

WE WISH ALL OUR FRIENDS AND READERS A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

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## NOW WE'VE CLEARED the DECKS For The Last Christmas Rush

### Gifts FOR WOMEN

- Wool Tams ..... \$1.25
- Silk Scarfs ..... \$2.50
- Silk & Wool Hose ..... \$1.75
- Wool Hose ..... 75c
- Handkerchiefs (box) .50 up
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- A pair of Oxfords ..... \$3.45
- Sweaters ..... \$2.75 up
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- Cushion Covers ..... \$3.50



### Gifts FOR MEN

- Silk & Wool Hose ..... .85
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- Silk Shirt ..... \$3.75
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**Chinchilla & Tweeds**  
**\$18.00**

Without a doubt they are the best value in the market, they have been selected by our buyer after having compared the stock of at least fifteen manufacturers, they come in blue and grey chinchilla and dark grey tweeds every one a pure wool and hand finished by expert makers in the latest style.

**Plaid Back**  
**\$25.50**

Every one of them a coat that you'll be as proud to wear as we are to sell and that's saying a great deal, for we are mighty glad to have been able to offer coats as these at such a low price, and such styles: loose backs, beltlers, patch pockets great big collars that would keep you warm even in the arctic region!

**Jerseys & Chinchillas**  
**30.00 to 35.00**

Here are five jerseys and fancy overcoat materials! and with good fabrics, good tailoring is essential—and here is good tailoring you can tell by the button holes they are hand made, and by the collars which are hand filled. You'll not go wrong if your choice falls on one of these. They have everything a man desires in an overcoat.



### The FREE Day in The 33 Days Sale

8 more chances for you to get in on the Free List. This sale ends Saturday January 3. If you need an overcoat; suit or a dress, Christmas Gifts or what ever you may need in wearing apparels. Don't you think it is worth while to take the chance of getting your money back, Quality at low prices.  
Wholesale Customers Are Not Included

**COATS**  
of Friendly Warmth  
**\$15.50 to \$59.50**

Within this price range everyone can be satisfied. There is a good variation in the best styles for this winter giving each model a touch of originality. They are made of the season's finest fabrics and are elegantly trimmed. Fur collars and cuffs, many of them. Beautiful silk linings are used, and many are interlined.

**The Newest Blouses**  
**\$2.75 to \$5.50**

These are not for Christmas Gifts. Having bought one you could never bring yourself to part with it. We put these in just because they are new and lovely and we thought you might like to make yourself a present. You'll find in the assortment: Broad Cloth, Voiles, Silk, the newest Kasa and Mohawk crepes

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**DRESSES**  
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Good taste and originality is manifest in these smart Dresses for street wear, for afternoon and evening parties. One does not usually find such quality and styles at these low prices. Rich furs are used for trimmings in some, others are beautifully hand embroidered, iridescent beads reflect joyous hues in Harmony with the Christmas festivities.

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Women of well developed figures are invited to View our Collections of dresses for the larger women, which bespeak the same elegance, trimmings and originality that characterize our apparel for slender women. They are especially designed as to give graceful lines and slenderizing effect sizes up to 56 1-2.



Handkerchiefs 59c to \$1.69 per box

Hosiery 50c up to \$2.25

Gloves 85c to \$3.50

Wishing You  
A Merry Xmas

**A. D. FARRAH & CO.**  
NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Wishing You  
A Merry Xmas

### ORGAN RECITAL MUCH ENJOYED

One of the outstanding events of the musical year in Newcastle was the presentation of a splendid program last Wednesday evening in St James' Church by Prof. F. J. Liscombe, Organist, Choir, Orchestra and Soloists, in the presence of a large and very appreciative audience. Professor Liscombe, the conductor of the choir is known to possess unusual skill as an organist and director and he virtually extracted every ounce out of his forces last Wednesday evening and the members of the choir responded valiantly to his wishes. The choir and Orchestra members are to be congratulated on the precision with which they sang and played and the admirable attention with which they paid to light and shade in every selection.

From the first to the last number the program showed a splendid balance and the exacting audience could not wish for a program more varied or delightful. The "Hallelujah Chorus" from the "Messiah" by Handel was one of the finest selections on the program for the evening and the choir members showed the excellent training, which Professor Liscombe has given them.

Mrs. (Dr.) Charles Prangley McKay delighted the audience with a Soprano Solo "Jesus Our Saviour" by Gounod. Mrs. McKay possess a beautiful, sweet and strong voice and sang her solo with a depth of feeling and beauty which always captivates a Newcastle audience. Miss Janet Stymiest also assisted in the program and rendered most acceptably a Soprano Solo "How lovely are thy Dwellings" by Liddle. Miss Stymiest received a splendid reception and displayed the clear, well-controlled tones of her voice and sang the selection with freedom and lightness.

Mr. Avard J. Carter rendered a violin solo "Adoration" by Borowski, in a manner which has been equaled but rarely in any performance in Newcastle. The Trio "Praise Ye" from Attila, by Verdi, rendered by Mrs. S. Codner and Messrs Liscombe and Gulliver, was greeted wholeheartedly by the audience, deservedly so, and was highly appreciated. Mrs. O. Nicholson was accompanist and displayed much delicacy in her efficient technique.

Prof. Liscombe, Orchestra, Choir and Soloists received many expressions of commendation for the very able manner in which each and every number was presented and it is hoped that in the not far distant future, the public of Newcastle will again be given the privilege of enjoying another such musical evening as the one given on Wednesday.

### REGULAR MEETING TOWN COUNCIL

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Newcastle was held in the Town office on Thursday, Dec. 18th, 1924 at 8 o'clock p.m. Present—Mayor Creaghan, Aids. Atkinson, Crocker, Dickison and Kussell. Minutes of last meeting of November 20th were read and confirmed.

The Finance Committee recommended payment of the bills of Miramichi Pub. Co. Ltd. \$62.75; Can. Gen. Electric Co Ltd \$2.11; and on motion of Aid Crocker, seconded by Aid. Atkinson the same were passed and ordered paid.

The Finance Committee submitted a list of uncollected default taxes and it was moved by Aid. Crocker seconded by Aid. Russell and carried that a total amount of \$2000.00 be written off.

The Public Works Com. recommended payment of the following bills—J.D. Paulin \$1.50; Maritime Produce Co. \$18.90; D. & J Ritchie Co Ltd \$102.16; C.N.R. 1264.20 and on motion of Aid. Russell seconded by Aid. Atkinson the same was passed and ordered paid.

On motion council adjourned

### CHATHAM BOY BADLY INJURED WHILE COASTING

Donald McIntosh, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McIntosh of Chatham was seriously injured in a coasting accident on Friday. He was taken immediately to the Hotel Dieu Hospital. It was found that three ribs were broken and that he was suffering from internal injuries. Drs. Marven and Delaney operated on the youngster Saturday. His condition is slightly improved and hopes are entertained for his recovery.

### MERRY CHRISTMAS

—to all. Whether you are a subscriber of the "Union Advocate" or not, or whether you are a customer of ours or not—but through the mere fact that you are reading this paper, the Staff and Management of the Miramichi Publishing Co. Ltd., take this opportunity to extend their wishes for a Joyful Yuletide and prosperity for the coming year. To our customers we wish to express our thanks for business received during the year and hope that the cordial relations which have made our business dealings a personal pleasure in the past will also continue during the coming year.

### Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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### Merry Christmas!

To all our customers (which in one way or another means everybody!) we wish the merriest sort of a Christmas, the happiest kind of a New Year.

One good result of the popularity of Moirs Chocolates is that even at the last minute you can go to almost any store and secure some for the overlooked friend.

Make this the sweetest Christmas—give Moirs Chocolates.

### SUES FOR DAMAGING MORRISSY BRIDGE

In the Admiralty Court in St. John last week before Chief Justice Sir Douglas Hazen, the case of the Attorney General of New Brunswick vs. the ship "Woldringham" was commenced. This is an action arising out of a collision between the vessel and the Morrissy bridge at Newcastle early in the morning of August 10th 1923. The ship owned by the West Hartlepool Steam Navigation Company of England

The plaintiff contends that the damage done to the bridge was caused by the steamship not making proper allowance for the tides and in addition, that the ship was negligently navigated. The defendant maintains the bridge is an unlawful obstruction to navigation being built in such a way that it is at an angle to the current of the channel and is not constructed in violation of the Dominion Navigable waters Protection Act.

The amount of damages originally sued for was \$20,000. The court will consider first the matter of liability and after that the question of damages. A.R. Wetmore provincial bridge engineer was heard and plans were submitted and the history of the bridge gone into. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K.C. and W. M. Ryan appeared for the Attorney General and Dr. F. D. Taylor, K.C. and C. F. Inches K. C. for the defendant.

