's Race.
Quoit Match, Chatham vs. Newcastle.	Three-Legged Race.
Molasses Eating Contest.	Potato Race for boys only.
Pole Vault.	Run and Broad Jump.
Greasy Pole Contest.	Hop, Step and Jump.
Putting the Shot.	Hurdle and Bag Races, open to girls, boys, ladies and gentlemen.
Baseball, Chatham vs Newcastle	100 yards dash
Long distance running race, open to all.	220 "
	440 "

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