Mr. Lawrence Coughlan caretaker of the bridge and Warren McKenzie gave evidence on Thursday.

### France To Get Better Terms Than Britain

Difference of opinion has developed among the members of the debt funding commission over the suggestion that in refunding her \$4,000,000,000 France be given better terms than were granted to Great Britain.

Members who favored a lower interest rate and longer term payments for France at the commission's session were understood to claim the support of President Coolidge. The President let it be known that he considered Great Britain less hard pressed financially than France.

### Will Hold A Conference With Colonies

The British Government has decided that it would be necessary to hold a conference with the Dominions to discuss the Geneva protocol and any possible alternative plan that may be submitted to the league as well as other matters affecting the foreign policy of the empire and is now communicating with the dominions to ascertain their attitude on the holding of such a conference and to ask them who should represent the Dominions at such a meeting.

### WILDCATS ARE TOO NUMEROUS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Bob cats are still unusually plentiful in New Brunswick judging from the number of applications for the \$3 bounty offered by the Dept of Lands & mines.

While returns showing the number which have been killed during the last fiscal year are not yet available the indications are that the number of bob cats which have been killed will exceed that of the previous year. Applications for the bounty offered are required to present themselves before a game warden where the tip of the animal's tail is amputated by the official and a declaration made out by the hunter to the effect that the animal was killed by him. Last week at Doaktown during one morning no less than six hunters appeared before Game Warden Harry Kuseell for the purpose of claiming the bounty.

Requests for additional declaration forms have been received from game officials on the Tobique McAdam and the south eastern section of the province, the original supplies of these forms having been exhausted in those sections. From Hampton came the request for a permit to carry a rifle in the woods from a young man who claimed to have shot a bob-cat in self defence.

A large number of hunters have brought their skins here for the purpose of obtaining the bounty and have made their declarations before the officials of the Department of Lands and Mines. In addition to the \$3 bounty paid by the department the skins sell at \$2.00 to \$3.00 each. A few years ago bob cat skins were as high as \$18, but when the price reached such a peak the bounty was removed.

The ravages of these animals be come particularly destructive during periods of deep snow when they are enabled more easily to attack and destroy deer who become snowbound.

#### ALMANAC SEASON

"I've brung home a couple of omenicks for you," said Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge upon returning from the County seat flinging them into his wife's lap. "Ah shucks!" returned Mrs. Johnson "omenicks are all alike these days, and none of them much account."

"Well I read considerable in 'em as I come rotating along, and both of 'em are all right. The green one has got the best weather in it" but the folks in the yellor one were cured of the most horrible diseases."

**THE GREATEST FATHER JOHN'S BODY BUILDER MEDICINE IS PURE WHOLESOME NUTRIMENT. NO ALCOHOL**

### KODAK MAGNATE GIVES \$15,000,000 TO AID EDUCATION

George Eastman, president of the Eastman Kodak Company is finding it troublesome to be making money all the time.

In order to be rid of the annoyance of piling fortune on fortune he announced recently new gifts amounting to \$15,000,000 in stock of his company. This makes a total of \$30,000,000 he has given away to various institutions.

"One of the reasons why I wish this disposition of my kodak stock is that it separates me from making money for myself and will give me the benefit of a somewhat more detached position in respect to human affairs. I look forward with interest to finding out how much the changed conditions will affect my aspect."

The institutions benefited by this gift announced and the amounts they will receive are, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, \$4,500,000; Eastman School of Music of the University of Rochester \$3,000,000; University of Rochester Medical School \$1,000,000; University of Rochester College for Women \$1,500,000; Hampton Institute \$1,000,000 and Tuskegee Institute 1,000,000.

The total of gifts which Massachusetts Tech has received from Mr Eastman is \$15,000,000. For a long time he poured great sums of money into the college treasury and anonymously, his name being known only to the officials of the institution.

It is known that prior to the gifts of stock announced, the philanthropist had given away more than half of his holdings in the great business he has built up. With the stock to be delivered under these new gifts, he will rid himself of all of his holdings except sufficient to insure himself a place in the management. It is probable that never in the history of American philanthropy has any individual given away so great a share of his fortune. The late Andrew Carnegie may have exceeded Mr. Eastman's liberality for he was often quoted as saying he wanted to die poor. He failed to die that way. The Rockefeller Foundation has expended a greater total, but the Rockefeller properties keep on earning vast sums.

One of the kodak millionaire's savings, which may be a guide to the spirit in which he gives is this: "The rich man doesn't really give anything. He only distributes a part of his surplus. It is the person of moderate means, the poor man—who really gives."

One of the beauties of Mr. Eastman's manner of giving that, while the great business he has practically turned over in a financial way is in the hands of institutions he will still continue to work making money for his beneficiaries, more for them than he can possibly make for himself.

Although seventy years old Mr. Eastman clean shaven and with the flush of health in his cheeks, looks a great deal younger. He retains his passionate love for music, his interest in hospitals and institutions of learning and his devotion to his many employees. Besides the \$30,000,000 given to institutions he has given \$6,000,000 as a recreation fund for his workers 4,000,000 for a school of music and nearly \$2,000,000 for a school of dentistry in Rochester.

**ADVERTISING THAT PAYS** Business people who regard advertising as an added expense in fixing the price might do well to read the remarks of the French car dealer at a recent London luncheon. "To reduce costs" said M. Citron, "we must make more cars. To dis pose of more cars we must advertise. It is not enough to make a good car. I have to ensure that the

### SUNNY CORNER

Friends of Mrs. James McDonald gave her a very enjoyable surprise party Thursday evening.

Mrs. Walter Matchett spent Wednesday the guest of Mrs. Ronald Gillis, Redbank.

Mr. Weldon Toser who had the misfortune of having his eye hurt is much improved.

We are very sorry to learn that Mr. John Burns is in very poor health.

Miss Ruby Toser entertained a large number at a knitting party on Friday last. A very pleasant afternoon and evening was spent. Music was rendered by Messrs. Vincent Hogan and Leo Howe.

Mrs. Floyd Matchett spent Thursday in Cassilis.

Mr. Guy Menzies of Whitneyville called on friends here recently.

The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Lester Johnston Dec 3rd. There was a good attendance and a profitable afternoon was spent.

Miss Martha Hill is the guest of Mrs. Henry Leach.

Friends of Mrs. Catherine Mullin are glad to hear that she is recovering from her recent illness.

George and Miss Beryl Parks called on Miss Gretta McAllister Friday evening.

Misses Annie Mullin and Jean Toser spent one evening last week with Mrs. Albert Stewart of Redbank. Mrs. Edward Allison was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hedley Mullin the latter party of last week.

Mr. Fred Leach spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. Wm. Nolan and E. Matchett spent Monday evening the guest of Mrs. Peiley Toser.

The R.V. Club met at the home of Mrs. Theodore Matchett where a very enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Harris are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy at their home

public knows it." "I took a full page advertisement in a French newspaper recently and one of my future customers wrote complaining that if I had not spent the money on advertising I could have sold the car more cheaply. What nonsense! What would be the use of my producing a motor car three francs or even five francs cheaper if the public did not know about it!" "I shall always make a great effort to advertise." "The more you advertise the less it costs you. The increased turn over vastly compensates for the cost of advertising. Indeed, advertising actually enables a motor car to be sold more cheaply

**MORSE'S SELECTED ORANGE PEKOE 1lb. NET TEA**  
The original Orange Pekoe Take no Substitute

**HE INVENTED DYNAMITE**  
How little the body counts as far as brute strength goes! How much the brain counts! Given fair health of body, how useless is its over-development! Alfred Nobel, Swedish inventor left his whole fortune of \$10,000,000 to establish five prizes of \$40,000 each to be given every year for the most notable work in physics, chemistry, medicine; literature and peace.

Nobel was an invalid most of his life. He was born with a weak spine. Yet Nobel did more than any other man in history to give "force" to the world. He invented dynamite. Today the dynamite trust has 34 companies and several hundred factories in various places scattered about the world. And Nobel started it all—a weak little man—an invalid.

**Bonny Blue ENAMELLED WARE**  
We are always first to introduce the newest and best lines of enamelled ware. Call and see these Bonny Blue lines. A heavy three coated ware in Blue and White.  
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Would it not be a good plan to place your orders for Old Mine Sydney or other Coals for the fall and winter months now?  
I am in a position to make immediate delivery of your wants in Coal and Wood.  
ALSO A CHOICE LINE OF Groceries, Hay, Feeds and Flour  
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GIVE MORE HAPPINESS  
The Gift that will give greater happiness and be more highly appreciated is the gift that has beauty, usefulness and durability combined  
**FURNITURE** is the one great gift that answers the question: What Will I Give for Christmas?  
Below is a list of gift suggestions that are very appropriate and you will find our furniture department full of other very useful presents

<b>Chairs &amp; Rockers</b> For the older folks, in Reed, Leather and Wood From \$4.50 to \$35.00	<b>LAMPS</b> Floor, Table and Boudoir Lamps in different styles and colors From \$4.75 to \$38.00
<b>TABLES</b> In many different styles finishes and priced From \$5.25 Upwards	<b>SMOKERS</b> And Ash Trays for the man who smokes A Very Useful Gift

Also Trays, Work Baskets, Jardinere Stands, Card Tables, Pictures, Mirrors and many other very useful and beautiful articles

See our Window display. It will surely offer you very good suggestions for a gift for any member of the family  
Be sure to visit us while doing your Christmas Shopping

**THE LOUNSBURY COY. LTD.**  
Downtown Newcastle Blackville

**THAT DAY LONG AGO**  
By F. H. Sweet

**SOLEMNLY**, pleadingly, church bells are ringing  
To us a message across the white snow,  
Tenderly, lovingly, to us are bringing  
Tidings that first were brought ages ago:  
Tidings that make men's hearts  
Soft and glow  
As on that Christmas day  
Ages ago.

Joyfully, tenderly, church bells are chiming  
To us their greetings across the deep snow,  
Bringing fresh hope to the hearts that are climbing  
Upward in search of that feeling of glow.  
Such as the shepherds felt  
Ages ago,  
When they were called by the  
Star's tender glow.

**IS YOUNGEST OFFICIAL OF CANADIAN PACIFIC**



LEO SOLLOWAY

Leo Solloway, recently appointed Asiatic Freight Agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway with office at Montreal and supervision over Oriental and Australasian traffic via Pacific Ports.

Born in Vancouver in 1895, Mr. Solloway has the distinction now of being the youngest official in Canadian Pacific service, a distinction which he has won through fourteen years' service in the freight department of the Company. He commenced work as stenographer in the steamship department of the General Freight office in Vancouver in 1910, and remained in that department until 1915 when he enlisted for active service with the 72nd Highlanders. He returned from overseas in the Fall of 1917 and was attached to the steamship export department in Vancouver until 1918 when he was loaned to the British Ministry of Shipping, acting as assistant to the agent of the Ministry at the Pacific port.

In June 1919, Mr. Solloway went to Montreal as chief clerk to the Asiatic Freight Agent. Two years later he was appointed chief clerk to the General Foreign Freight Agent, and last May appointed as Acting Asiatic Freight Agent which office has been confirmed by promulgation.

**Harness Racing Rules Changed**

Harness racing rules, which have stood for about fifty years, have been changed by the Harness Association of America, when changing rules were adopted as a part of the annual turf programme and it was decided to classify horses according to the amount of money won instead of on time records. A dozen minor rules, expected to popularise the sport, were also passed.

The 400 drivers, breeders and owners, who attended the meeting, decided to establish headquarters of the association in Chicago and voted to make the organization the parent body of the sport in America. It was announced that more than 1,400 tracks will be under the association's jurisdiction next year.

**Look For High Note On Radio December 26**

The highest note ever recorded by the human voice will thrill the air of little time of America the day after Christmas. It will be even higher than Dad's cry of rage at seeing the Christmas bill.

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**YOUR SUBSCRIPTION**

The date of the expiration of your subscription appears on the enclosed bill in your paper. For instance, Aug. 31 means that subscription terminated August, 1923. Look at your label and see if you are in arrears. If you are, we would appreciate a remittance.

**Organ Recital Much Enjoyed**

Concert Programme Given by Prof. F. J. Liscombe, Choir and Soloists in Saint James' Presbyterian Church on Wednesday Evening, December 17th.

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1. OVERTURE..... "Mazurka"..... Wallace Organ
2. ANTHEM..... "The First Christmas Morn"..... E. Newton Choir
3. ORCHESTRA SELECTION.....
4. TRIO..... "Fraise Ye," from Attila..... Verdi Mrs. S. Codner, Messrs. Liscombe and Gulliver, Mrs. O. Nicholson, Accompanist.
5. KAMENNOI OSTROW..... (Reve Angeliqne)..... Rubenstein Organ
6. HALLELUJAH CHORUS FROM THE MESSIAH..... Handel Choir
7. SOPRANO SOLO..... "How Lovely are Thy Dwellings"..... Liddle Miss J. Stymiest
8. ORCHESTRA SELECTION.....
9. ANTHEM..... "Christmas"..... Shelley Choir
10. VIOLIN SOLO..... "Adoration"..... Borowski Mr. Avar J. Carter
11. MARCH..... "Pomp and Circumstance"..... Elgar Organ
12. SOPRANO SOLO..... "Jesus Our Saviour"..... Gounod Mrs. (Dr.) Charles Prangley McKay
13. ANTHEM..... "How Peaceful was the Night"..... F. Calver Choir
14. SEMERAMIDE..... Rossini Organ
15. GLORIA FROM 12TH MASS..... (By Request)..... Messer Choir

God Save The King

**WHAT IS AN EDUCATION**

A college dean of Boston puts the average maximum income of the high school graduate at \$1200 and of the college graduate at \$6000. Yet there is no fixed measure of the relative value of trained men. Two who have gone through the same curriculum

may be as far apart in the use they make of their minds. One man owes more to mother-wit than the books could teach him. But he who goes farthest absorbs theory and learns from practice too. The most skilful craftsmen at the work bench do not pour contempt on technical literature but consult it at every opportunity knowing where to put his finger on the reference he wants

**BUCKLEY'S BRONCHITIS MIXTURE**

40¢

For Sale in Newcastle and Nelson by B. J. MORRIS

**The Ex-Kaiser Will Have A Thin Xmas**

Former Kaiser Wilhelm is entering upon a thin Christmas. His imperial Majesty will not be able to send any Christmas presents this year according to his associates.

The imperial exchequer is low Prussia pays Wilhelm only \$18,000 a month it was explained and Wilhelm's family officials and other vice numbers forty persons. The monthly pension barely suffices to meet the demands of necessities.

**Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA**

**MOTHER!** Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in-arms and Children all ages of

Constipation Wind Colic  
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Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*.  
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

**Says Hetherington Leading For Senate**

Hon. Dr. J. B. Hetherington, Provincial Secretary Treasurer and Acting Minister of Lands and Mines, has taken the lead in the race for the vacant New Brunswick senatorship, according to latest reports in political circles, says the Fredericton Gleaner. The paper continues:

For some time it has been known that the Hon. Dr. Hetherington who does not care to be bothered with the burdens of Cabinet portfolios has aspired to a seat in the Fed Chamber and lately it is said that he has become decidedly powerful factor in the long drawn-out race for the existing vacancy.

The expectation is, however that it will be some time before an appointment is made to the vacancy created by the death of the late Colonel George W. Fowler and mean while it is said, friends of Hon. Dr. Walter E. Foster former Premier of New Brunswick are just as active as ever on his behalf and they are confident that he will yet emerge the victor for his services to his political party.

It is said, however that all other candidates have been eliminated from the race.

**Non-Unionists To Operate Their Church**

Toronto, Dec. 19—A statement which was handed out last night signed for the provisional Home Mission Committee of the anti-union section of the Presbyterian Church by Rev. Dr. A. J. MacGillivray and others states: "Now that the Union of a section of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, with the Methodists and Congregational Churches is to take place on June 10 we wish to inform all non-concurring or non Union charges that provision has been made for carrying on the missionary, education and benevolent work of the church. "The federal executive of the Presbyterian Church Association has appointed provisional committees or boards for the prosecution of this work in its various departments. These committees and boards will be replaced by permanent bodies when the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church meets and re-organizes on June 10 and the work of the church will continue without interruption.

The boundaries of synods and Presbyteries will be fixed as conditions may require. We wish to assure Ministers, Missionaries and Members who remain Presbyterian that full provision will be made to assist them in their work where assistance is necessary.

"Some congregations, especially those in the larger centres will encounter no difficulty, but some in the smaller towns and rural districts may require help. The continuing Presbyterian Church will make it a first duty to assist those that maintain their loyalty to the church of their fathers and will provide as adequately as possible for the following:

(1) Those congregations that vote to remain out and had their membership depleted by reason of some of their members entering the Union.

(2) Ministers in concurring congregations that may desire to continue in the Presbyterian Church.

(3) Mission fields and augmented charges that desire to remain in the Presbyterian Church."

**A Nation Builder**

More-bread and better bread

Purity Flour, full of the strength of Western hard wheat, builds lusty, vigorous boys and girls. Mothers find Purity Flour makes more loaves and better loaves at lower cost.

**PURITY FLOUR**

The Purity Flour Cook Book will be mailed postage paid to you for thirty cents—it's worth more. Write for one to-day to Western Canada Flour Mills Co., Ltd., Toronto, St. John, N.B., Winnipeg

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Pulverized Limestone from the Government Lime Plant at Brookville can be delivered at

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A full line of Xmas Goods on hand including: Raisins, Currants, Dates, Figs, Prunes, Lemon, Orange and Citron Peel, Shelled Almonds & Walnuts, Shredded Coconut, Icing Sugar, Chocolate Flavoring, Extracts and Spices of all kinds.

Pure Lard and Shortening, Dairy and Creamery Butter, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Grape Fruit, Grapes, Cap'd Cod Cranberries, Fancy Eating Raisins in 1 lb. pkgs.

**A Full Line of Xmas Candy and Nuts**

Seedless Raisins 15 oz. at	1.50
Seedless Raisins 11 oz. at 2 for	2.00
Seeded Raisins 15 oz. at	1.50
Seeded Raisins 11 oz. at 2 for	2.00
Loose Muscatel 2 lb for	2.00
8 lb good Onions for	2.00
Cleaned Currants pkg at	2.00
Citron Peel per lb	7.00
Mixed Peel per lb	8.00
Best Walnuts per lb	6.00
Shredded Coconut per lb	3.00
11 lb Granulated Sugar for	\$1.00
16 lb Good, White Beans	\$1.00

**Lots Of Other Bargains**

Western Steer Beef, Fresh Pork, Lamb and D. & Frazer's Sausages, Turkeys, Geese and Chickens to arrive for Xmas

**H. A. TAYLOR**

PHONE 48 THE RITCHEY STORE

**DECEMBER Radio, Mah Jongg.**

A little lunch, and then to bed. Get Hamilton's new, thin

**Zephyr Biscuits**

for the "little lunch" part. They're wonderful!

Hamilton's Biscuits—The Favorites Since 1840.

Representative Mr. John S. D...

THE UNION ADVOCATE A WEEKLY NEWSPAPER

Published every Tuesday afternoon at Newcastle, N. B., by the Miramichi Publishing Co., Limited.

ADVERTISING RATES The rates for transient advertising in The Union Advocate, effective January 1st 1924 are as follows:

CHRISTMASTIDE

Christmastide! Is not the word festive with a fine spirit of jollity and good cheer, the suggestion of reunion, and the time when we call "Truce" to dull care and carking worries?

They say that in these modern days "Christmas is dying out." Not a bit of it! All the time there are kiddies in the homes and sentiment in the hearts of fathers and mothers.

If we do but gorge and guzzle at Christmas, we enter into the gross aspect and miss the mystical significance of the Festival.

The story of the Nativity is one that goes down to the roots of human faith. While the star blazed in the East, and the Magi hastened to the manger, the angels sang in the Highest—Peace! Goodwill! a new son for an old world.

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endurance. The pessimists sigh that there are no signs of the return of the old style Christmas. "Things are not what they were!"

A good Christmas is not a riotous one. It may be quiet, perhaps voted dull by those who love racket and excitement.

Let us think, too of those brave ones who fought and suffered and who are still with us. In many a home, pitiful tragedies of the War still linger.

Comfort the lonely. There are those who realize to the full the bitterness of being solitary when Christmas comes and most homes are filled with joy of re-unions.

Time steals on, and as the minutes tick away; the ringers in the belfry of the old church prepare to wake the music of the chimes.

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Ring on brave bells! Time change, and generations come and go. But so long as the years endure this message shall sweeten the Christmas season.

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ed in classroom, in business, and at the bedside of invalids, hundreds of Rutland county and Vermont doctors and nurses, college classmates and friends gathered at the Congregational church for the funeral of Dr. William Stickney.

The service, conducted by Rev. H.C. Boynton, pastor, was short, simple dignified and impressive. A multitude of floral offerings banked the front of the altar.

Delegations from the following organizations were present at the service: Medical staff Rutland hospital of which Dr. Stickney had been ranking surgeon; board of directors of Rutland hospital; nurses of the Rutland hospital; Rutland County Bar Association and Rutland Post, American Legion.

The bearers were Dr. Harry R. Ryan, F. R. Patric; Dr. Charles H. Swift, Dr. P. Bartlett of Hanover; N. H.; Joseph Wentworth and E. A. Davis of Boston.

Those who served as ushers, among them members of the Kit-Kat club, of which Dr. Stickney had been a member, were:—Edward S. Abbott, Earle S. Kinsley; Marvella C. Webber, E. Lewis Olney; Miles S. Sawyer; Howard L. Hindley, Harvey K. Kingsley, George N. Harman; Wilbert E. Burditt, Fred C. Spencer, Charles M. Smith; Dr. William R. Pond, Robert C. Boynton; Robert D. Smith, Carleton Wilson and E. Per Lee Smith.

Among the members of the board of directors of the Rutland hospital who attended were: George T. Chaffee, Erwin E. Keyes; Egbert C. Tuttle, John S. Dorsey; Fred A. Field, Jr.; Carleton Wilson; Henry O. Carpenter, Henry F. Field and Earl S. Wright.

Included in the delegation present from the Rutland County Bar association were: Asa S. Bloomer, Thomas H. Browne, Edward Dana; Walter S. Fenton, George M. Goddard; Charles L. Howe, Lawrence C. Jones, Joseph C. Jones; George F. Jones, Edwin W. Lawrence; Leonard F. Wing, James P. Leamy, P. M. Meldon, Charles E. Novak; Martin Riordan, Lindley S. Squires, Bert L. Stafford, Bert H. Stickney; Frank D. White, Olin M. Jeffords.

Others present from out of town were R.T.D. Aitken and A.A. Aitken of Montreal and J. M. Aitken of Toronto, brother of Mrs. Stickney; Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Porter of Waltham, Mass.; Dr. P. Bartlett; Dr. John M. Gile and Prof. Charles Proctor, all of Hanover, N.H. and Ex-Gov. W.W. Stickney of Ludlow.

The medical profession of Rutland, Vermont and New England feels a deep loss in the death of Dr. William Stickney whose funeral brought together a large assemblage of friends mourning deeply and sincerely. In his death there is not only that professional and personal loss which men feel when a valued and resourceful member of their community is suddenly called to his rest, but scores of sufferers know that to his loss, but skill, wisdom and his assuring hand they owe their lives.

Advertisement for J.D. Cronshaw Co. featuring a decorative logo and the text: "And now the passing of the year brings us pleasure in the knowledge that we have been permitted to serve you, we hope we will have your continued friendship and good will and that we may become worthy of the trust you place in us."

Advertisement for Toyland featuring a vertical illustration of a child and the text: "Toyland Our Toy Section is most popular these days with the Little Folks. Toys For Children Of Every Age. Dolls, Dish Sets, Washing Sets, Trains, Drums, Mechanical Toys, Sleds, Stuffed Animals, Picture Books, Games, Skates, Hockey Sticks, Snow Shoes, Pocket Knives, Shovels. SEE TOYLAND. Dolls! Dolls! Dolls. Stothart Mercantile Co. Limited."

Advertisement for O'Brien's featuring the text: "Xmas Is Coming! And as usual the Question is, What Shall I Give? Why not drop into our Store and let us have the pleasure of assisting you in selecting your CHRISTMAS GIFTS. With such a complete line of MEN'S FURNISHINGS and LADIES and MEN'S FOOTWEAR as we have in stock, your Christmas Shopping will be a pleasure instead of a worry. You can get a Suitable Gift here for every Member of the Family. NEWCASTLE O'BRIEN'S CHATHAM."

than a wife and a child, and he was a man of great strength and vigor. When his strength, vigor and energy were at their height, he was a man of great strength and vigor. When his strength, vigor and energy were at their height, he was a man of great strength and vigor.

MANY PAY HOM- AGE TO WILLIAM STICKNEY

Auditorium of Congregational Church Crowded During Funeral of Surgeon

Travel Service For Holidays

For those travelling during the Holiday Season the all services of the Canadian National offer every convenience of modern travel comfort.

DR. LOSIER SERIOUSLY ILL

Citizen Losier, who is known to many in the city, is reported to be in a very serious condition.

MICHAEL McDADE BURIED SATURDAY

Michael McDade, the well known district manager of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New Brunswick, died at 7:17 o'clock Thursday morning.

OBITUARY

RICHARD DAWSON The death of Mr. Richard Dawson, a highly respected resident of Upper Nelson, occurred at the home of his son, Thomas Dawson, with whom he resided, on Tuesday, Dec. 23rd.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Amy have returned from a visit to Montreal. Mr. Bruce Hubbard of Quebec is home for the Christmas vacation.

EARN \$3,000 to \$10,000 YEARLY

Your future is just what you make it. Be successful. Be independent. Be happy. Be secure. Be satisfied.

We Wish All Our Customers and Friends

"A Merry Xmas & Happy New Year"

Izzard's Bakery, Phone 184 Newcastle, N.B.

SHOP AT The Gift Shop From our complete line of Gifts you will find it easy to choose just the one you would be glad to give and any one on your Gift list would be glad to receive.

OPERA HOUSE 3 DAYS January 1st, 2nd, & 3rd, Manhattan Stock Co. The Show that is different Composed of old favorites Opening May "Just One Girl" The Best Comedy in Years. MATINEE New Year's Afternoon at 3 O'clock

An Opportunity that only Comes once a Year We take the extreme pleasure of wishing you A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year Our success and prosperity in the Grocery business is due to you, we thank you, we appreciate it and hope to keep in your good grace and continue to serve you to the best of our ability We Hope the New Year will be a Prosperous One to All MITCHELL'S MEAT MARKET

The funeral was held Friday morning at 10 o'clock to St. Edward's church, McKimleyville, where requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. W.J. Pittman.

MRS. PERLEY MCKINLEY

When one has enjoyed the pleasures and has been granted the opportunities afforded by a life reaching through "three score years and ten" passes away, we think of their death as a deliverance.

The funeral was held on Friday, Dec. 12th and was one of the largest seen in this district for many years. Rev. Robt. M. Brodie conducted the services at the home and grave.

Christmas Season Now Under Way

The change in the weather makes the Christmas season slightly more enjoyable. With the holiday coming on Thursday, the festive season may be said to be well away.

FOR RENT

One house, also one apartment in Henry Street, Newcastle, the property of Mrs. W. A. Park.

MAD NARROW ESCAPE

It was apparently only through a miracle that F.H. McNaught, formerly of Chatham, secretary-treasurer of the Bear River Pulp Co., escaped with his life.

WEDDINGS

At the home of Mr and Mrs. Arthur P. Copp, Newcastle, Dec. 14 David McLean of Loggieville son of Captain and Mrs. Alex. McLean and Jessie Silliker daughter of James Silliker of Sillikers, were married by Rev. A. Brown.

HIGH SCHOOL X'MAS EXAMS.

D. J. Gulliver's Dept. Grade 5. Pupils making 70% or over on Christmas exams. Names in order of merit.

SCHOOL STANDING

Miss Lawlor's Dept. Grade 3. Above 85%—in order of merit—Edward Dalton 1; (Ethel Brown, Charles Crammond, 2; Flora McDonald, Edith Harris, 3; Francis Morrison, Edwin Hill, 4; Henry Kitchen, John Kingston, 5; Henry Greenwood, Alma Sawyer, 6; Kathleen Craik, Charles Deane, Lily Grossman, Ida Matheson, Fred Gallah.

RADIO We will install in your home one two tube Westinghouse Radio COMPLETE for \$50.00 Easy payment if desired. Drop in any evening and hear it. WELDON & Co. The Biggest Little Store in Town

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Alice Deroche of Chatham Head, N.B., and any person or persons giving her credit will do so on their own responsibility.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sale Of Timber Lands and Rights

The time for receiving written tenders for the lumber rights in the County of Gloucester which were formerly owned by the late Donald Morrison is hereby extended to the Fifteenth day of January A.D. 1925. The undersigned also offers for sale by written tender the following lots of land in the Parish of Alnwick, Northumberland County, which were also formerly owned by the late Donald Morrison, namely:— No. 1—Lot at Oak Point, known as Beaver Dam Lot, containing 50 acres. No. 2—Lot lying on the easterly side of the lot known as No. 49 No. 3—The easterly one half part of Lot No. 44 No. 4—Another lot known as Lot No. 43 containing 83 acres No. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 known as the Peter Butler lots. No. 10—The Martin Connell Lot. Nos. 11 and 12—One 1/2 acre at the Mouth of the Burnham Brook and the lot of cultivated land adjoining the same. The above lots and rights are offered for sale in groups—The Gloucester County Group and the Northumberland County Group. Tenders received for both or either of the said groups, and tenders addressed to the undersigned for both or either of the said groups will be received by him up to the fifteenth day of Jan. A.D. 1925. Descriptions of lots and rights and terms of sale can be had on application to the Royal Bank of Canada at Newcastle, North, Co., N.B., or to the undersigned at his office, St. John, N.B. The Vendor does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender. H. A. POWELL Trustee

**MINARD'S**  
"KING OF PAIN"  
**LINIMENT**

Extract from a letter of a Canadian soldier in France.  
To Mrs. E. D. BAMBRICK:  
The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S.  
Dear Mother:-  
I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.  
Have you any patriotic druggists that would give something for a gift overseas—if so do you know something that is good for everything? I do—Old MINARD'S Liniment.  
Your affectionate son,  
Rob.

Manufactured by the  
Minard's Liniment Co. Ltd.  
Yarmouth, N.S.

**The Family Herald Calendar**

Once more the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal have given what the public wants, in the form of a beautiful calendar for 1925. Everyone who sees this work of art won't be happy till he has one himself. The calendar can only be obtained by subscribers to the Family Herald and Weekly Star whose subscriptions are received in time. Copies cannot be obtained by anyone not a subscriber. The picture with the calendar is entitled "The Sale of Old Dobbin" and is overflowing with human interest. It is a masterpiece which you will never tire looking at. In addition to the calendar and picture, the Family Herald gives to each subscriber a free chance to win as much as five thousand dollars cash in a simple contest, and to anyone who secures clubs of new subscriptions there are valuable articles of reward, catalogue of which will be sent free of charge to any address. The Family Herald holds its position as easily the finest of all popular journals.

**Eight Hour Day In The Dominion**

Power of the Dominion Parliament to enact legislation to put the eight-hour day into effect is to be submitted to the Supreme Court of Canada for opinion at the next term. The terms of reference are now being prepared.

The reference follows on a recommendation by a parliamentary committee last session, held under the international organization of League of Nations, Canada assented to the eight hour day convention adopted. Legal authorities subsequently held that necessary legislation would come within the jurisdiction of the provinces and the convention was therefore referred to the provincial authorities. This legal opinion has however, since been questioned hence the reference to the Supreme Court for a ruling.

**FINANCIERS SEE MUCH PROSPERITY IN STORE FOR U. S.**

New York, Dec 20 (Copyright Frank Vanderlip) "I believe we are beginning an economic period during which practically every vital measuring business activity will far surpass former records. The new record of stock market activity, both in total shares and in the number of issues traded in, is but a fore-runner of new high records in many other directions. The business scene is set for a protracted period of record breaking totals. We already have satisfactory labor employment at high, effective wages. With few exceptions there is no accumulation of surplus stocks of goods. There is a thoroughly sound banking position and facilities for an almost unlimited extension of credit.

There is an unusual degree of peace between employers and labor. Employers are better satisfied than ever before that we continue on a high level. There is a general feeling of confidence which promises to result in courageous undertaking of fresh enterprises. I try to keep fairly familiar with European conditions. They are much improved and there is more reason for hopefulness than at any time since the armistice; but I am confident that there is no immediate serious threat that European industrial competition will endanger our own situation.

European Governments have paid our Government in the last five months, \$80,000,000 on interest accounts. Europe now owns our private investors \$400,000,000 a year

Interest. Europe must sell its goods or securities to pay this

Indications are that we are likely to be offered European securities on a huge scale. I fear we may lend out of our super-abundant reservoir of credit too freely

A chief word of warning I would give to investors at the moment is to exercise caution regarding investments in new European issues. There are safer and on the whole more attractive opportunities at home.

In time we are almost certain to run into a phase of inflation. The memory of 1920 is still fresh to make such a movement precipitous but I believe it is inevitable. We have every basis for inflation. Our gold stock has risen in ten years from \$1,800,000,000 to \$4,500,000,000. Much of that has purposefully been made useless for the present by forcing gold certificates into circulation.

In spite of having bought a billion dollars of European securities this year gold is still flowing toward us.

Some inflation is now under way. Rapidly increasing bank deposits mark that. Rising index figures of prices indicate it. As all commodity prices continue to rise, and it seems to me that conditions are such as inevitably to result in rising prices, there will be increased concern stimulation to business.

The time will come of course, when there will be great need for caution, but the outlook for some months at least is for great and on the whole, sound expansion.

Charles E. Mitchell, president of the National City Bank of New York, commenting on the Stock market's unusual activity said "As business expansion demands more money, it is natural that the market will strengthen some, but the prosperity ahead which is manifesting itself does not carry with it the dangers that the inflation which followed the war brought. It will be a steady growth based upon general business improvement

**MURINE**  
Keeps EYES  
Clear, Bright and Beautiful  
Write Murine Co., Chicago, for Eye Care Book

**"Nerves in Bad State Could Not Sleep"**

Mrs. H. N. Towell, Hamouville, Ont., writes:  
"My nerves were in a very bad state, and for nearly six months I did not know what it was to have a good night's rest. I could not eat, and never felt well. I heard about Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and thought I would try it. After taking it for a few days I began to feel better, and soon was able to sleep well at night. My appetite also returned, and I felt stronger and better, and after taking three boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I was quite well. I have also given the Nerve Food to my little girl, with good results."

**Dr. Chase's Nerve Food**  
50 cts. a box of 60 pills, Baltimore, Boston & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

**Tit-Bits on The Tip of Everybody's Tongue Are the "Wonderful Prices"**

We are offering on every article in this store during the Holiday Season

**Ladies Coats** in latest styles from \$7.50, \$12.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$16.50 and upwards.

**Men's Fur and Cloth Overcoats**

at 25 per cent discount

**Men's & Boy's Mackinaws 1-2 price**

20 per cent discount on all Furniture

25 p.c. disc. on all Pianos, Organs & Phonographs

We have a number to select from, including the Celebrated

Princess Royal Piano

Phone 163-11 **A. J. Bell & Co.** Newcastle P. O. Box 187

**Maritime Produce Co.**

Take this opportunity of thanking their customers and Wishing them the Compliments of the Season

(NOTE)

As flour and Feeds are advancing in Leaps and Bounds, would it not be advisable to secure a few bbls. or bags. of our Robin Hood Flour the staff of life guaranteed to be the best Flour milled in Canada.

We Are Now Offering:

For the Holiday Season our Goods away Below Replacement Prices

Which takes in Flour, Shorts, Bran, Soyabean Feed, Cracked and Whole Corn, Corn Meal, Rolled Oats, Creamery Butter, Hams, Bacon & Bologna Tea, Soap, Hay, Oats, etc.

**A flour that never varies**

Your bread and cakes invariably will be light and of perfect texture—your pastry, flaky and delicious—if you use

**Quaker Flour**  
Always the Same—Always the Best

You can depend on Quaker Flour. It always bakes the same. Every milling is rigidly tested by being baked in our own bake-shop.

Every sack of Quaker Flour is guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction.

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**The Liberal Leader**

The selection of Hon. C.R. Mitchell as leader of the Liberals in provincial political affairs will have by occasion surprise. While a number of other men were available who would have been widely acceptable and were qualified for the post, Mr. Mitchell's experience as former Minister and particularly as Province and Premier, was a recommendation of peculiar strength. The position of the finances of the Province is and must continue to be the most important question with which it will be the business of the Liberal members of the Legislature to deal whether in Opposition or in power. No man in Alberta is so intimately acquainted with its financial affairs as Mr. Mitchell. Whoever has been chosen leader he must have been the authority on the Liberal side in matters of finance.

The new leader is well and favorably known throughout the Province. His capacity for work is proverbial. He has unusual platform ability. His knowledge of parliamentary procedure and practice is exceptional. His outlook is characteristically forward. His knowledge of law is as valuable when legislation is being framed as his knowledge of finance when the House is discussing the sources of revenue and proposals of expenditure. As a critic

he can detect the weak point in an opponent's argument and his debating ability is unquestioned. Under his leadership the Liberal members will be able to carry on without interruption the effective service they have rendered in exposing and exposing the extravagance of the present Administration and to present a case to the country when the elections are called which will fittingly represent the aims and principles of the party and commend itself to the approval of the public.

**Baldwin's Policy Is Justified**

Premier Baldwin's new policy of consulting the overseas dominions on matters affecting the foreign relations of the Empire is regarded as having already justified itself according to the views expressed by prominent officials. The attitude adopted towards Egypt was not only approved by Canada, other Dominions particularly Australia were most emphatic in supporting the British course of action. Australia intimated that if Britain required any aid in enforcing her demands the commonwealth was prepared to assist. This response was exceedingly gratifying to both Baldwin

and Chamberlain who have demonstrated that in future the dominions shall be kept fully informed of the foreign situation and consulted upon every important question. Canada will be asked to approve the new Anglo-German trade agreement that is being reached here and which it is generally believed will remove the present prohibitive tariff in the importation of Canadian wheat into Germany which was recently imposed.

**NEW LAMP BURNS 44% AIR**

**Beats Electric or Gas**

A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light even better than gas or electricity. Has been tested by the U.S. Government and 26 leading universities and found to be superior to 16 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no spitting up, is simple, clean, safe. Burns 44% air and 4% common kerosene (coal oil).

The inventor, J. M. Johnson, 260 Craig St. W., Montreal, is offering to mail a lamp on 10 days' FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make \$100 to \$200 per month.

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DENTIST  
Over H. S. Miller's Store  
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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
Office at Residence formerly the  
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**GRANITE SIERRARD WORKS**  
MONCTON, N. B.

**WINTER TERM -AT- FREDERICTON BUSINESS COLLEGE**  
OPENS  
**MONDAY, January 5th, 1925.**

Write for full particulars at once and ask to have a place reserved for you.  
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**F. B. OSBORN, Principal**  
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**NEXT Who will it be?**  
If it is your turn to be in an Accident have you your income assured.  
\$25.00 per year is not much, yet when applied to an Accident premium it means \$25.00 per week as long as you are disabled.  
**Insure today and be sure**  
**W. E. RUSSELL**  
AGENT  
Newcastle, N. B.

**Notice**  
All persons are warned that trespassing on Beaubear's Island is strictly prohibited and any person who is found on the Island will be prosecuted.  
**O'BRIEN LTD.**  
July 15th, 1924. Nelson, N. B.  
12-36

**NOTICE To Our Subscribers**  
We are revising our Mailing List and all subscribers in arrears are respectfully asked to pay the amounts due on their paper. Look at your address label, and if it does not read 1925 you owe us something and we would be pleased to have your remittance at once.  
**UNION ADVOCATE**

**A. E. McCURDY**  
INSURANCE AGENCY  
Over Advocate Office  
Newcastle, N. B.

**Fire, Accident and Automobile Insurance**  
Promptly placed with A-1 Companies on attractive terms

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the Signature of *Castoria*

**MORTGAGEE'S SALE**  
To Daniel B. Hogan of the Town of Newcastle in the County of Northumberland in the Province of New Brunswick, Barrow, and to all others whom it doth or may concern:

Notice is hereby given that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Post Office in the Town of Newcastle, in the said County of Northumberland, at twelve o'clock on Tuesday the Thirtieth day of December next, all that piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the said Town of Newcastle and described as follows in a certain Mortgage hereinafter mentioned and made by the said Daniel R. Hogan and Elizabeth Hogan, his Wife, to Robinson Limited, namely:—"All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Newcastle, County and Province aforesaid, lying and being on the Easterly side of Castle Street, commencing at a point on the Easterly side of said Castle Street distant four degrees fifteen minutes West thirty-five feet four inches from the southerly line of land owned and occupied by George Currie being the Southerly side line of lands now owned, and occupied by Joseph M. Napke; thence Southerly along the East side of Castle Street, fifty feet, eight inches to the Northerly side of the road leading to the Old Ferry landing; thence south eighty-four degrees thirty minutes East two hundred and six feet to the West end of the Ferry landing Block; thence north five degrees thirty minutes East along the West end of the old Ferry Landing Block fourteen feet, thence south eighty four degrees thirty minutes east along the North side of the old Ferry Landing Block forty-one feet; thence North five degrees thirty minutes East thirteen feet or to the Northeast corner of land conveyed to Joseph M. Napke; thence North seventy-nine degrees West two hundred and fifty feet to the East side of Castle Street being the place of beginning. Save and except the right and privileges of a road or passageway through, over and across the lands hereinbefore mentioned to the said Joseph M. Napke, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, from the said Ferry Landing or Road to the land of the said Joseph M. Napke the said passage way or road to be twelve feet wide. The said Road or passageway at no time to be nearer Castle Street than the rear of the out buildings of the office and dwelling now on the land hereby granted, which said passageway or road is particularly described in a deed from Robinson Limited to the said Joseph M. Napke," together with the buildings and improvements thereon and the hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging.

The said sale is made under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in the said Indenture of Mortgage made by the said Daniel R. Hogan to the said Robinson Limited bearing date the Twenty-fifth day of March, A.D. 1919 and registered as Number 231 in Volume 104 of the County Records of Northumberland and which Indenture of Mortgage and the Bonds and debt thereby secured were duly assigned by the said Robinson Limited to Robinson Company, Limited, by Deed of Assignment bearing date the Twenty-second day of January, A.D. 1924 and duly registered as Number 212 in Volume 112 of the said County Records default having been made in payment of the debt and moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage.

Dated this Twenty-fourth day of November, A.D. 1924.  
**ROBINSON CO., LTD.**  
T. Clarke, President.  
Assignee of the said Mortgage.

**WANTED**  
Lathwood, \$6.00 per cord delivered our wharf.  
**FRASER COMPANIES LTD.**

### REDS AMONG THE BRITISH TROOPS

Dramatic disclosures regarding the retirement of a number of British troops during the German offensive of 1918 are made by General Seely, who commanded them in part of the line.

The disclosures are the outcome of a controversy in the Walton Division of Liverpool.

A statement by the Conservative candidate, Lieut. Com Sir H. Warden Chilcot, to the effect that the propaganda resulted in the desertion of troops before the German attack in 1918 and the breaking of our line, was challenged by a Labor supporter, Mr. W. H. Sanderson who was in line at the time.

Sir Warden, who himself served in the Naval Air Service in France asserted that he had the authority of General Seely for the statement: An appeal was made to General Seely who, in reply, writes to the Liverpool Post:—"Sir Warden Chilcot is quite right. Seditions propaganda played a large part in the success which attended the great German attack in 1918."

What happened was this: For weeks before the attack the signs were going about behind the lines telling all those whom they could find in canteens, Y.M.C.A. huts etc. that it was a wicked capitalist war, and all they had to do was give up fighting and the war would end.

The most cunning part of the propaganda was that, owing to the great difficulty in subverting the loyalty of British soldiers they would always assure their hearers that it was the soldiers in another part of the line—to the right or left of them—who had agreed to do this on the day.

"When the attack fell in the dawn of a misty morning, on March 21, numbers of spies dressed in our uniforms went about ordering the troops to retire.

"One disguised as a staff officer came up to the commander of one of my batteries and gave him a definite order to retire at once.

"Fortunately this stouthearted officer suspected him, refused to retire and said he believed he was a spy—whereupon the man ran away in the mist.

### New Issue By C. P. R. Is Made Available In Canadian Market

Company Decides to Invite Dominion Investors to Take its Securities SECURED BY LAND SALES

Beatty Explains Desire to Extend Canadian Holdings of Railway's Securities

Montreal—An official announcement was issued following a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway of the issuance by the company of \$30,000,000 4½% note certificates secured by deferred payments on lands.

NOT IN NEED OF THE CASH Following is the statement as set out from the office of President E. W. Beatty: "The company is not short of funds by any means, its bank account being of very comfortable proportions, but it has for many years been the company's policy to maintain a strong position in its cash resources, and considering the magnitude of the enterprise, this is manifestly prudent.

Works of improvement in contemplation to provide for its traffic and for the betterment of existing facilities will require a considerable sum in the near future and to meet these expenditures and to provide ample working capital for other purposes the directors of the company have decided to make an issue of note certificates in much the same way as was adopted in 1914 save that the issue will be of a public character instead of being restricted to participation by its own shareholders.

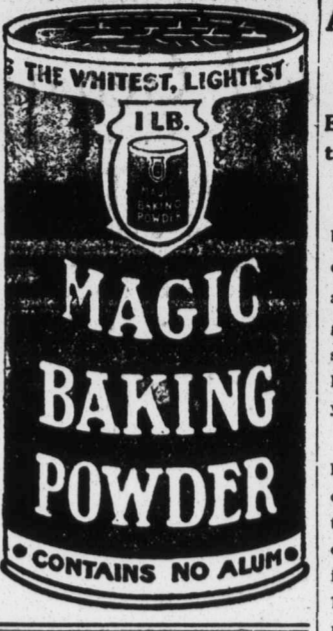
"In the belief that more extensive holding of the company's securities in Canada is desirable from all standpoints, the company has sold the issue to a strong Canadian financial group consisting of the Bank of Montreal, the National City Company, the Royal Bank of Canada, the Canadian Bank of Commerce, the Dominion Securities Corporation, Wood, Gundy & Company and A. E. Ames & Company.

DECIDED TO PASS UP U.S. MARKET "Already a very wide distribution is assured at a price to the public which will make it an attractive investment. It was quite open to the company to secure the requisite funds in the United States on terms equally favorable, but in view of the interest in the company's securities by Canadian investors as evidenced by the increase in the holdings of its common stock and bonds, the directors were glad to make the issue a Canadian one."

These 4½% Secured Notes are one of the highest grade and most thoroughly protected securities ever offered in the Canadian market. They are a direct credit obligation of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and in addition are specifically secured by Trust Agreement under which the Railway covenants to pay to the Trustee land payments coming due to the Railway Company totalling approximately \$66,000,000.

This offering is the largest single piece of corporate financing ever undertaken in Canada. Prior to the present year, all Canadian Pacific Railway financing has been done abroad, principally in Great Britain or in United States in which markets the company's securities rank as market leaders. For example in 1902 the company's 4% debenture stock sold in London at 118% to yield only 3.37% at a time when direct Dominion of Canada long term bonds were selling at approximately the same basis.

Following upon the success of the Dominion Government in refunding its war loans, War Loan issues in



### A Word To Wise Is Sufficient

Early Shoppers Take Advantage of Splendid Fall Weather

With the lumbering outlook brightening as time passes on, optimism seems to prevail more among our merchants; and the general belief is that the Xmas season of 1924 will be an even more lucrative one than that of last year.

This optimism not only prevails here; but according to our exchanges it is general throughout the Maritime Provinces. Merchants everywhere; apparently, are making greater provisions to meet the heavy demand expected to be made upon them when the Xmas trade begins.

The sudden change from drought to a wet spell during the past few days will have its beneficial effects no doubt; and the also sudden change from a wintry appearance and cold weather to nice fall weather again; is just another reminder to the wise ones that they should begin now to do their shopping.

The spirit of Christmas is already taking a firm hold; but what is wanted is that "something" to stir the people to a fuller realization that the present exceptionally fine fall weather is offering to them a splendid inducement to come out from within themselves, and to get busy.

One thing as certain as death is that within one month you will have to do it; so why not now while the "going is good" and when it can be done in comfort?

**VITAMINS**  
It was while experimenting with cod-liver oil to unlock the secret of its wonderful health-building virtues, that the basis of its great helpfulness to mankind, the vitamins, was discovered.  
**Scott's Emulsion**  
needs no introduction to the millions who during fifty years past have been helped to strength and better health.  
Scott's Emulsion, the great strength-maker, serves millions of children and adults regularly. Why not you?  
Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont.

### SANTA CLAUS USES THE RADIO



Until this year little boys and girls could only write to Santa Claus; post their letters and trust to the postman to deliver them. But this year the Radio Department of the Canadian National Railways made an arrangement with Santa Claus and letters from boys and girls all over Canada, are being broadcast from the C. N. R. Radio Stations to Santa in his workshop in the Far North. Santa acknowledges, each evening by radio, that he is hearing what his little friends have to tell him.

Although he is a very busy man, Santa Claus visited every broadcasting station of the Canadian National Railways, in Moncton, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Regina, Calgary and Edmonton, telling his little friends to write him, care of the C. N. R. Radio, and thousands of letters from boys and girls have been received and broadcast to Santa.

The picture you see here was taken in one of those stations as Santa was speaking to his boys and girls through the microphone, which is the instrument used to send the sound of the voice dancing out over the world on the radio waves.

Down below you see one of the big engines that the Canadian National Railways are going to lend Santa Claus to carry his bags of toys, if there is not enough snow for his reindeer. These are the biggest and most powerful freight engines in the whole of the British Empire. They can easily pull a train of 150 loaded freight cars; so you see, Santa Claus will have no trouble bringing all his toys, no matter if there isn't any snow on Christmas Eve.

## Local and General News

**WINTER HERE**  
Winter began officially on Sunday 21st inst, at 10:54 p.m., when the sun entered Capricorn.

**WANTED**  
To purchase 5000 Hides within the next 10 days at the highest market prices. Phone or telegraph at our expense.  
MARITIME HIDE CO.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**  
We beg to acknowledge with thanks, receipt of the following calendars for 1924:  
Royal Bank of Canada,  
Mr. Charles Asoyuf,  
Family Herald & Weekly Star,  
Ontario Equitable Life and Accident Company.

**CURRIE AS A CANDIDATE**  
Joe Currie, who for years played on the Chatham Hockey Team, is said to be a candidate for a position on the defence for the Moncton Hockey Club in the northern section of the Maritime Provinces Amateur Hockey Association this season.

**PARLIAMENT OPENS FEB. 5th**  
Premier King has made the announcement that Parliament will open on Thursday, Feb. 6th. The date is almost a month earlier than last year, when Parliament was summoned on the last day of February. The coming session will be the fourth, of the present government, which is the fourteenth parliament since Confederation.

**WILL ASSIST FERRY OWNERS**  
A prominent citizen of Chatham says that he understands that the government had given the present ferry owners an assurance, that when the present boat was considered to have out-lived its usefulness, help would be given to build another boat. He understood that the government would grant long term bonds, so that a new boat could be built and that the cost could be gradually paid off from a sinking fund each year.

**SEIZING UNLICENSED SETS**  
Following up instructions received from Ottawa the Royal North West Mounted Police have seized unlicensed radio sets throughout the city of Halifax and are prepared to enforce the licensing of radio sets in the city as called for under the Radio Act. As a result of the ruling received from Ottawa, the Act will be enforced by the Mounted Police and several prosecutions are already taking place throughout Canada.

**SOCIAL DANCE**  
Next Friday evening, 26th inst a social dance will be given in the Town Hall by Chaplain's Five Melody Boys Jazz Orchestra, dancing to begin at 9 o'clock sharp. All lovers of dancing and good music are requested to be present and enjoy the evening after Christmas. Those who attend are assured one of the best dances yet held in Newcastle and nothing will be left undone in making the evening's entertainment a most enjoyable one. All are cordially invited to attend.

**PLASTIGRAMS**  
Patrons of the local Opera House will be treated to an entirely new departure in the motion picture game Wednesday and Thursday evening, when Plastigrams will be used for the first time. To get the benefit of these pictures it is necessary to utilize a special set of glasses, furnished by the management. Unlike the usual run of movies this innovation gives the appearance of depth to the pictures. Objects thrown on the screen appear to emerge from the background and move toward the spectators.

### WANTED

At once—an industrious young girl with good education to learn Linotype Operating. Apply giving age and educational qualifications to  
**ADVOCATE OFFICE  
Newcastle, N. B.**

**APPOINTED VENDOR**  
F.S. Maher has been appointed vendor for the town of Chatham under the Intoxicating Liquor Act.

**DISLOCATED SHOULDER**  
Hon. J.B.M. Baxter, M.P. had his shoulder dislocated Thursday afternoon. He was getting his car out of the garage when he fell. He will be laid up for a few days.

**MARRIED**  
At Blackville, November 21st, 1924, by Rev. Wm. Garlshore, Miss Anne R MacCallum, R.N., to Mr. Albert E. Dickison, both of Newcastle, N. B.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICES**  
On Christmas Day services will be held in St. Andrew's Church, Newcastle, at 8:30 and 11 o'clock a.m., and in St. Mark's Church, Newson at 3 o'clock p.m.

**IT'S CHRISTMAS**  
It's Christmas, men! Get out your goodwill—polish up your generosity—hurry your heart beats—warm your faith—stir up your tenderest emotions—save your secrets—stand fast for surprises—get out your cheque book—away with the blues—come on, be cheerful. It's Christmas.

**DIED IN ENGLAND**  
Mr. F.E. Neale of Chatham has received word of the death in Liverpool, Eng. of Mr. Fred Dyke the deceased was well known to many Miramichi people who will regret to hear of his death.

**APPOINTMENT**  
Mr. Andrew L. Flett has been promoted from customs excise examiner to collector of customs and excise at the Newcastle custom's office under the Civil Service Commission.

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**X-RAY PLANT FOR BATHURST HOSPITAL**  
During the past week a Montreal company has completed the installation of an X Ray and fluoroscope at the James Hamlet Dunn Hospital at Bathurst. Exposures can be varied from one-tenth of a second to 30 seconds.

**BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING**  
The annual meeting of the Northumberland County sub-district Board of Health was held in Chatham last week. Those present were Dr. F.J. Desmond, D.M.H.O. of Newcastle, D.S. Gordon, Maple Glen; H. Savoie, Rogersville; M.P. Tucker, Blackville, Dr. John Weir, Roatkown and Ald. Daniel Cripps of Chatham. The other member of the board, Andrew McCabe of Newcastle was absent through illness.

**RIVER FROZEN OVER**  
The ice bridge over the Miramichi river is now firm and for some days pedestrians have been crossing. It is reported that the ice should be strong enough for heavy traffic. The young people enjoyed the skating up to Friday when the snow put an end to this sport. Small skaters are now skating through the ice and an improvement in the falling is expected.

**ANOTHER ADVANCE IN FLOUR**  
An advance took place on Saturday of flour prices of 30 cents per barrel, making an advance of 50 cents per barrel for the week.

**BILL SAYS**  
"No matter how big your head may be swelled, it isn't safe to blow your knows".

**STEAM TRAIN NOW RUNNING**  
The electric car between Newcastle and Chatham was replaced last Thursday by a steam train and will probably be kept on until after Christmas.

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**WETS AND DRIES**  
"There are just two things that break up most of the happy homes nowadays"  
"What are they?"  
"Woman's love for dry goods and Man's love for wet goods."

**SAFE CROSSING**  
Horses are now crossing the river on the ice, the cold weather having made the ice solid enough for safe crossing. For several days skating on the river was enjoyed, but Friday's snowstorm abruptly put an end to this favorite pastime.

**KINK OPENED**  
Last night saw the annual revival of a popular winter sport with the opening of the skating rink with a good attendance. The ice was in excellent condition and the big building resounded to the ring of steel in the frosty air and the hearty laughter of the skaters. The band, however, was not in attendance, and when this attraction is added there will be larger crowds of patrons.

**GOOD BUSINESS**  
Yesterday was a great day for business and today and tomorrow are expected to be better ones. The expected influx of people from the surrounding country and the rush of local people to do their Christmas shopping which had been forecasted, both materialized with the result that everybody was cheerful.

**RECTOR INDUCTED**  
Rev. Percy John Haslam, formerly of Petitcodiac, N.B. was officially inducted into the pastoral charge of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Bay du Vin, last Wednesday evening. At the request of the Bishop, Rev. W.J. Bate, rector of St. Andrew's church, Newcastle, was in charge of the ceremony, which took place immediately after the Evensong, before a large congregation. Rev. Mr. Bate addressed the minister and people, and read the letter of institution and license, after which he read the Bishop's mandate to the Church Wardens. After the induction, the new rector was presented the keys of the church, by Church Wardens, James G. Williston and Wathen Williston.



### Local Druggists Have Modern Remedy for Colds

A Vaporizing Salve which is Rubbed Over Throat and Chest for Colds.  
When Vicks VapoRub, the "external" method of treating sore throat, bronchitis, deep chest colds, or croup, is applied over throat or chest, the ingredients are released as vapors by the body heat.  
These vapors, inhaled with each breath carry the medication directly to the affected air passages, loosening the phlegm and relieving the congestion. At the same time, Vicks acts as a counter-irritant, stimulating the skin, and thus helps the vapors inhaled to break up the inflammation.  
Colds are usually relieved over night.  
**VICKS VAPORUB**  
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## Monster Christmas Sale Now Going On

It Pays To Shop At **LAKE'S**

To our many Friends and Patrons we send at this happy season our best wishes for

## A Merry Christmas and A Prosperous New Year

We thank you one and all for your valued patronage, and we hope that we may continue to merit this same confidence during 1925

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Plenty of Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Lamb, Pork and Fresh Meats for the Xmas Trade

We have 100 bbls. Nova Scotia Northern Spy Apples, which we will be able to give you an attractive price on until after Christmas  
**ALSO**  
California Boxed Apples, Sunkist Oranges in all sizes  
We are Headquarters for Candy and Nuts of all kinds for the Kiddies  
Give us a Call and get our prices on the above lines and Groceries as well. A full and complete line of Shelf Groceries are always kept in stock  
A Carload of Flour, Feeds and Oats arriving this week. Prices are soaring but you will find that our prices are right and we will treat you right

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To Our Friends & Patrons we wish the Season's Greetings, and hope that 1925 may contain Health, Happiness & Prosperity

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